



## Florida Youth Soccer Association

**A:** 2828 Lake Myrtle Park Road  
Auburndale, FL 33823

**W:** www.fysa.com

**T:** 863-268-8220

**E:** communications@fysa.com

### **OLYMPIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM (ODP) COACH**

**Reports to:** Director of Sport Development

**Location:** Florida

**Employment Classification:** Part-Time

#### **Summary:**

FYSA is seeking qualified, motivated coaches to support the delivery of the Olympic Development Program (ODP). ODP exists to identify high-potential players, supplement club development (not replace it), provide a unique high-level player experience, and expose players to the next level of their pathway. This role is central to executing FYSA's regionalized ODP model, designed to increase accessibility, reduce travel, and enhance player identification through a structured training and event framework.

#### **Key Responsibilities:**

- Deliver high-quality, game-based training sessions aligned with US Soccer player development principles and Florida ODP standards.
- Identify and evaluate players using consistent observation and assessment processes.
- Support a statewide aligned curriculum and game model designed by FYSA.
- Contribute to a professional, organized, and player-centered environment.
- Collaborate with ODP staff to ensure clarity, consistency, and shared standards.
- Attend all assigned training dates and scheduled events.
- Ensure all training sessions and matches adhere to safety standards and guidelines.
- Be familiar with emergency protocols and act responsibly in case of injuries.
- Assist with attendance records, player evaluations, and other administrative duties as assigned.
- Represent FYSA with professionalism in all interactions.
- Other duties as assigned by the Director of Sport Development.

#### **Minimum Requirements:**

- Licensing: Minimum of a US Soccer B License (Head Coach) or US Soccer C License (Assistant Coach), Concussion Safety Education, and SafeSport.
- Ability to pass a Florida Department of Law Enforcement Level 2 Background Check.
- Must have the permanent legal right to work in the U.S. without the need for sponsorship.

#### **Qualifications:**

- Experience in elite youth development or talent ID environments.
- Strong teaching skills with a player centered approach.
- Demonstrates a growth mindset and commitment to learning.
- Coach with a holistic approach (game based, experiential, autonomy support).
- Value collaboration and shared program standards.
- Reflect the diverse cultures and communities across Florida.
- Create environments that are challenging, positive, and player-centered.
- Multilingual (Spanish and/or Portuguese strongly valued) preferred.

*Applicants shall submit their information through the [application form](#).*