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Understanding the National Coaching Certification Program (NCCP)

Module 2

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des entraîneurs

**National
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About the NCCP

- The NCCP is a coach training and certification program for 66 different sports, offered in English and French across the country
- NCCP workshops are designed to meet the needs of all types of coaches, from the first-time coach to the head coach of a national team.



About the NCCP cont...

- The NCCP is the recognized national standard for coach training and certification in Canada.
- As part of the program, all coaches are trained in ethical decision-making and sport safety.



Out with the Old...

- Level 1, 2, 3, 4/5 – Technical, Theory and Practical are being re-vamped...
- Since 1997, the emphasis of the NCCP has been on developing competent coaches, helping them to become more effective and have a more meaningful impact on an athlete's experience
- A shift in emphasis from “what a coach knows” to “what a coach can do”.



NCCP's New Model

	Coaching Streams		
Coaching Context	Community Sport	Competition	Instruction
	Initiation	Introduction	Beginners
	Ongoing	Development	Intermediate
	-	High Performance	Advanced



The CCA have chosen to develop two Coaching Streams:

	Coaching Streams	
	Community	Competition
Coaching Context	<i>Initiation</i> “Club Coach – Youth”	<i>Introduction</i> “Competition Coach” *You are Here*
	<i>Ongoing</i> “Club Coach”	<i>Development</i> “High Performance Coach”
	-	<i>High Performance</i> Yet to be Named



Stages of Training and Certification

A coach is described as:

- **“In Training”** – when a coach has completed some of the required training for a context;
- **“Trained”** – when a coach has completed all required training for a context;
- **“Certified”** – when a coach has completed all evaluation requirements for a context.



Community Sport Stream

Enter Community
Sport Stream Here

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Sport Stream Here

Club Coach Youth

- One day workshop
- “Trained Youth Club Coach”



Club Coach

- Two day workshop
- “Trained Club Coach”

“Club Coach – Youth” and “Club Coach” Contexts do not require evaluation.



Club Coach - Youth

A Youth Club Coach is able to:

- Prepare a safe environment
- Make ethical decisions
- Lead curlers in activities which are age suitable and technically correct for youth curlers
- Manage youth club programs
- Demonstrate correct coaching behaviours





