



**Objective:**

To define what a coach must agree to when accepting a head coaching position with the NCHA.

**Accountabilities:**

The NCHA Board will require all head coaches to agree to participate with the development and organization of each of their teams and divisions. NCHA is looking to improve the communication, team work and development from the Board to the coaching staff.

- ✓ Commit to 15 players and 2 goalies.
- ✓ Commit to NCHA standardized tryout – “cut” and “selected” procedures.
- ✓ Commit to NCHA Player development, as per Hockey Canada LTPD model – specialty skills training \$50 / player
- ✓ Commit to working with the assigned Instructor/Mentor for the division including dedicated Player Development sessions.
- ✓ Commit to the use of “19 at Large” Affiliation
- ✓ Commit to the Affiliation Policy for practices and games.
- ✓ Commit to working with all coaches in your division.
- ✓ Commit to attending, or send at least one coaching representative, to all Coaches meetings throughout the year.
- ✓ Commit to abide by all Hockey Canada, OHF, NOHA, NCHA rules, policies and regulations, including maintaining required certifications and courses for age and division coaching.
- ✓ Commit to following “Coach Reimbursement Policy”
- ✓ Dry land training will be left to the discretion of the coach and team.
- ✓ Commit (if applicable) to Off-ice testing protocol – NOHA / Hockey Canada

Coach\_\_\_\_\_

Convener\_\_\_\_\_

Board Member\_\_\_\_\_