



CYA LTS/R/W COACH RECERTIFICATION POLICY

Effective July 1st 2010

LTS/R/W	Learn to Sail/Learn to Race/Learn to Windsurf
LF/MLF	Learning Facilitator/Master Learning Facilitator

LTS/R/W Coach recertification is managed through the [Provincial Sailing Associations](#) (PSA's) in accordance with the CYA policy. Please review the information below and contact your PSA with questions specific to the coach recertification process in your province.

Scenario 1:

Certified coaches who have remained registered in good standing with the CYA for the period of their certification (3 years) and have not allowed their certification to lapse may seek recertification by contacting their PSA and completing one of the following:

- Attend an appropriate (coaching related) Professional Development (PD) module conducted by a LF or MLF during which the recertifying coach is evaluated on professionalism; **OR**
- Attend a portion of a technical clinic to demonstrate on land and on water coaching conducted by a LF or MLF (including successful evaluation of safety and professionalism); **OR**
- Successfully complete a re-evaluation by an Evaluator

Scenario 2:

Certified coaches who have either not remained registered in good standing with the CYA for the period of their certification (3 years) or have allowed their certification to lapse may seek recertification by contacting their PSA completing the following requirements:

- Submit a coaching/sailing resume and reference letter (at the discretion of the PSA); **AND one of the following:**
- Attend a portion of a technical clinic to demonstrate on land and on water coaching conducted by a LF or MLF (including successful evaluation of safety and professionalism); **OR**
- Successfully complete a re-evaluation by an Evaluator

Scenario 3:

Coaches still certified under the former LTS coach certification system for levels that have been replaced or discontinued (Green, Blue, or Red) are able to recertify as per sections 'Scenario 1' and 'Scenario 2' and are required to successfully complete the NCCP "Making Ethical Decisions" test. These coaches will be grand-fathered into the current system as follows:

- Green instructor will be recertified as White Sail Coach.
- Blue instructor will be recertified as both White Sail and Bronze Sail Coach.
- Red Instructor will be recertified as White Sail and Bronze Sail Coach indefinitely and as a Red Instructor until 2012 pending implications of LTAD review on the new programs.
- Black coaches still certified under the former LTS coach certification system are able to recertify as per section 2.18.8 and are required to successfully complete the NCCP "Making Ethical Decisions" test.