

# BENCH STAFF REQUIREMENTS 2021-2022 SEASON

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The GTHL will be following Hockey Canada and Ontario Hockey Federation (OHF) requirements for coaches entering the 2021-22 season. The league will operate all portions of our clinics virtually and coaches will receive full credit for participation in virtual training. There will be no requirement to attend in person and virtual clinics will be operated until the league can operate in-class and on-ice portions for large groups.

The outlined requirements will be for all coaches (house league, select, A, AA, & AAA) who wish to be rostered to a team. Previously trained coaches may have attained many of the requirements.

- Head Coaches taking a clinic for the first time will not be required to have a certified status.
  - All Head Coaches who require a Development 1 – Certified status but do not have one, can be approved to a roster and considered “in-progress” if they have submitted the 3 certification steps for an in-season evaluation. For information click [HERE](#).
  - Coaches with an expiring or expired certified status are required to participate in professional development to maintain their certified status. For more information on certification maintenance click [HERE](#).
  - A Head Coach can be conditionally approved if they are enrolled in a GTHL Development 1 clinic or a Development 1 clinic within the Ontario Hockey Federation before December 31st.
  - Trainer Level 2 will not be a requirement.
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# COACHING REQUIREMENTS

	HEAD COACH			TRAINER	ASSISTANT COACH	MANAGER
	HL + Select	A + AA	AAA	HL/SL/A/AA/AAA	A/AA/AAA	A/AA/AAA
<b>U9 &amp; Below</b>	Coach 1 Level	-	-	HTCP Level 1	-	-
<b>U10 / U11</b>	Coach 2 Level	Development 1 Trained <sup>^</sup>	Development 1 Trained <sup>^</sup>	HTCP Level 1	Speak Out or Respect in Sport	Speak Out or Respect in Sport
<b>U12 / U13</b>	Coach 2 Level	Development 1 Certified <sup>*^</sup>	Development 1 Certified <sup>*^</sup>	HTCP Level 1	Speak Out or Respect in Sport	Speak Out or Respect in Sport
<b>U14 / U15</b>	Coach 2 Level	Development 1 Certified <sup>*^</sup>	High Performance 1 Certified <sup>*^</sup>	HTCP Level 1	Speak Out or Respect in Sport	Speak Out or Respect in Sport
<b>U16 / U18</b>	Coach 2 Level	Development 1 Certified <sup>*^</sup>	High Performance 1 Certified <sup>*^</sup>	HTCP Level 1	Speak Out or Respect in Sport	Speak Out or Respect in Sport
<b>U21</b>	Coach 2 Level	Development 1 Certified <sup>*^</sup>	Development 1 Certified <sup>*^</sup>	HTCP Level 1	Speak Out or Respect in Sport	Speak Out or Respect in Sport

All Bench Staff require Speak-Out or Respect in Sport – Activity Leader, OHF Gender Identity & Expression Training, Hockey University: Return to Hockey Safety Guidelines & Rowan’s Law Resource Review & Acknowledgement

All A,AA,AAA Head Coaches and one Trainer from a team require GTHL Concussion Education (Branch Concussion Training)

Hockey Canada Network Training and Body Checking certification is included in the GTHL Development 1

\*A D1 Trained Head Coach can be approved in the season immediately following the date in which they completed the D1 clinic. eg. Participated in D1 clinic in May 2019, registered as Head Coach in 2019-2020 season. Also, a D1 trained head coach who requires a certified status but does not yet have one can be approved to a roster before they are certified if they have submitted the 3 certification steps so that we can evaluate them during the season. The coach would be considered “in-progress”.

<sup>^</sup>The Head Coach can be conditionally approved if they are enrolled in a GTHL Development 1 clinic or a Development 1 clinic within the Ontario Hockey Federation before December 31<sup>st</sup> of that registration season.

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**\*\*\*BELOW ARE REQUIREMENTS ONLY. CLINIC LINKS WILL NOT BE ACTIVATED UNTIL THE REGISTRATION SYSTEM IS OPEN AND CLINICS ARE SCHEDULED.**

As of May 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021 eHockey can no longer be accessed. Registration for clinics and to check qualifications will be done through the Hockey Canada Registry (HCR 3.0).

If you have been registered for hockey previously as a Player, Coach, Official or Trainer you will be able to view your profile and sign up for a clinic by creating an account in the Hockey Canada Registry. If you are new to hockey you will be required to create a new account and profile.

There are some qualifications on your profile that may not appear. We are aware of this issue and Hockey Canada is working on updating the system.

