

## **INFORMATION BULLETIN**

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- To: League Executives Team Executives Coaches
- From: Drew Dixon Manager, Coach Development

## SUBJECT: 2016 NCCP HIGH PERFORMANCE 1 SEMINAR – CAMROSE, AB

Hockey Alberta will be hosting the 2016 NCCP High Performance 1 Seminar July 18<sup>th</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup>, 2016 in Camrose, Alberta. The High Performance 1 Seminar is the first step for a coach to obtain certification at the High Performance level. The seminar will include professional presentations, group tasks and practical coaching opportunities through practice and game situations.

National coaching requirements through the Hockey Canada Policy Statement outline:

All Head Coaches coaching Bantam, Midget or Junior A teams competing in Regional or National Championships or the highest level as determined by the branch, must be High Performance 1 Certified. It is recommended that all Assistant Coaches be at minimum Development 1 trained.

In Alberta, this policy directly affect the following leagues:

- Bantam AAA AMBHL
- Midget AAA AMHL
- Female Midget AAA AMMFHL
- Junior A AJHL
- Midget AAA AMMHL\*

\*Hockey Alberta and the Alberta Minor Midget Hockey League recommend all Head Coaches obtain High Performance 1 Certification for the 2016-2017 season and will become mandatory for the 2017-2018 season.

For further details and to download the application package please click here

If you have any questions please contact me at 403-967-0054 or ddixon@hockeyalberta.ca