



RINGETTE ONTARIO COACHING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT & STATUS RENEWAL

*****Professional Development (PD), Coach Certification and Training Expiry/Renewal*****

All coaches who received training in 2014 or earlier will have statuses which expired on **January 1, 2019**.

To renew, you need a certain number of Professional Development (PD) points.

Once you accumulate the required amount, you will be renewed for another 5 years.

- Community Sport Initiation (CSI) is 10 points
- Competition Introduction (CI) is 20 points
- Competition Development (Comp Dev) is 30 points.

Certification and transcript information can also be found at nccp.coach.ca.

[NCCP Professional Development](#)

PHILOSOPHY: LIFELONG LEARNING

Lifelong Learning is the ongoing, voluntary, and self-motivated pursuit of knowledge for either personal or professional reasons.

POLICY: MAINTENANCE OF CERTIFICATION

Maintenance of Certification is the NCCP policy that requires NCCP coaches to maintain their certification through Professional Development and training opportunities over a predetermined period. Maintenance of certification provides coaches with credit for attending PD opportunities and promotes upgrading and maintaining relevancy to coaching practices.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT (PD)

Professional Development is the engagement in Lifelong Learning in a specific professional context. Professional Development promotes growth and development of coaches, enables coaches to be at the leading edge to best serve their athletes, and is fun and engaging. PD contributes points to statuses that must be maintained.

HOW DO I COLLECT MY PD POINTS?

- Coaches are eligible to get 1 PD point per year of active coaching (max 5).
- These points need to be SELF-DECLARED.
- To declare your active coaching:
 - Log in to [The Locker](#)
Under your profile, click CERTIFICATION on the menu tab
Click the Self-Report Whistle on the left hand side
Record Active Status
- E-Learning Modules are Offered for Coaches to earn PD points and learn about important topics. Some examples in the Locker are:
 - **“Making Headway in Sport”**, an online concussion module, for **FREE**, worth 5 PD points
 - **“Coaching Athletes with a Disability”** eModule available for \$15, worth 5 PD points
 - **“Sport Nutrition”** eModule available for \$20, worth 5 PD Points

- **Other Possibilities:** Associations are able to run Professional Development courses for their coaches; please send a description of the course to the Ringette Ontario Technical Director, [Karla Xavier](#) for approval.

COMPETITION-DEVELOPMENT MULTI-SPORT MODULES

Ringette Canada has announced their new Professional Development program for the Canadian Ringette Championships, starting with the 2018 CRCs in Winnipeg, Manitoba.

All coaches that have completed their Competition Introduction Certifications (evaluation) prior to May 2017 and will be coaching at the 2018 Canadian Ringette Championships, will be required to complete ONE Competition Development Multi-Sport Module.

These modules include:

- Developing Athletic Abilities,
- Coaching and Leading Effectively,
- Prevention and Recovery,
- Managing Conflict,
- Leading a Drug-Free Sport, and
- Psychology of Performance.

Available courses are updated regularly on the Calendar of the Locker: nccp.coach.ca/calendar, and registration can be completed online through your Locker profile.

[Read the full Ringette Canada Memo](#)