

WIAA COACHING STANDARDS



If you have questions

- *Use the back of your handout to jot down questions you may have, we will have an opportunity at the end of the presentation to answer those questions that remain unanswered at that time.*

The history of Coaching Standards Implementation

- *Coaches Standards study committee formed in 1986—all areas represented*
- *State Board of Education adopted resolution for coaching standards in 1990*
- *Implementation date was set for 1994-95*

More History

- *May 1994 State Board of Education endorsed the WIAA Coaching Standards*
- *1994-95 Coaching Standards placed in the WIAA Handbook.*
- *December 1999 WIAA Executive Board sets compliance timeline*

When did monitoring begin?

- *Beginning with the 2001-2002 school year the WIAA began monitor each school for compliance with the WIAA Coaching Standards.*

Who will does monitoring process?

- *The Six WIAA regional coordinators are responsible for providing education and monitoring compliance in their respective geographic areas.*

Who are the Regional Facilitators?

- *Jan Truant*
- *Tom Doyle*
- *Pat Hoonan*
- *Pat Alexander*
- *Jim Brucker*
- *Joe Richer*

What is the standard of compliance?

- *Compliance is 80% or more of a school's coaches meeting WIAA Coaching Standards*
- *A plan to meet 100% compliance will be submitted by the school.*

**What
happens to a
school out of
compliance?**

First Year of Non-Compliance

- *The first year of non compliance, a school is placed on probation for one year and a letter sent to the school's Superintendent, Principal, and Athletic Director.*

Second Year of non-compliance

*The leagues/WIAA District's, and
WIAA Executive Board action could
include:*

*School placed on probation,
mandatory school meeting, required
attendance at WIAA Coaches School
or completion of the NFHS Coaching
Principles Course.*

Third year of non-compliance

***The leagues/WIAA District's, and
WIAA Executive Board action could
include:***

***Loss of right to participate in post
season play the third year of non-
compliance***

Do You have any
Questions at this time?



WHAT ARE THE WIAA COACHING STANDARDS



What steps are required to be a coach:

- *Coaches must be District Employees*
- *Volunteer coaches must be a registered volunteer with the District*
- *For Initial employment a coach must:*
 - **Hold a valid current First Aid Certification**
 - **Hold a valid current CPR Certification**
 - **Red Cross Safety Training or lifeguard certification for all swimming/diving coaches**

Additional steps required to be a coach:

- *WSP Criminal History Information form on file*
- *SPI Moral Character Supplement Form completed*
- *High School graduate:*
 - Head Coach at least 21 years of age**
 - Assistant coach—at least 19 years of age**
- *Head coach High School—annually attend a WIAA approved rules clinic in sport being coached*

ENTRY LEVEL COACH

- *During the first two years of coaching*
- *District Employee or registered volunteer*
- *First Aid/CPR Certification*
- *Work towards Beginning level of WIAA Coaches Standards*

Beginning Level Coaches

- *FOUR ways to reach beginning level:*
 1. *Complete 30 hours of coaching education courses.*
 2. *Attend the WIAA Coaches School*
 3. *Complete the NFHS Coaching Fundamentals Course*
 4. *Complete the ASEP Coaching Principles Course*

What is required after meeting the beginning coach requirements?

- ***EFFECTIVE September 2005 for ALL PAID COACHES:***
- ***15 coaches education hours during the next 3 year period of coaching***
- ***After the additional 15 coaches education hours the coach will advance to the Continuous Training level.***

The Continuous Training Standard

- *All paid coaches, after completing the beginning level of coaches certification, must during each subsequent three-year period of coaching, obtain a minimum of 15 hours of coaches education courses.*
- ***Volunteer coaches do not have a continuous training requirement***

WHAT DO I DO IF I HAVE FAILED TO MEET THE CONTINUOUS TRAINING LEVEL IN THE PAST 3 YEARS?

- *A coach who has failed to meet the continuous training level the previous 3 years would need to get 15 hours of coaches education training prior to coaching during the current year.*

PE or Coaching major or minor?

- *Physical Education major/minor or coaching major/minor will be considered to have met the WIAA **beginning level** of coaching standards.*

GRAND-FATHERED AT THE BEGINNING LEVEL COACH

- *5 OF 7 YEARS COACHING PRIOR TO 94-95*
- *CHEER—96-97*
- *DANCE-DRILL—98-99*
- *A coach who has been grand-fathered will be considered to have completed the **Beginning Coach level** and will be placed at the continuous training level of the WIAA coaching standards.*

What are the five Coaching Standards Categories?

