

2011-2012 Coach Information

COACHING:

1. At all levels of competition, coach training will be required. All coaches must be trained as per the table below. Only qualified coaches will be granted access to the ice surface at any point during the competition. Coaches must provide their NCCP number on the team entry form.
 - a) A coach accompanying a team to a Canadian Championship must have a minimum of Competition Coach Certified or equivalent for curling and shall be at least twenty-one (21) years of age.
 - b) A coach is permitted to coach only one (1) team during any competition. This restriction includes any competitions that are run simultaneously at the same place, such as Junior Men and Women. A coach will not be permitted to coach a team in both competitions until such time as one team is eliminated.

NOCA coaching requirements:

EVENT	REQUIREMENT	EXEMPTION
Bantam Regions	Club Coach Trained	none
Provincials	Competition Coach Certified	exemption **
Junior Regions	Competition Coach Trained	exemption **
Provincials	Competition Coach Certified	
All Other Events	Competition Coach Certified	

** exemptions – coach must be in-training and must apply to the NOCA

Technical Coordinator for a one (1) time only exemption which will be for one season only. This exemption will allow in-training coaches access to their teams and functions as required. All coaches must have taken the minimum training to be either completely trained or certified as required. For confirmation of your status please contact the NOCA Technical Coordinator:

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2. All current coaching certification (Level I or II) will qualify for conversion to the new NCCP certification. Coaches may confirm their status on the CCA website at the following link: <http://www.curling.ca/programs-and-services/high-performance-programs-and-services/national-coaching-certification-program/old-to-new-transfer-policy/>
3. All coaches coaching youth under the age of 18 must have a Criminal Records Check (CRC). Coaches applying for a CRC for the first time must apply for the Vulnerable Sector Check. Coaches who currently have a PRC, will be required to apply for a Vulnerable Sector Check when it is due for renewal (every three years).