The following links provide assistance in setting up your account and how to check your qualifications:

**How to Create a New Account – Click [HERE](#)**

**How to Link your Profile and Check Qualifications – Click [HERE](#)**

**[CLICK HERE TO SIGN UP FOR DEVELOPMENT NEWS & UPDATES](#)**

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## **U9 & Below Programming**

### **HEAD COACHES**

- Hockey University: NCCP Coaching Program Online – Level 1/2 (\$33.90 tax incl) OR previously obtained Coach Level 1 or Coach Level 2
- Coach 1 Clinic – Delivered virtually through Microsoft Teams
- Hockey University: Planning a Safe Return to Hockey (No cost)
- [Respect in Sport – Activity Leader](#) (\$33.90 tax incl)
- [Gender Identity & Expression Course](#) (No cost)
- Vulnerable Sector Screening provided to association/club

## ASSISTANT COACHES & MANAGERS

- [Respect in Sport – Activity Leader](#) (\$33.90 tax incl)
- Hockey University: Planning a Safe Return to Hockey (No cost)
- [Gender Identity & Expression Course](#) (No cost)
- Vulnerable Sector Screening provided to association/club

## TRAINERS

- [Hockey Trainer Level 1 online](#) (\$22.60 tax incl) or [Level 1 Recertification](#) (\$8.47 tax incl)
- Hockey University: Planning a Safe Return to Hockey (No cost)
- [Respect in Sport – Activity Leader](#) (\$33.90 tax incl)
- [Gender Identity & Expression Course](#) (No cost)
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## U10 & Above Programming

### HOUSE LEAGUE/SELECT – HEAD COACHES

- Pre-requisite to Coach Level 1/2: Hockey University: Checking (\$16.95 tax incl) OR previously obtained Coach Level 1 or 2
- Hockey University: NCCP Coaching Program Online – Level 1/2 (\$33.90 tax incl) OR previously obtained Coach Level 1 or Coach Level 2
- Coach 2 Clinic – Delivered virtually through Microsoft Teams OR previously obtained Coach Level 2
- Hockey University: Planning a Safe Return to Hockey (No cost)
- [Respect in Sport – Activity Leader](#) (\$33.90 tax incl)
- [Gender Identity & Expression Course](#) (No cost)
- Vulnerable Sector Screening provided to association/club

### HOUSE LEAGUE/SELECT – ASSISTANT COACHES & MANAGERS

- [Respect in Sport – Activity Leader](#) (\$33.90 tax incl)
- Hockey University: Planning a Safe Return to Hockey (No cost)
- [Gender Identity & Expression Course](#) (No cost)
- Vulnerable Sector Screening provided to association/club

## ***U10 & Above Programming cont***

### **HOUSE LEAGUE/SELECT – TRAINERS**

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### **A, AA – HEAD COACHES – U10/11**

- Pre-requisite to D1: Hockey University: Checking (\$16.95 tax incl) OR previously Development 1 trained
- Development 1 Clinic – Delivered virtually through Microsoft Teams OR previously Development 1 trained
- Hockey University: Planning a Safe Return to Hockey (No cost)
- [Respect in Sport – Activity Leader](#) (\$33.90 tax incl)
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- GTHL Concussion Education OR previous GTHL concussion training
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### **A, AA – HEAD COACHES – U12-U18 – *including u21 AAA***

- Pre-requisite to D1: Hockey University: Checking (\$16.95 tax incl) OR previously Development 1 trained
- Development 1 Clinic – Delivered virtually through Microsoft Teams OR previously Development 1 certified
- Hockey University: Planning a Safe Return to Hockey (No cost)
- [Respect in Sport – Activity Leader](#) (\$33.90 tax incl)
- [Gender Identity & Expression Course](#) (No cost)
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### **AAA – HEAD COACHES – U10-U13**

- Pre-requisite to D1: Hockey University: Checking (\$16.95 tax incl) OR previously Development 1 trained
- Development 1 Clinic – Delivered virtually through Microsoft Teams OR previously Development 1 certified
- Hockey University: Planning a Safe Return to Hockey (No cost)
- [Respect in Sport – Activity Leader](#) (\$33.90 tax incl)

- [Gender Identity & Expression Course](#) (No cost)
- GTHL Concussion Education OR previous GTHL concussion training
- Vulnerable Sector Screening provided to association/club

### *U10 & Above Programming cont*

#### AAA – HEAD COACHES – U14-U18

- High performance 1 Clinic- Delivered by the Ontario Hockey Federation Click [HERE](#) OR previously High Performance 1 certified
- Hockey University: Planning a Safe Return to Hockey (No cost)
- [Respect in Sport – Activity Leader](#) (\$33.90 tax incl)
- [Gender Identity & Expression Course](#) (No cost)
- GTHL Concussion Education OR previous GTHL concussion training
- Vulnerable Sector Screening provided to association/club

#### A, AA, AAA – ASSISTANT COACHES & MANAGERS

- [Respect in Sport – Activity Leader](#) (\$33.90 tax incl)
- Hockey University: Planning a Safe Return to Hockey (No cost)
- [Gender Identity & Expression Course](#) (No cost)
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#### A, AA, AAA – TRAINERS

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### **Who can I contact for more information?**

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