





Maintenance of Certification

Water Polo Canada and the Coaching Association of Canada recognize the value of having certified NCCP coaches that are engaged in Professional Development programs which reinforce the values of lifelong learning and sharing amongst the coaching community.

In order for NCCP coaches to maintain their certified status, they will be required to obtain Professional Development (PD) points. The number of points required to maintain certification depends on the coach's level of certification. Water Polo Canada provides its coaches with a 4year period to collect their PD points.

NCCP Context	Number of PD Points	Maintenance Cycle (Yrs.)*
Community Club Coach	0	Not applicable
Competitive Coach "Certified"	16	4
Advanced Competitive Coach "Certified"	16	4

*The maintenance of certification period begins January 1 after a coach achieves certified status in the Competitive Coach or Advanced Competitive Coach contexts. For example, a coach who becomes certified in November will have their four (4) year maintenance of certification period begin January 1 of the following year.

How Do Coaches Accumulate Points?

There are many ways to accumulate points. Events that are organized by the Coaching Association of Canada (CAC), Water Polo Canada (WPC), Provincial Sport Organizations (PSO) or <u>Provincial/Territorial Coaching Representatives</u> (PTCR) will advertise the number of PD points associated with the event.

PD points can be earned through a multitude of activities that coaches already participate in, including:

- National and provincial sport organization conferences and workshops
- eLearning modules
- NCCP workshops
- Coach mentorship programs
- Active coaching.

Activity	Number of PD Points	How to Report
NCCP Training Events	5	Tracked and updated by CAC, WPC,
		and PTCRs
Non-NCCP Events	1 / hour (up to a max of 3)	Send registration confirmation to WPC
National Team Coach	3	Tracked and updated by WPC
Annual Growth and	3	Tracked and updated by WPC
Leadership Summit		
Active Coaching	1	Updated by coach in <u>The Locker</u>
Self-Directed Learning	3 max / 4-year cycle	Updated by coach in <u>The Locker</u>

How Do Coaches Check How Many Points They Have?

PD points are kept track of in each coach's transcript in The Locker.

Follow the steps below to check for PD points.

Step 1: Login to <u>The Locker</u>.

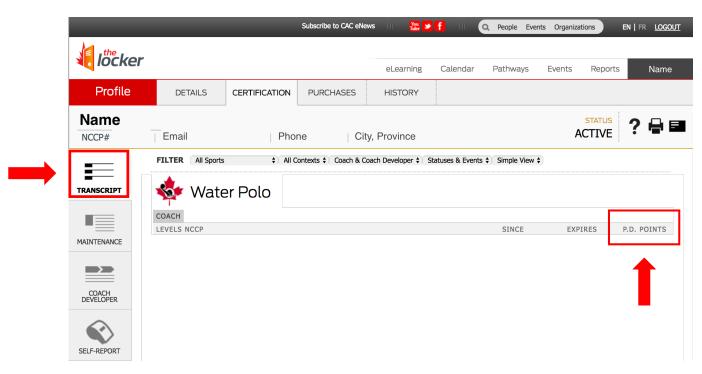
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Step 2: Click on your name on the top right of the screen to view your profile.

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Step 3: Click on "Certification."

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Step 4: Click on "Transcript" and then check your PD points status.