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Gender Equity in Coaching

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The North East United Soccer Club is focused on supporting the recruitment and retention of female coaches in sport specifically in soccer. Our goal is to achieve 50% female coaching numbers. In order to increase the number of female coaches, NEUSC is focused on the following initiatives:

Recruiting:

- Encourage young women to support NEUSC by considering coaching
- Create and promote opportunities within our programming for female coaches, i.e. female coaches for female teams in Metro program
- Explore other avenues to encourage more female coaches within program

Mentoring:

- Work with NLSA to provide opportunities for female coaches within NEUSC to participate in the NLSA Female Coach Mentorship Program
- Pair younger coaches with more senior coaches to provide support and guidance on pathways for further coaching development
- Develop a mentorship program that helps female coaches find a path to positions at club, provincial and national levels as per their personal goals.

Coaching Conditions:

- Offer co-coaching or assistant positions as a steppingstone towards head coach
- Provide trained and qualified coaches as mentors
- Provide appropriate training for female coaches to meet NLSA and Soccer Canada requirements.