



JUDGES HANDBOOK

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CHEER CANADA REQUIREMENTS

- Be 18+
- Be a resident of Canada
- Have 2 years of experience as a coach or an athlete*
- Have completed the judge training program in their province/territory of residence
- Have completed a minimum of 5 hours of shadowing/mentorship in their province, or have judge more than 30 hours in the past 2 years **
- Have a judge membership with your province and Cheer Canada through Activity Messenger
- Have completed a background check
- Have passed the Cheer Canada exams in the category they want to judge
- Have completed the NCCP Safe Sport training
- Have completed the NCCP Making Ethical Decision training

* or have judged more than 30 hours in the past 2 years

Background Check

You may complete paperwork for a criminal record check through your local police station, or alternatively, use Sterling Backcheck for \$30.

Complete your check online today through: [Sterling Backcheck](#).

Results are typically available in one business day, and identity verification can be done online or at your local Canada post location.



NCCP COURSES

You will need an online account through NCCP to complete courses. Create your free account at <https://thelocker.coach.ca/home>.

Once you have created an account, you will receive an NCCP#. This number is unique to you and your training.

Required courses are:

- NCCP Safe Sport Training (free online)
- NCCP Make Ethical Decisions (offered through ViaSport online)

REGISTRATION PLATFORM

You must register as a judge with the Provincial Sport Organization, and National Sport Organization.

The current registration platform is Activity Messenger.

If you are affiliated with a program, please Add the Judges membership to your existing membership (i.e. Athlete or Coach).

If you are not affiliated with any program this season, you will need to register and self-pay. Please send an email to info@bcsportcheer.ca to ask for the link to register as an Unaffiliated Member.

1. You will need to sign up and pay for your membership.
2. You will be sent an email with a link to a waiver
3. You will be sent an email with a link to a form to upload your judges requirements. Please have the following ready:
 - a. Your Criminal Record Check from the past 2 years
 - b. Your NCCP Transcript with proof of completion of Safe Sport and Make Ethical Decisions
 - c. Your Judges Exam Certificates
 - d. Proof of Judges Training Program
 - e. Level of Experience
4. Click Submit
5. BCSC will review for approval. Once approved, you will receive an email with instructions on how to view your membership card.

RESOURCES

CHEER CANADA WEBSITE

- [Officials Page](#)
- [All Star Score Sheets](#)
- [Scholastic Score Sheets](#)
- [Cheer Abilities Score Sheets](#)
- [Performance Score Sheets](#)
- [Cheer Canada Officials Committee](#)

BC SPORT CHEER WEBSITE

- [Judges Page](#)
- [Policies](#)

IASF WEBSITE

- [Officials Page](#)

ICU WEBSITE

- [Judges Education](#)