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Coach Exemption Eligibility

2027 & 2028 National Events

ELIGIBILITY GUIDE

How to Use This Document:

1. Find your discipline and current NCCP status.
2. Read across the row to confirm:
    - ❑ Whether you are eligible to apply for an exemption;
    - ❑ What requirements are needed for 2027; and
    - ❑ What must be completed to be eligible in 2028.
3. See page 7 for details on the 2027 requirements.



MAG & WAG COACHES

Current NCCP Status	2027 Exemption Eligibility	2027 Requirements	2028 Requirements
Competition 3 (C3) Certified	No exemption required – meets national event requirements	N/A	N/A
Competition 3 (C3) Trained	Yes – eligible for an exemption	N/A	No further exemptions will be granted; achieve C3 Certified status.
Competition 3 (C3) In Training	Yes – if 2027 requirements are met	1. Provide proof of your registration in two C3 theory modules. 2. Provide proof of completion of the Anti-Doping course or the Leading Drug-Free Sport Online Evaluation.	Complete all C3 theory modules to achieve C3 Trained status.

Coaches whose NCCP status is **below Competition 3 In Training** are not eligible to receive an exemption.

TG COACHES

Current NCCP Status	2027 Exemption Eligibility	2027 Requirements	2028 Requirements
Competition 3 (C3) Certified	No exemption required – meets national event requirements	N/A	N/A
Competition 3 (C3) Trained	Yes – eligible for an exemption	N/A	No further exemptions will be granted; achieve C3 Certified status.
Competition 3 (C3) In Training	Yes – if 2027 requirements are met	1. Provide proof of your registration in two C3 theory modules. 2. Provide proof of completion of the Anti-Doping course or the Leading Drug-Free Sport Online Evaluation.	Complete all C3 theory modules to achieve C3 Trained status.
Competition 2 (C2) Certified	Yes – if 2027 requirements are met	1. Provide proof of your registration in two C3 theory modules. 2. Provide proof of completion of the Anti-Doping course or the Leading Drug-Free Sport Online Evaluation.	Complete all C3 theory modules and the C3 course.

Coaches whose NCCP status is **below Competition 2 Certified** are not eligible to receive an exemption.

RG COACHES

Current NCCP Status	2027 Exemption Eligibility	2027 Requirements	2028 Requirements
Level 3 Certified (in the former NCCP-Levels system)	No exemption required – meets national event requirements	N/A	N/A
Competition 2 (C2) Certified	Yes – if 2027 requirements are met	1. Provide proof of your registration in two C3 theory modules. 2. Provide proof of completion of the Anti-Doping course or the Leading Drug-Free Sport Online Evaluation.	Complete all C3 theory modules.
Competition 2 (C2) Trained	Yes – if 2027 requirements are met	1. Provide confirmation from your PTO or an NCCP Evaluator that your C2 Portfolio and Skill Presentation have been submitted for evaluation. 2. Provide proof of completion of the Anti-Doping course or the Leading Drug-Free Sport Online Evaluation.	Complete two of the four required C3 theory modules.

Coaches whose NCCP status is **below Competition 2 Trained** are not eligible to receive an exemption.

ACRO COACHES

The exemption process will not be available to Acro coaches, who are instead encouraged to complete the NCCP Competition 1 Acro Course as soon as possible.

Coaches may access the field of play with one of the following NCCP statuses:

- Competition 1 (Introduction) Trained in Acrobatic Gymnastics
- Competition 2 (Introduction Advanced) Certified in MAG
- Competition 2 (Introduction Advanced) Certified in WAG

Coaches are also eligible if they hold an Acro coaching certification from one of the following:

- FIG Academy
- A country with a reputable coach education program, provided the coach has also completed the CAC Coaching in Canada module.

2027 REQUIREMENTS

If your 2027 coach exemption approval is conditional upon completing additional requirements, please reference the links below.

Competition 3 (C3) Theory Modules:

1. Coaching and Leading Effectively
2. Manage a Sport Program
3. Managing Conflict
4. Psychology of Performance

→ These modules are part of the C3 coaching pathway and are delivered by the provincial/territorial coaching representatives (PTCRs).

To find your PTCR's contact information, please visit:
https://coach.ca/about-us/our-partners/ptcr-contact-information

Anti-Doping Course: https://sportintegrity.ca/course-outline

Leading Drug-Free Sport Evaluation: https://thelocker.coach.ca/onlinelearning#LDFS-E



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