

Coaching Education Program -- Required Levels  
 USA Hockey requires that the following set of coaching education levels must be the minimum criteria. It must be clearly understood that coaching education requirements must be monitored and enforced by the districts or affiliates. All coaches (head and assistant) must have their USA Hockey Coaching Education Program card by December 31 of the calendar year.

<u>Level of Play</u>	<u>Coaching Education Program Level</u>
Mites (All 8 and under programs)	Level 1
Squirts	Level 2(Prerequisite Level 1)
Pee Wees	Level 3(Prerequisite Level 1 and 2)
Bantams	Level 3(Prerequisite Level 1 and 2)
Midgets	Level 3(Prerequisite Level 1 and 2)
Midgets Tier I and Tier II(National Tournament Bound)	Level 4(Prerequisite Level 1, 2 and 3)
High School	Level 3(Prerequisite Level 1 and 2)
Junior C	Level 3(Prerequisite Level 1 and 2)
Junior A & B	Level 4(Per individual league guidelines)
Girls/Women 10 & Under	Level 1
Girls/Women 12 & Under	Level 2(Prerequisite Level 1)
Girls/Women 15 & Under	Level 3(Prerequisite Level 1 and 2)
Girls/Women 19 & Under	Level 3(Prerequisite Level 1 and 2)