



MINIMUM COACHING STANDARDS

Club Directors of Coaching

- Full Time Select & Recreational: USSF "C" License
- Part Time Select & Recreational: USSF "C" License
- Volunteer Select & Recreational: USSF "D" License
- Academy Directors: USSF "D" License

A Club Director of Coaching is defined as an individual coach who is directly involved with the hiring and/or releasing of coaches for the club. Additionally, they are in charge of overall education of coaches, players and parents. These positions will play a vital role in implementing these policies on behalf of Kentucky Youth Soccer. A volunteer is defined as a person who receives no payment or expense reimbursement for their services.

Select/Academy Soccer Coaches

U9 Assistant/Academy Coaches will have until September 1, 2016 to meet the new requirements listed below.

U9 Select/Academy Teams

- Head Coach: USSF "E" License
- Assistant Coach: USSF "F" License

U10 – U12 Head & Assistant will have until September 1, 2017 to meet the new requirements listed below.

U10-U12 Select Teams

- Head Coach: USSF "E" License
- Assistant Coach: USSF "E" License

U13 – U19 Head & Assistant will have until September 1, 2017 to meet the new requirements listed below.

U13 – U19 Select Teams:

- Head Coach: USSF "D" License
- Assistant Coach: USSF "D" License

As of June 2015 the USSF no longer offers a D License & D Certificate (formally State License). Through the four stages candidates will either score enough points to earn a USSF D License or a Provisional D. Any candidate that receives a provisional pass must return to complete the Deliberate Practice Phase (two training session & self reviews) & Performance Review in order to obtain the USSF D. Coaches that receive a Provisional D have 12 months to upgrade.