

USA CURLING

INSTRUCTOR REGISTRATION/CERTIFICATION CRITERIA

LEVEL I - Club Instructors

TO REGISTER:

- Attend Level I Instructor's Clinic.
- Pass written test at 80% or higher.
- Be able to teach beginning curlers using USA Curling approved fundamentals and presentation techniques.

TO BECOME CERTIFIED:

- Teach a minimum of four new curlers within a 12-month period.

TO MAINTAIN CERTIFICATION:

- Stay current with the prescribed USA Curling instructional methods and presentation techniques and remain active as an instructor.

LEVEL II - Advanced Instructors & Competitive Coaches

TO REGISTER:

- Attend Level II Instructor's Clinic.
- Pass written test at 80% or higher
- Be able to instruct intermediate and advanced curlers using USA Curling approved fundamentals and presentation techniques and be familiar with all aspects of video analysis.

TO BECOME CERTIFIED:

- Be a presenter at a Level I Instructor's Clinic.
- Work with a minimum of four intermediate and/or advanced curlers concerning the technical aspects of his/her delivery.

TO MAINTAIN CERTIFICATION:

- Stay current with the prescribed USA Curling instructional methods and presentation techniques and remain active as an instructor.

LEVEL III - State, Regional, & National Course Conductors

TO BECOME CERTIFIED:

- Instruct actively for five continuous years at the state, regional, or national level.
- Serve as the lead instructor at a state, regional or national Level II Instructor's Clinic.
- Be thoroughly familiar with and teach according to USA Curling approved fundamentals and presentation techniques.
- Demonstrate the ability to give presentations on USA Curling programs.
- Have strong interpersonal skills.

TO MAINTAIN CERTIFICATION:

- Stay current with the prescribed USA Curling instructional methods and presentation techniques.
- Be active as the lead instructor at USA Curling instructional clinics and/or camps.
- Reapply for continuing Level III certification every five years and provide evidence of the following:
 - Clinics and/or camps where you served as the lead instructor.
 - Provide documentation of positive evaluations from attendees at past clinics and/or camps.

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