



Minimum Mandatory Coaching Qualifications

A principle of athlete development is that “every athlete is entitled to competent coaching”.

CNSC requires every aspiring club volunteer/coach to complete a Police Record and Vulnerable Sector Check with local police service OR on-line as part of the Safe Sport training module. Individuals will be asked to provide the club with personal references prior to becoming involved with a youth program. CNSC will reimburse volunteers for the cost of this service.

Coaches must be active NCCP Community Coaches “in training” (must have completed the ICC Workshop) to supervise, instruct, or coach ski activities for children six years of age and younger, or assist with the supervising, instructing or coaching of ski activities for children six to nine years of age.

Coaches must be active, “trained” NCCP Community Coaches (must have completed the Community Coach Workshop) to supervise, instruct, or coach ski activities for children six to nine years of age, or assist with the supervising, instructing or coaching of ski activities for children nine to sixteen years of age.

Coaches must be active NCCP CCI coaches “in training” (must have completed the L2T Dryland workshop) to supervise, instruct, or coach ski activities for children nine to sixteen years of age.

Coaches under sixteen years of age (U16) that have completed the ICC Workshop can only assist with ski activities for children six years of age and younger, under the supervision of a qualified coach 16 years of age or older.

Coaches under sixteen year of age (U16) that have completed the CC Workshop can only assist with ski activities for children nine years of age and younger, under the supervision of a qualified coach 16 or older.

Coaches must be a minimum of 14 years of age on the first day of an ICC Workshop to participate in that course. Although it is not a requirement, CCC strongly suggests, when possible, that coaches that are 14 or 15 years of age (U16) participate in workshops specifically targeting this age to allow the learning facilitator to adapt their facilitation to the learning profile that characterizes U16 coaches. These coaches’ learning experience will be enhanced by an adapted facilitation style as opposed to trying to adapt to a class made up of more mature adults with a very different background.

Coaches must be a minimum of 16 years of age on the first day of a CCI – L2T (Dryland) Workshop to participate in that course.

The minimum age for designating a coach as NCCP “in training”, “trained”, and “certified” is 16 years of age. Therefore, U16 coaches that have completed ICC and CC Workshops will be recognized on the CAC Database with the status indicator “Under 16”. Roll-over to the appropriate post-16 status indicator will happen automatically upon their 16th birthday