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## **Minimum Age Policy**

**This policy will take effect on January 21/12**

- 1- Coaches must be a minimum of 14 years of age on the first day of an ICC Workshop in order to participate in that course. Although it is not a requirement, CCC strongly suggests, when possible, that coaches that are 14 or 15 years of age (U16) participate in workshops specifically targeting this age group in order to allow the learning facilitator to adapt his/her facilitation to the learning profile that characterizes U16 coaches. These coaches' learning experience will be enhanced by an adapted facilitation style as opposed to trying to adapt to a class made up of more mature adults with a very different background.
- 2- Coaches must be a minimum of 16 years of age on the first day of a CCI - L2T (Dryland) Workshop to participate in that course.
- 3- The minimum age for designating a coach as NCCP "in training", "trained", and "certified" is 16 years of age. Therefore U16 coaches that have completed ICC and CC Workshops will be recognized on the CAC Database with the status indicator "Under 16". Roll-over to the appropriate post-16 status indicator will happen automatically upon their 16<sup>th</sup> birthday.

## **Minimum Mandatory Coaching Qualifications Policy**

**This policy will take effect on January 01/12**

- Coaches must be active NCCP Community Coaches "in training" (*must have completed the ICC Workshop*) in order to supervise, instruct or coach ski activities for children six years of age and younger, or assist with the supervising, instructing or coaching of ski activities for children six to nine years of age; and
- Coaches must be active, "trained" NCCP Community Coaches (*must have completed the Community Coach Workshop*) in order to supervise, instruct or coach ski activities for children six to nine years of age, or assist with the supervising, instructing or coaching of ski activities for children nine to sixteen years of age; and
- Coaches must be active NCCP CCI coaches "in training" (*must have completed the L2T (On-Snow) Workshop*) OR must have completed the NCCP Level 1 Technical course in order to supervise, instruct or coach ski activities for children under the age of sixteen.
- U16 coaches that have completed the ICC Workshop can only assist with ski activities for children six years of age and younger (under the supervision of a qualified coach 16 years of age or older); and
- U16 coaches that have completed the CC Workshop can only assist with ski activities for children nine years of age and younger (under the supervision of a qualified coach 16 or older).