British Triathlon aims to promote excellence in our sport and create opportunities for everyone to achieve their personal triathlon challenges.

Are you passionate about increasing participation in sport in England? Do you have a breadth of knowledge and understanding of the community sport landscape and understand how to convert strategy to operational delivery through inspiring, supporting, leading and managing others?

British Triathlon and Triathlon England are looking to recruit a National Development Manager to play a critical role in the realisation of our strategy; providing the crucial link between national strategy and local delivery across England.

We are looking for someone who will deliver our strategic goals of ‘More Participants’, ‘Great Clubs’ and ‘Exceptional People’ to 2024 through working creatively and holistically across the development directorate’s four major work areas; participation, workforce, children and young people and clubs/regions. The role will lead and manage half of our Regional Manager Team across England, influencing and supporting them to deliver our objectives as well as those of local stakeholders and partners. This is a challenging role, responsible for converting our national strategic ambitions into reality locally, and one which will have a significant impact on our stakeholder landscape and members and participants alike.

We are looking for a self-motivated critical thinker with a can-do approach to work. Critically, the role will work alongside our existing National Development Manager, working in a seamless and collaborative way to support and lead our overall regional manager team.

The successful candidate will have strong knowledge and understanding of the community sport and physical activity landscape, particularly at local and regional levels. They will be adept at partnership working and collaboration; very much having this as an in-built preferred way of working. They will also be able to find solutions to problems and challenges in a positive and efficient way.

British Triathlon is one of the most dynamic and forward-thinking National Governing Bodies of sport in the UK. Despite the current challenges of the COVID-19 pandemic for the sport and physical activity sector and society more generally, we are committed to our strategy and vision and are investing in the long-term future and sustainability of our sport. The power of sport, physical activity and an active lifestyle have never been more important than they are now and swim, bike, run can play a huge part in this.

British Triathlon is the National Governing Body for Triathlon, Duathlon and Aquathlon in Great Britain, responsible for raising the profile and delivering medal-winning performances and helping everyone discover, enjoy and achieve in triathlon. Triathlon England is one of the three Home Nations of British Triathlon, the other two being Triathlon Scotland and Welsh Triathlon. The three Home Nation Associations are responsible for all aspects of triathlon in their respective countries and contribute to the work of British Triathlon.

The role will be based at the British Triathlon headquarters located at Loughborough University; however, there is scope for negotiation on this for an exceptional candidate. The nature of the role will require evening and weekend working and domestic and international travel.
To apply:

A covering letter should be submitted to hr@britishtriathlon.org explaining the reason for your application and how you feel you meet the person specification, together with your completed application form and equality form, which can both be found at the bottom of this page. Please quote the reference number DEV-20-JC6. Should you require assistance with the application process, please contact HR by email as above and we will make every effort to meet your specific requirements.

For an informal discussion about the role please contact Helen Marney, Director of Development, initially by emailing helenmarney@britishtriathlon.org

Closing Date: 23:59pm Sunday 6th September 2020.

Provisional Final Interview Date: Monday 28th September 2020.

British Triathlon is committed to equality of opportunity for all staff and applications from all suitably qualified persons are encouraged. Details of our Equal Opportunities Policy can be found on our website: www.britishtriathlon.org under ‘About’ and then ‘Policy Documents’.