

# **Competition Development Coach**



Who is this pathway for? This pathway is for coaches who work with competitive fencers in the Train To Compete LTD stage and want to provide them with meaningful feedback to address performance gaps that limit competitive success. The workshop will address a wide range of factors that influence performance in competition including psychological and social/emotional factors in addition to technical-tactical skills and physical capacities. Beyond club training, development coaches often work at provincial or national training camps in addition to provincial, national and international competitions. Certification in this pathway is required to coach at Canada Games.

Competition Development Coach Pathway

# IN TRAINING STATUS

 Fencing Coaching Foundations Workshop (6 hours online)

### Age requirement

Be 18 years or older

### OR

16-17 years old **and** have trained status as Competition Introduction coach

### TRAINED STATUS

 Fencing Competition Development Workshops 1 & 2 (30 hours in person)

#### NCCP multi-sport modules

- 1. Make Ethical Decisions
- 2. Coaching & Leading Effect
- 3. Advanced Practice Planning
- 4. Psychology of Performance
- 5. Performance Planning
- 6. Manage a Sport Program
- 7. Making Headway in Sport
- 8. Prevention & Recovery
- 9. Develop Athletic Abilities
- 10. Managing Conflict
- 11. Leading Drug-free Sport

# **EVALUATION IN TRAINING** & IN COMPETITION

- Review Evaluation Requirements
- Submit Evaluation Request
- Submit Portfolio
  - » Practice plan for group
  - » Lesson plan for individual
  - » Annual plan
  - » Emergency action plan
  - » Manage conflict evaluation
  - » Drug-free sport evaluation
  - » Activity report on program management
- Make ethical decisions (online evaluation)
- Pre-brief with Evaluator
- Formal observation by Evaluator (in practice & in competition)
- Debrief & action plan with Evaluator

# CERTIFICATION

• Be 18 years or older



Certified Competition Development Coach

## Additional requirements for NCCP certification

- Be 18 years or older
- Possess a valid CFF membership licence http://fencing.ca/purchase-a-cff-licence
- Provide a valid Basic First Aid certificate
- Provide a criminal record check https://www.sterlingtalentsolutions.ca/landing-pages/c/cac\_ace
- Provide proof of sport safety training completionas required by your province or territory https://coach.ca/sport-safety-coaches

# Lifelong learning and maintenance of certification

https://coach.ca/professional-development

Competition development coaches must earn **30 professional development (PD) points within 5 years** of certification.

## **Access to multi-sport modules**

https://www.coach.ca/formation-multisport-s15501