



**USA SWIMMING**  
**2019 APPRENTICE OFFICIAL APPLICATION**  
**LSC:**

**INITIAL TRAINING**  
**SESSION DATE:**

PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY  COMPLETE ALL INFORMATION TO ENSURE THAT CONTACT INFORMATION IS CORRECT AND UP TO DATE:

LAST NAME	LEGAL FIRST NAME	MIDDLE NAME
<input style="width:100%; height:20px;" type="text"/>	<input style="width:100%; height:20px;" type="text"/>	<input style="width:100%; height:20px;" type="text"/>

Have you ever been a member of USA Swimming under a different last name? If yes, please provide that name: \_\_\_\_\_

Previously registered with USA Swimming?  Yes  No If registered in a different LSC, which LSC: \_\_\_\_\_

PREFERRED NAME	DATE OF BIRTH (MO/DAY/YR)	SEX (M/F)	CLUB CODE	CLUB NAME
<input style="width:100%; height:20px;" type="text"/>	<input style="width:100%; height:20px;" type="text"/>	<input style="width:100%; height:20px;" type="text"/>	<input style="width:100%; height:20px;" type="text"/>	<input style="width:100%; height:20px;" type="text"/>

(Bill, Beth, Scooter, Liz, Bobby)

If not affiliated with a club, enter "Unattached"

MAILING ADDRESS

CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
<input style="width:100%; height:20px;" type="text"/>	<input style="width:100%; height:20px;" type="text"/>	<input style="width:100%; height:20px;" type="text"/>

AREA CODE	TELEPHONE NO.	AREA CODE	TELEPHONE NO.	E-MAIL ADDRESS
HOME <input style="width:100%; height:20px;" type="text"/>	<input style="width:100%; height:20px;" type="text"/>	MOBILE <input style="width:100%; height:20px;" type="text"/>	<input style="width:100%; height:20px;" type="text"/>	<input style="width:100%; height:20px;" type="text"/>

**THIS APPRENTICE OFFICIAL STATUS EXPIRES 60 DAYS FROM THE DATE OF THE INITIAL TRAINING SESSION. CONTACT YOUR LSC OFFICIALS CHAIR FOR FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS.**

**MAIL OR EMAIL APPLICATION TO:**

**LSC OFFICIALS COMMITTEE:**

*Florida Swimming, Inc.*  
 214 E. Washington St., Suite B  
 Minneola, FL 34715  
[FLSOffice2@aol.com](mailto:FLSOffice2@aol.com)

*Florida Swimming Officials Committee Contact Info:*  
 Chair: Roger Deary - [dearyr@comcast.net](mailto:dearyr@comcast.net)  
 or  
 Vice-Chair: Cary Showalter - [cshowalter@showtechsolutions.com](mailto:cshowalter@showtechsolutions.com)

Prior to Beginning to Apprentice as Stroke & Turn or Administrative Official:

1. Attend a clinic conducted by a Certified Clinic Instructor (CCI)
2. Create a User Account on the USA Swimming website and Take and Pass (80% score) the online exam
3. Complete and submit this form prior to Apprenticeship on deck. Keep a copy for your records. This form should be given either to the Clinic Instructor at the time of the clinic or to the Meet Referee prior to your first apprenticeship session at a meet.

***Apprenticeship cannot begin until this form is submitted.***

Requirements for Certification as Stroke & Turn or Administrative Officials:

1. Once the Apprenticeship period is complete or prior to the 60-day grace period for USA Swimming Membership for apprentice officials has expired, you will need to submit a new Non-Athlete Membership Application along with the appropriate fee to the Florida Swimming Registrar whose contact information is listed on the form. Apprentice Officials cannot work on deck if the temporary status expires (after 60 days) as they will not be insured. The Non Athlete Membership Application and fee must be submitted to Florida Swimming in order to continue working on the pool deck.
2. Submit and pay for the Level 2 Background Check, which can be found on the USA Swimming website:  
 (<http://www.usaswimming.org/DesktopDefault.aspx?TabId=1678&Alias=Rainbow&Lang=en-US>)
3. View and answer questions for the Athlete Protection Training program, found on the USA Swimming website:  
 (<https://www.usaswimming.org/DesktopDefault.aspx?TabId=2193&Alias=Rainbow&Lang=en>).

Following these steps above will allow your Apprenticeship period to be extended once all the clearances have been completed and you have received a new membership card

If your Apprenticeship is completed during the 60-day Membership grace period, you must complete Steps 4-6, as well as submit your Apprenticeship Log to your Area Representative. In return you will receive a USA Swimming Registration Membership card and a Florida Swimming Officials Certification card, both of which will allow you to volunteer as a certified official.

AREA REP	<input style="width:100%; height:20px;" type="text"/>	AREA REP EMAIL	<input style="width:100%; height:20px;" type="text"/>
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**Questions? Please ask your clinic instructor or Area Representative. Thank you for volunteering.**