



NLBA Coach Requirements:

With the push for safe sport coaches should refer to the chart to ensure you have the correct qualifications for the grade or level of coaching to attend NLBA provincials. Note that without these, you will not be permitted to sit on the bench.

Check back each year to ensure you have the most up to date qualifications required. We want to keep our athletes safe while protecting ourselves by staying up to date.

Certification	Who needs it?		
	CLUB	SCHOOL	PROVINCIAL TEAM
Criminal Record & Vulnerable Sector Screening	Y	Y	Y
NCCP Safe Sport Module and NCCP	Y	Y	Y
NCCP Understanding the Rule of Two Module	Y	Y	Y
Making Headway in Sport	Y	Y	Y
NCCP Learn to Train	Y	It is strongly recommended that school coaches also have an appropriate level of certification for the level you are coaching (Fundamentals gr 4-6, Learn to Train gr 7-9, Train to Train gr 10-11).	Y
NCCP Train to Train	N	N	Y
NCCP Train to Compete	N	N	Y

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Find Your Certification:

To assist you in finding the necessary training and required documents please refer to the table below.

Certification	Where to find it
Criminal Record & Vulnerable Sector Screening	RNC Jurisdiction:
	Criminal Record Check :: Royal Newfoundland Constabulary :: Consumer :: Home
	RCMP Jurisdiction:
	Canadian Criminal Real Time Identification Services forms
NCCP Safe Sport Module and NCCP	The Locker
NCCP Understanding the Rule of Two Module	
Making Headway in Sport	
NCCP Learn to Train	Game Plan
NCCP Train to Train	
NCCP Train to Compete	



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Course Descriptors:

NCCP Safe Sport:

The Safe Sport Training module developed by the Coaching Association of Canada (CAC) will help anyone involved in sport identify and prevent situations of maltreatment. CAC's Safe Sport Training is an accredited education program of the Abuse-Free Sport program and is aligned with the UCCMS.

NCCP Understanding the Rule of Two

The goal of the Rule of Two is to ensure all interactions and communications are open, observable and justifiable. It is one of three pillars of the Responsible Coaching Movement, along with background screening and ethics training.

After completing the Understanding the Rule of Two eLearning module, participants will:

- Have a solid understanding of the Rule of Two
- Improve their ability to assess and implement preventive measures
- Be aware of questions to ask to determine their sport organization's policies

Applying the Rule of Two in sport environments provides many benefits, including:

- Increasing the safety and security of all participants
- Reducing the risk of an incident of abuse
- Protecting everyone, including coaches and volunteers
- Reducing a sport organization's liability
- Providing additional help if there's an accident or emergency

NCCP Making Headway

The NCCP Making Head Way in Sport eLearning module is designed to empower coaches, parents and participants with the knowledge and skills needed to prioritize participant safety when it comes to concussions. Backed by extensive concussion research, and aligned with the Canadian Guideline on Concussion in Sport, this comprehensive course provides a thorough understanding on what to do to prevent concussions, how to effectively recognize the signs and symptoms of a concussion, what steps are

NCCP Learn to Train

This course is for coaches working with athletes 9-12 years of age. This 16-hour course includes ethical decision making, modified games, safety, practice planning and skill development. After completing this course the coaches will be considered "Trained". To become "Certified" coaches will have to complete a portfolio, be evaluated at a practice by a provincial evaluator and pass the NCCP on-line Making Ethical Decisions quiz.³

NCCP Train to Train

This course is for coaches who work with athletes 11–15 years of age. This 16-hour course includes LTAD, ethics, planning, teaching strategies, mental training, skill development and development of offensive and defensive concepts. After completing this course the coaches will be considered "Trained". To become "Certified" coaches will have to complete a portfolio, be evaluated at a game by a provincial evaluator, and pass the NCCP on-line Making Ethical Decisions quiz.

NCCP Train to Compete

This course is for coaches working with athletes 15–21 years of age. Coaches wishing to become "Certified" must also complete the six Competition-Development Theory modules through Sport NL. It is strongly recommended coaches who wish to pursue NCCP Competition-Development "Certification" begin completing the Competition-Development Theory modules. For more information on the theory modules go to: Sport NL.