



Hockey Canada High Performance 1 | NCCP Competition Development

Hockey Canada Policy:

All Head Coaches coaching Male Bantam 'AAA' (Minor and Major), Female Bantam 'AA', Male Midget 'AAA' (Minor or Major), Female Midget 'AA' and Junior 'A' must be High Performance 1 '**Certified**' according to the Hockey Canada policy during the **2015-2016 season**, 2016-2017 season for Junior 'A'. It is recommended that all **Assistant Coaches** be a minimum Development 1 '**Trained**'.

Coaching Requirements meeting the Standards established by Hockey Canada and the Coaching Association of Canada (CAC):

1. **Requirements by Role:**

Head Coaches – *High Performance 1 (HP1) - 'Certified'*

Assistant Coaches – *Development 1 (D1) - 'Trained'*

2. **Rostering Eligibility:**

- All Coaches must have '**Trained**' status to be added to a Team Roster
- Coaches requiring '**Certified**' status must complete certification process by: **August 31st of current season**

3. **Certification Maintenance / Qualification Renewal:**

- High Performance 1 (HP1) 'Certified' status is valid for 5 years
- 30 Professional Development Points are required to renew certification

- High Performance 1 (HP1) 'Trained' status is valid for 5 years
- The development pathway for High Performance 1 (HP1) 'Trained' Coaches is to move through the certification process **or** after expiry must take clinic again

4. **Evaluation to be Certified:**

HP1 Evaluation to be Certified	Evaluator
1. Written Assignment 2. Field Evaluation – Practice & Game 3. MED Comp Dev (online) 4. Leading Drug Free Sport (online) 5. Managing Conflict (online)	OHF <i>Hockey Canada trained Group Leaders and Evaluators</i>

5. High Performance 1 Legacy Pathway

Training Date	Status
Pre-2010	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Advanced 1 or HP1 Theory 1 Clinic Attendance = Trained Trained Status + Written Assignment + Field Evaluation (Game & Practice) + Theory 3 = Certified Effective Jan. 1, 2015 – 5 year window for CM begins
To be 'Certified' in this Pathway, required to complete old Theory 3 which is now in the form of Multi-Sport Modules (more details below)	
2011-2012	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> HP1 Clinic attendance + completion of all in-class tasks = Certified Trained Status + Written Assignment + Field Evaluation (Game & Practice) + MED Comp Dev (online evaluation) = Certified Effective Jan. 1, 2015 – 5 year window for CM begins
2013 – Present	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clinic attendance + completion of all in-class tasks = Trained Trained Status + Written Assignment + Field Evaluation (Practice) + MED Comp Intro (online) = Certified

Theory 3

In order to be fully certified at the previous NCCP Advanced 1 level (or the current High Performance 1 level), participants would have been required to complete the NCCP Theory 3 programs.

Prior to 2010, Hockey Canada offered the Technical and Practical content for the Advanced 1 program and the CAC offered the Theory 3 program. These components together equal full certification. Some records may indicate that a coach has completed the Hockey technical and practical pieces which likely included the completion of the exam and the field evaluation. This would mean that the coach completed all requirements of the NCCP Advanced 1 program and they would be designated as “Trained”. Without the completion of the NCCP Theory 3 program, a coach does not have complete certification.

To be fully certified as an Advanced 1 or HP1 coach, Coaches will be required to complete Theory 3 by completing 4 of 6 Multi-Sport Modules, plus the prerequisite Make Ethical Decisions and Design a Basic Sport Program.

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

More info, can be found by visiting the Coaches Association of Ontario website <https://www.coachesontario.ca/>

* Refer to Appendix A - OMHA Team Official Qualification Requirements



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OLD TO NEW	
OLD	NEW
Advanced 1	High Performance 1

PATHWAYS FOR HIGH PERFORMANCE 1			
PATHWAY	TRAINED	CERTIFIED	CERTIFICATION MAINTENANCE
Pre 2010	Advanced 1 or HPI Clinic Attendance	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Written Assignment 2. Field Evaluation (Game and Practice) 3. Theory 3 	30 Professional Development Points – 5 Years
To fully certify in this pathway a coach is still required to complete the old Theory 3 which is now in the form of Multi-Sport Modules			
PATHWAY	TRAINED	CERTIFIED	CERTIFICATION MAINTENANCE
2011 - 2012	HPI Clinic Attendance	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Written Assignment 2. Field Evaluation (Game and Practice) 3. MED – Comp Dev Online Evaluation 	30 Professional Development Points – 5 Years
PATHWAY	TRAINED	CERTIFIED	CERTIFICATION MAINTENANCE
2013 - Present	HPI Clinic Attendance	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Written Assignment 2. Field Evaluation (Game and Practice) 3. MED – Comp Dev Online Evaluation 4. Leading Drug Free Sport Online Evaluation 5. Managing Conflict Online Evaluation 	30 Professional Development Points – 5 Years