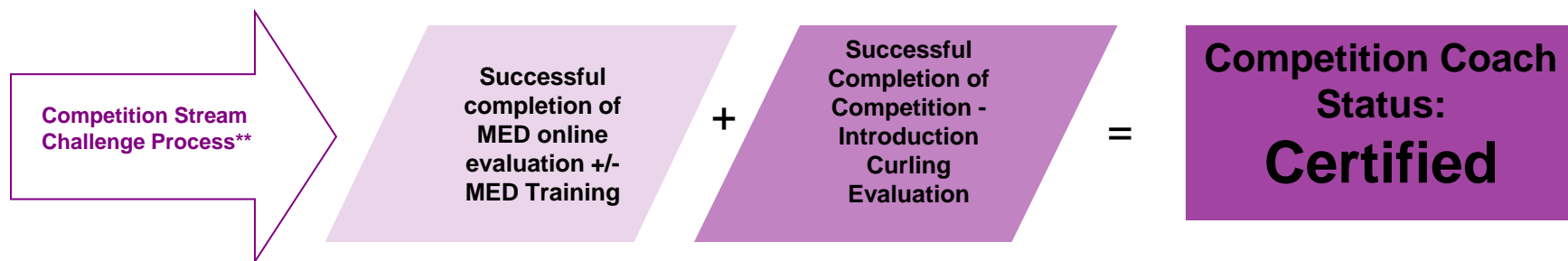
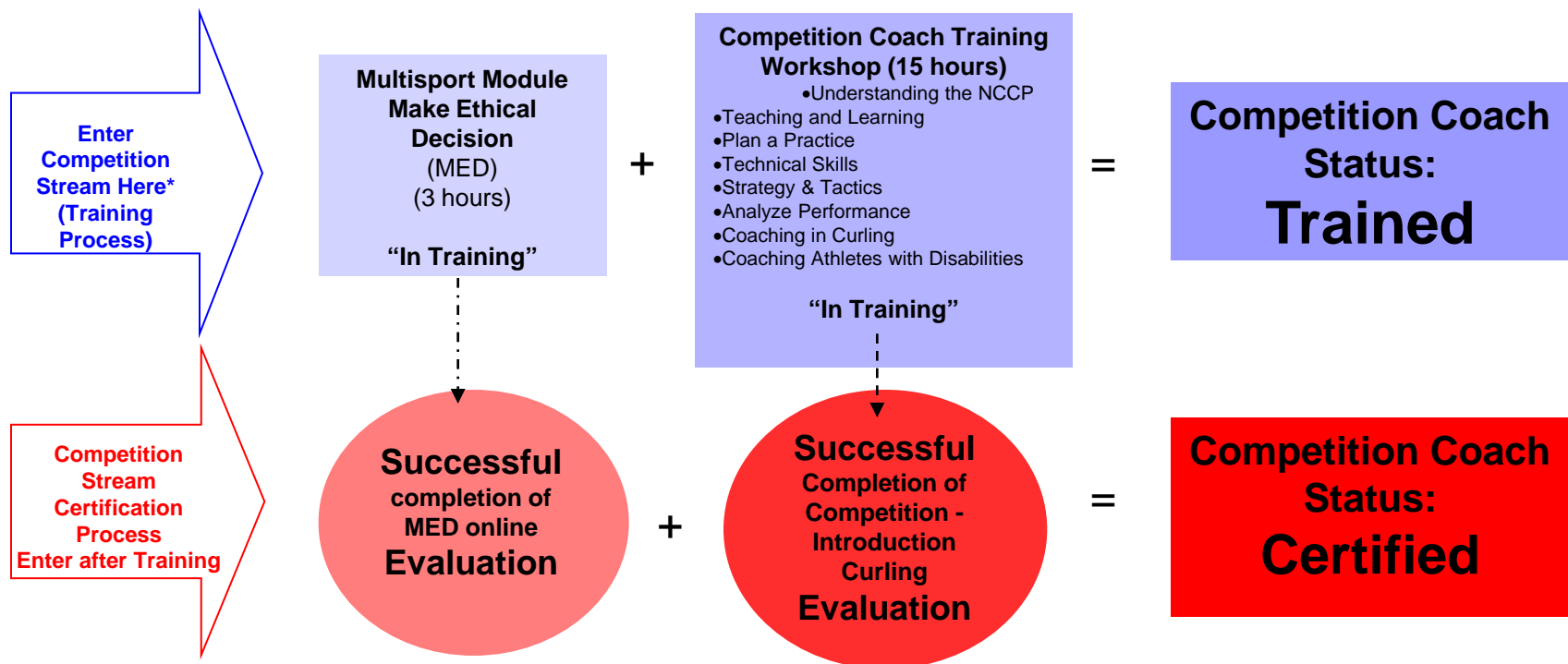
Club Coach



The Club Coach is able to:

- Plan and design a clinic
- Make ethical decisions
- Teach correct curling skills
- Analyze and Correct Curling Skills
- Ensure a safe coaching environment
- Plan, manage and design a curling program.

Coach Pathway for Competition-Introduction Context for the Sport of Curling – “Competition Coach”



* No prerequisites required to enter Competition Stream. ** Coach Training highly recommended by not required.



Competition Stream

- The primary difference between the Community Sport Stream and the Competition Stream is evaluation.
- In order for a coach to be deemed “certified” the coach must undergo a mandatory evaluation
- Coaches can begin their training in the Competition Stream (i.e. Community Stream is not a prerequisite), however coaches need to have a good understanding of the game and technical skills.



Competition Coach

The Competition Coach will learn the following from the perspective of working with intermediate to advanced skilled teams:

- Teaching & Learning Strategies
- Strategy & Tactics
- Delivery and Brushing Skills
- Skill Analysis
- Practice Planning, including Safety and EAP (Emergency Action Plan)
- Drills to Correct



Competition Coach

To Become a Certified “Competition Coach”

Competition Coach Training (2 day workshop)

+

Make Ethical Decisions Module Training
(Multisport Stream) (3 hours)

+

Make Ethical Decisions On-line Evaluation

+

Portfolio Submission/In Person or Video Evaluation

= Certified “Competition Coach”



Evaluation Logistics

- All evaluation logistics will be discussed at the completion of this workshop.