NFHS Coaching Course New York State (NYS) Specific Second Pathway Guidelines

Note

Effective **July 1, 2015**, coaches in New York State (NYS) will be able to pursue a second alternative pathway to complete the 3 NYS required coaching courses (Principles, Philosophy and organization of Athletics in Education, Health Sciences Applied to Coaching, and Theory & Techniques of Coaching (Sport Specific) by utilizing the NFHS online coaching courses (AIC-Level 1 and AIC-Level 2) and completion of an internship in accordance with guidelines.

See link: https://nfhslearn.com/home/coaching_requirement

The NFHS NYS Specific Second Pathway Process is outlined below:

I. First Temporary Coaching License – No Change
   a. SED Approved First Aid course
   b. SED Approved CPR/AED course
   c. Child Abuse recognition course
   d. School Violence Prevention Course,
   e. DASA training
   f. Fingerprinting

   Not required for certification, however required by District to coach: Concussion Course (Every 2 years)

II. Second Temporary Coaching License (First Renewal) – No Change
   a. SED Approved First Aid course
   b. SED Approved CPR/AED course
   c. Child Abuse recognition course
   d. School Violence Prevention Course,
   e. DASA training
   f. Fingerprinting

   Not required for certification, however required by District to coach: Concussion Course (Every 2 years)

III. Third, Fourth and Fifth Temporary Coaching License (2nd – 4th Renewal) – Two Options

Option I (Current Requirements)	**Option II NFHS**
SED Approved First Aid course	SED Approved First Aid course
SED Approved CPR/AED course	SED Approved CPR/AED course
Completion of Principles, Philosophy and Organization of Athletics in Education	NFHS Accredited Interscholastic Coach Certificate (AIC-Level 1)*

Child Abuse recognition course	Child Abuse recognition course
School Violence Prevention Course,	School Violence Prevention Course,
DASA training	DASA training
Fingerprinting	Fingerprinting
Not required for certification, however required by District to coach: Concussion Course (Every 2 years)(Kept at local level)	

***NFHS Accredited Interscholastic Coach Certificate (AIC-Level 1) includes:**

i. Fundamentals of Coaching (NYS Specific)
ii. First Aid, Health and Safety For Coaches
iii. Concussion in Sports
iv. One Sport Specific course of your choice. All courses can be found at http://www.nfhslearn.org

IV. Professional Coaching Certificate (by year 5)

Option I (Current Requirements): Must be followed if the coach was issued the third temporary using this option	**Option II (NFHS) Must be followed if the coach was issued the third temporary using this option**
SED Approved First Aid course	SED Approved First Aid course
SED Approved CPR/AED course	SED Approved CPR/AED course
Completion of Principles, Philosophy and Organization of Athletics in Education	NFHS Accredited Interscholastic Coach Certificate (AIC-Level 1)
Health Sciences Applied to Coaching	NFHS Accredited Interscholastic Coach Certificate (AIC-Level 2)** Internship – 30 hours***
Theory & Techniques of Coaching (sport specific)	
Verification of three years of coaching	Verification of three years of coaching
Child Abuse recognition course	Child Abuse recognition course
School Violence Prevention Course,	School Violence Prevention Course,
Fingerprinting	Fingerprinting
Not required for certification, however required by District to coach: Concussion Course (Every 2 years) (Kept at local level)	

**** Completion of the following *Certified Interscholastic Coach (AIC-Level 2)* Course Requirements:**

i. Fundamentals of Coaching (NYS Specific) (Included in AIC)
ii. First Aid, Health and Safety For Coaches (included in AIC)
iii. Concussion in Sports (Included in AIC)
iv. One sport-specific course of your choice (included in AIC)
v. Creating a Safe and Respectful Environment
vi. Strength and Conditioning
vii. Teaching and Modeling Behavior
viii. Engaging Effectively with Parents
ix. Sports Nutrition
x. Heat Illness Prevention

***Internship: 30 hour minimum. Includes; Internship Evaluation Form completed (Kept at local level) and Coaching Internship Attestation (Sent to SED).

Note: If using Option II -NFHS certification for additional specific sport certificates, the evaluator must submit directly to the Office of Teaching Initiatives, the Coaching Internship Attestation form for the sport and the NFHS Sport Specific course completed.