

2022 SAAA Coach Certification Requirements

It is the coaches responsibility to keep their certifications current with the Admin Secretary. All certifications for this season need to be submitted by June 1st. Individuals without proper certification are not considered to be SAAA coaches and will not be allowed behind the blocks at Invitationals or Championships.

New this year: Our insurance provider is now requiring ALL coaches to submit a signed Abuse/Misconduct form.

Required Certifications: Coaches may provide

- A copy of their current USA Swimming Coach ID Card
 - Screenshot of their coach membership card (with expiration dates) through Deckpass
 - OR they need to provide all of the following...
1. Current CPR/AED Certification. Courses must be from the approved list on the USA Swimming website ([here](#)).
 2. Current Safety Training for Swim Coaches Online Component certificate of completion
 3. Current Safety Training for Swim Coaches in-water component certificate of completion OR current lifeguard certification. Lifeguard certifications must be from the approved list on the USA Swimming website.
 4. A background check from a reputable source. Coaches that are 17&U do not need a background check.