- **Medical Aspects of Coaching—
Health and Welfare**
- **Legal Aspects of Coaching—
Litigation, Liability**
- **Psycho/Social Foundations**
- **Coaching Techniques**
- **Philosophy/Sport
Management/Pedagogy**

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COACHES STANDARDS RECORD KEEPING

- *It is the responsibility of each coach to maintain records and materials for coaches certification. Give copies of everything to your athletic director for inclusion in your coaches education file*

WHAT ARE NON CLOCK HOUR (NC) OPTIONS

- *The following areas earn coaching education credit without taking clock hours:*

NON CLOCK HOUR (NC) OPTIONS

- *First aid certification*
- *CPR certification*
- *Type II drivers training*
- *HIV training*
- *Harassment training*
- *Sports rules clinics (2 hours each clinic)*
- *Verification of attendance at non-clock hour course or clinic accepted by your school district.*

POTENTIAL COACHES EDUCATION AREA'S COMMONLY MISSED:

- *School pre-season coaches meetings*
- *League pre/post season coaches meetings*
- *School parent night and pre-season programs*
- *Sports specific clinics (Pemco, Nike, Baden etc..)*

What qualifies for Clock Hours?

- *Courses must be a minimum of three hours, can be offered on multiple days/nights.*
- *WIAA clock hour approval can be obtained up to 2 weeks before the event.*
- *Courses cover one or more of the coaching education categories.*
- *Your handout has sample course offers.*

TRACKING NON-CLOCK HOUR (NC) TRAINING:

- **Copy of your first aid card - number of hours of training**
- **Copy of your CPR card—number of hours of training**
- **Type II drivers training—copy of card and number of hours of training**
- **HIV training—copy of card/letter of completion and hours of training**

MORE TRACKING NON- CLOCK HOUR (NC) TRAINING

- *Harassment training—copy of card/letter of completion and hours of training*
- *WIAA sports rules clinics—copy of attendance form*
- *Copy of course or clinic schedule and outline with number of hours*

TRACKING CLOCK HOUR TRAINING

- *Copy of the clock hour in-service registration form (form 1125)*

TRACKING COLLEGE CREDITS

- *Copy of transcript*
 - 1 quarter credit equals 10 hours*
 - 1 semester credit equals 15 hours*

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*The WIAA will no longer
furnish transcripts effective
with the 2002-2003 school
year.*

Sample Tracking Form

COACHES STANDARDS SUMMARY SHEET

Name _____

COACHING HISTORY

SEASON	SPORT	HIGH SCHOOL OR MIDDLE SCHOOL	HEAD OR ASSISTANT

COACHING EDUCATION

DATE	COURSE	CATEGORY (OPTIONAL)	HOURS	RUNNING TOTAL OF COACHES STANDARDS HOURS

NC—NON CLOCK HOUR COURSES

Coaching History

COACHES STANDARDS SUMMARY SHEET

Name _____ JOE OR JANE COACH _____

COACHING HISTORY

SEASON	SPORT	HIGH SCHOOL OR MIDDLE SCHOOL	HEAD OR ASSISTANT
Fall 1997	Cross Country	HS	Assistant
Spring 1998	Track	MS	Head
Fall 1998	Cross Country	HS	Assistant
Spring 1998	Track	MS	Head
Fall 1999	Cross Country	HS	Assistant
Spring 1999	Track	HS	Assistant
Fall 2000	Cross Country	HS	Assistant

Coaching Education

COACHING EDUCATION

DATE	COURSE	CATEGORY (OPTIONAL)	HOURS	RUNNING TOTAL OF COACHES STANDARDS HOURS	
8/97	First Aid/CPR Training	1	8	8	
3/98	Track Rules Clinic	5	2-NC	10	
8/98	CPR Renewal	1	2-NC	12	
3/99	Track Rules Clinic	5	2-NC	14	
8/99	WIAA Coaches School	1,2,3,4,5	18	32	
9/99	CPR Renewal	1	2-NC	34	2
2/00	PEMCO Clinic	3,4,5	12	46	14
3/00	Track Rules Clinic	5	2-NC	48	16
8/00	First Aid/CPR Renewal	1	4	52	20
8/00	Pre-Season Coaches Meeting	2, 5	3	55	23

NC—NON CLOCK HOUR COURSES

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Do You have any
Final Questions?



NFHS Coaching Fundamentals Course

- *Cost: \$35.00*
- *Available online at www.nfhslearn.com, link on WIAA Website*
- *Also available in 2008 in a blended version: Chapters 1-2, face to face, and chapters 3-4-5 online.*

Thank You

