FOOTBALL-TACKLE

The Ontario Physical Education Safety Guideline for Football - Tackle – Secondary Interschool
http://safety.ophea.net/safety-plan/165/1403
Supervision Coaching Qualifications effective September 1, 2016:
Head coach must demonstrate knowledge of sport, skills and strategies to principal or designate.

One member of the coaching staff must be trained or certified in the **NCCP Safe Contact** module every 5 years (starting Sept 2016).

Register Here: http://ontariofootball.ca/page.php?page_id=59434 Cost: $75 (member) or $150 (non-members) Contact: Chris Patton technical@ontariofootballalliance.ca	1 day clinic where coaches receive 6 hours in class Safe Contact training and then 2 hours on field training.

One member of the coaching staff must be knowledgeable of the Ontario Physical Education Safety Guidelines concussion protocol. Each member of the coaching staff must have qualifications which are derived from **at least one** of the following:

- **NCCP Community Sport Coach – Novice Coach Course**
- **Trained in any of the NCCP Football Courses - Positional Coach, Coordinator, Head Coach**
- Coaches that have in the past completed a level 1, 2, 3 or 4 certification (Football Canada will have transferred these designations into the current NCCP designations).
- Attendance at a tackle football clinic or workshop, provided by an instructor who is knowledgeable of the activity and where safety is addressed, within the last five years) that is recognized as NCCP Professional Development.
- Accreditation as a NCCP Learning Facilitator for Football
- Past experience within the last 3 years as a coach in tackle football, having knowledge of the activity (e.g., appropriate skills and progressions) and current safety practices as outlined in the Ontario Physical Education Safety Guidelines.

How to access the NCCP Courses for Football:

NCCP Community Sport Coach – Novice Coach Course Register here: http://ontariofootball.ca/page.php?page_id=59434 Cost: ~$50-75 Contact: Chris Patton technical@ontariofootballalliance.ca	Community Sport – Novice Coach – Age 6-12 – "Trained" status upon completion. Transitioning to be an online E-learning course. Coaches will receive a manual in the mail. Currently this program is a one day clinic to become a "Trained" Novice Coach. Online - $39.99
Trained in <u>any</u> of the NCCP Football Courses - Positional Coach, Coordinator, Head Coach; Register here: http://ontariofootball.ca/page.php?page_id=59434 Cost: ~$200-$250 Contact: Chris Patton technical@ontariofootballalliance.ca	Competition Introduction Workshops- Age 13-18 – 2 day clinics. "Trained" status upon completion of course work. "Certified" status upon completion of post clinic on-site evaluation. **<u>Position Workshop</u>** - Coaches are trained in 5 modules: Make Ethical Decisions, Planning a Practice, Teaching & Learning, Analyze Performance, and Position Skills. Coaches will receive 3 hours of training in a position of their choice. **<u>Coordinator Workshop</u>** - Coaches are trained in 5 modules: Mentor Skills, Mental Skill, Role of the Coordinator, Nutrition and Systems. Coaches must have finished at least 2 position skill modules on the same side of ball to be eligible to take this course. **<u>Head Coach Workshop</u>** - Coaches are trained in 4 modules: Role the Head Coach, Evaluator, Design a Yearly Training Plan, and Managing a Football Program. Coaches must have finished 4 position skill modules and 2 systems, one of which is special teams to be eligible to take this course.

FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

- Grants are available to pay a portion of NCCP courses through the Quest for Gold Coach Bursary program. https://www.coachesontario.ca/q4g/bursary-program/ or email q4g@coachesontario.ca
- Host your own course - Apply for Investors Group Coaching Grants to pay for a NCCP workshop at your school or board. http://www.coach.ca/investors-group-community-coaching-conferences-s12763

<u>Useful Links:</u>
Need more information? Email guidelines@coachesontario.ca to help navigate the NCCP coaching qualifications, as well as find additional ways to achieve the coaching qualifications (e.g.- direct to evaluation option, etc.).

- Ontario Football Alliance http://ontariofootball.ca/page.php?page_id=59443#S0ZtogqWz4Cx21UX.99
- Football Canada http://footballcanada.com/coach-training/
- Coaches Association of Ontario https://www.coachesontario.ca/
- OFSAA http://www.ofsaa.on.ca/
- Coaching Association of Canada http://coach.ca/
- Ontario Physical Education Safety Guidelines http://safety.ophea.net