

Ohio Region Quick Guide to Evaluator and Instructor Requirements

Following are defined Division Requirements, with Ohio Region practices noted where there are differences. This guide can be made available to any candidate, instructor, trainer, or evaluator in order to provide consistent information across the Region.

SKI/RIDE REQUIREMENTS

1 Ohio Region Senior Ski/Ride Candidate - Skills Sign Off Requirements:

- a. Candidates are responsible for their own training and tracking of progress.
- b. Central Division has provided a template for this tracking
- c. Alpine skiing/boarding skills must be signed off by a current Senior Ski/Ride Evaluator (see above on maintaining certification).
- d. Ohio Region requires two sign offs for Ski/Ride Skills to be presented before testing. Time requirement before testing is commonly 2 weeks, but this may be reduced at the discretion of Senior Program Administrator due to weather delays or other factors.

2 Ohio Region Ski/Ride Instructor:

- a. PSIA Level 2 or above for each discipline instructed. (Division requires higher level 2 and above)
- b. Senior Alpine Patrollers are preferred, Senior Patrollers allowed
- c. Active in local training and evaluating as a prerequisite
- d. Of high character and discipline, interested in contributing to the development of other patrollers participation and leadership growth in NSP.
- e. Pathway: Submit a completed application to the snowsports advisor for consideration. This applicant must shadow at least 1 time under a lead NSP-C instructor. The applicant must demonstrate knowledge, demo skills, teaching skills and people skills. The lead instructor will evaluate these on the application & give feedback and a final evaluation. The application should be returned to the Snow Sports Advisor.
- f. Ongoing: Instructors are expected to remain active at a region level, not just local, and to stay current with alpine skills team objectives. If inactive for three or more years, need to mentor again before resuming full assignments.

3 Ohio Region Senior Ski/Ride Evaluator –

- a. Be active as a local trainer and participate at a region level (Region STW attendance)
- b. PSIA Level 2 or 3
- c. Successful completion of Division ASDW Ski/Ride Evaluator Calibration
- d. Mentor/shadow successfully – Ohio Region requires mentoring for two tests which can be within the same year.
- e. Then: active participation and calibration via a region or division ASDW within every 3 year cycle. If lapsed, must test at division again (1C)
- f. Ohio Region does not accept the ASE (Accredited Senior Evaluator) option to PSIA.
- g. Senior Ski/Ride Calibrator – (leads any region ASDW) must attend Division ASDW Calibrator session in same year that they lead region event.

REFERENCE DOCS:

Senior On-Hill Evaluator Roles and Pathways – Division Senior program reference
Appendix II Senior Alpine Candidate Skills Sign Off, CD Senior Manual 8th Edition
Ohio Region Instructor Staff Qualifications and Pathway, Central Division Qual & Pathway
Ohio Region Mentoring report form

NSP-C Application & Instructor Observation Form

Program Name: _____ NSP-C Ski/Ride		_____ Sr Ski/Ride Evaluator		Application Date:	
Applicant Name		NSP #	Division	Region	Patrol
			CENTRAL	OHIO	
Address			City	State	Zip Code
Email		Home Phone	Cell Phone	ID Class Date	ID Class #
					#
PSIA/AASI#	LEVEL	Ski/Bd/Tel	NSP-C Member?		Email
			YES	NO	
Certification				Successful	Unsuccessful
Date:		LEVEL 2	LOCATION :		
Date:		LEVEL 3	LOCATION :		
TEACHING EXPERIENCE					
Date:		Teaching Experience:	Date:		Teaching Experience:
SHADOWING to be completed by the Lead Instructor/Evaluator					
NSP-C Instructor		NSP #	Phone	Email	
SES/STA/SR Test LOCATION:		PSIA/AASI #		PSIA/AASI Level :	
NSP-C INSTRUCTOR ASSESSMENT				Met Expectations	Did Not Meet Expectations
Comments:					
	Knowledge/MA			+ =	-
	Demo Skills			+ =	-
	Teaching Skills			+ =	-
	<i>Communication</i>			+ =	-
	<i>Safety Awareness</i>			+ =	-
	<i>Leadership</i>			+ =	-
	People Skills			+ =	-
	Evaluation Skills			+ =	-
	OVERALL COMMENTS			+ =	-
I support this candidate's appointment as an instructor for the Ohio Region NSP-C ski school or Sr. Ski/Ride Evaluator.		YES	NO	Signature:	
Date:		NSP-C Supervisor Signature:			

RETURN TO: Ohio Region NSP-C Advisor skischool@ohionsp.org

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*The back of this form may be used for additional comments.