



**HOCKEY CANADA DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS
NCCP CERTIFICATION MAINTENANCE**



NCCP Certification Maintenance

The NCCP Certification Maintenance requirements began in January of 2014, in which a coach has 5 years to obtain a certain number of credits in order to maintain certification.

9.2 Policy Statement

- 9.2.1 Certification within the NCCP shall be valid for a maximum period of 5 years.
- 9.2.2 The concept of “life-span of NCCP certification” shall apply to coaches who:
 - A. Are already certified and according to the standards of the Levels-NCCP
 - B. Are certified according to the standards of the Levels-NCCP while it is still in effect
 - C. Are certified according to the standards of an NCCP context’s core certification and gradations
- 9.2.3 Maintenance of certification must be based on active coaching and professional development

10.2 Policy Statement

- 10.2.1 Professional development is required for coaches to renew “Certified” status in any context or gradation
- 10.2.2 Professional development requirements must be completed by the end of the period for which the certification is valid
- 10.2.3 A National Sport Organization has the option to require coaches to complete professional development to renew “Trained” status
- 10.2.4 Coaches are required to obtain a minimum number of Professional Development credits, dependent upon the context in which they are certified and the NSO-determined period within which they must renew their certification

Minimum Professional Development Credits Required:

Context (includes any gradation)	5 Years
Coach 2 – Coach Level Community Sport	10 Points
Development 1 Competition Introduction	20 Points
High Performance 1 Competition Development	30 Points



NCCP CERTIFICATION MAINTENANCE PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT CREDITS



List of Certification Maintenance / Professional Development Credits	
Program / Clinic	Points
Active Coaching	1 point per active year
Next Level in NCCP Clinics	Automatically meets requirement
Learning Facilitator Training	1 point per active year
Evaluator Training	1 point per active year
Hockey Canada Program of Excellence Seminar	3 points
Hockey Canada Skills Academy Seminar	3 points
Branch High Performance Seminars - Male	3 points
Branch High Performance Seminars - Female	3 points
Branch/MP Checking Skills Clinics	3 points
Branch/MP Goaltending Skills Clinics	3 points
Branch/MP Specialty Clinics - Skating / Puck Control / Small Area Games/ Developing Defensemen / Shooting and Scoring / Creating Offence	3 points
Branch/MP Coach Development Weekend	3 points
Branch/MP Coaching Day Clinics	3 points
Development 2 PD Coaching Clinic	3 points
High Performance 2 PD Coaching Clinic	3 points
Respect in Sport – Activity Leader Hockey Canada	2 points
Hockey Canada Safety Program	2 points
National Coach Mentorship Program Seminar	3 points
OMHA Coach Refresher Clinic	3 points