

JOB DESCRIPTION

Canada Games Road/Para-Road

Technical Support-Mechanic

The Mechanic reports to Head Coach and works collaboratively with any assisgned tean coaches (men, women, para) with the primary responsibility of ensuring all athlete bicycles are operating in peak condition, resolving issues, and preparing bikes for race day competition.

Canada Games Overview

The Canada Summer Games are a two-week multi-sport event taking place every four (4) years. Athletes represent their province with the provincial sport organizations having the responsibility to select the athletes to represent Ontario in their respective sport. In 2025, the Canada Games will be held in the St. John's, Newfoundland and include the sports of Mountain Bike [XCO, Team Relay, Eliminator] and Road Cycling [Time Trial, Road Race, Criterium].

The Canada Games provides one of the few opportunities for developing athletes to experience a "Games" setting. Athletes will learn to adhere to overall Games protocols including living in an Athletes Village with shared-multisport accommodations, experience opening/closing ceremonies, and have their performance contribute to Ontario's point total to capture the Canada Game's Flag [overall highest scoring province.

Qualifications

- Extensive experience and mechanical understanding of bicycle repair and maintenance;
 preferably working with race teams, provincial teams, or national teams
- Experience working with handcycles and para-cycling atheltes an asset
- Experience as an athlete/coach/support in cycling training camps and/or competitions (preferred)
- Strong communication skills
- Drivers Abstract (required if driving athletes)

Responsibilities

- Attend all required Canada Game's meetings and training events leading to the Games
- Provide mechanical support at pre-Canada Games training camp(s) and during Games' competition
- Perform daily inspection of all bikes and perform required maintenance/repairs

- Clean and prepare all bikes to be in perfect working condition on each competition day
- Ensure spare wheels and required equipment is organized and loaded into caravan vehicle
- Provide mechanical in-race support in accordance with all UCI or race specific rules
- Participation in all team meetings
- Ensure thorough understanding of UCI/Event equipment regulations to ensure all bikes satisfy bike check
- Work with Team Coaches to develop a schedule relating to when bikes will be provided for inspection and training/race departure times
- Review and ensure understanding of your role within the project
- Complete all required Canada Games courses and forms
- May be required to assist with other logistical duties (e.g. driving)

Key Dates [subject to change]

Event	Date	Notes
Canada Games Mission Staff	Various – leading to the Games	Typically online but may have
Meetings		an in-person event
Canada Games Team Selection	June TBD, 2025	Athletes selected and notified
Canada Games Training Camp	July TBD, 2025	Multi-day Canada Games Prep.
		Camp, location TBD
Canada Games (MTB)	Aug 8 - 17, 2025	Week 2 of Canada Games

Click here to view the Canada Games Technical Guide for Road

Application

Interested applicants are asked to complete an online application <u>HERE</u> no later than **November 17**, **2024**.

Compensation for this position will be established based on candidate experience and qualifications.