



**NEW
ENGLAND
SWIMMING**

MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS FOR NON- ATHLETES

For Everyone:

Create a deck pass using this link [Create a DECK PASS account](#)

Set up your account now to check your stats, progress, team information and to print a membership card.

Get the Deck Pass Plus App

Use this on your phone to keep track of your certifications, expirations, team information and to gain access on deck at meets

<https://www.usaswimming.org/news-landing-page/2017/02/07/deck-pass-mobile>

COACHES:

BACKGROUND CHECKS:

Online at the USA Swimming website [usaswimming.org/background-checks](https://www.usaswimming.org/background-checks)

Renewal every two years from date taken

Auto-matches to member's membership record

Do not send proof of this requirement

ATHLETE PROTECTION TRAINING:

Online at the USA Swimming website [usaswimming.org/utility/landing-pages/safe-sport/apt](https://www.usaswimming.org/utility/landing-pages/safe-sport/apt)

Annual renewal from date taken

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COACHES ADVANTAGE TRAINING (USADA Coaching Advantage Tutorial (CAT) Course):

[Online at the USA Swimming website](#)

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CONCUSSION PROTOCOL TRAINING:

Online at the following websites:

[Center for Disease Control and Prevention \(CDC\)](#)

[National Federation of State High School Associations \(NFHS\)](#)

The certificate of completion must be sent to the LSC Registrar to record on the member's record

One-time only certification, no renewal period

FOUNDATIONS OF COACHING 101:

[Online at the USA Swimming website](#)

Required for a first-year coach when registering in order to satisfy coach requirements.

Auto-match to member's membership record but save your certificate.

One-time only certification no renewal period

FOUNDATIONS OF COACHING 201 and FOUNDATIONS RULES AND REGULATIONS:

[Online at the USA Swimming website](#)

Both must be completed by a first-year coach upon renewing for their second registration year.

Auto-match to member's membership record

One-time only certification no renewal period

SAFETY REQUIREMENTS:

[USA Swimming list of accepted courses](#)

Current CPR

Current Safety Training for Swim Coaches In-Water Skills

Current Safety Training for Swim Coaches On- Line Content Only

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Renewals will vary dependent upon the third party's certification expiration date

JR COACHES AGES 16 AND 17 ONLY:

All of the above excluding the Background Screen.

OFFICIALS (EXCLUSIVE OF OFFICIALS CERTIFICATION):**BACKGROUND CHECKS:**

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OTHERS:

This category pertains to the following:

- ❖ Meet Directors
- ❖ Chaperones
- ❖ Club Registrars
- ❖ Board Members who have the most consistent contact with athletes as dictated by their position and/or by board determination

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