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Calgary Minor Soccer Association (CMSA) will endorse private soccer entities and programs that align with CMSA's vision and guiding principles. Programming that is separate from the club (ie: academies, private training, small group sessions, etc.) will be required to seek CMSA endorsement annually and the endorsement of all other districts that they operate in. In addition, CMSA reserves the right to withdraw its endorsement at any time due to non-compliance of this policy.

CMSA defines these soccer training provider programs as: groups not operating as a club or entity who do not form teams to enter any ASA or CMSA sanctioned activity, and other sanctioned competition, or any unsanctioned activity. These entities are registered independent organizations that only provide supplemental training for players.

ORGANIZATIONS APPLYING FOR CMSA SOCCER TRAINING PROVIDER ENDORSEMENT MUST PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING:	
1	Organization Name
2	City of Incorporation
3	Location(s) of Programs Offered
4	Owner/President - Name, Contact Information (phone and email)
5	Program Information:
6	Stage(s) & Age(s) of Participation
7	Gender(s) of Participation
8	Club Infrastructure Form – Facilities
ORGANIZATIONS MUST MEET THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA:	
SAFE	
9	Adheres to CMSA Code of Conduct
10	Has a Code of Conduct to Protect Children
11	Has Guidelines for Appropriate/Inappropriate Conduct between Adults/Adolescents and Children
12	Has a Policy requiring that any suspicion of child abuse is reported to law enforcement
13	Has a Policy outlining what to do if you witness inappropriate conduct that is provided to parents, coaches, or other personnel
14	Provides an environment that supports participant's physical and emotional safety (free of bullying, discrimination, etc.)
	Supports the Coaches Association of Canada Responsible Coaching Movement:
15	Has a Rule of Two Policy on which it educates players, parents, coaches, and other personnel
16	All adults (administrators, coaches, managers, directors, etc.) have completed 'Respect in Sport Activity Leader' training



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17		All adults (administrators, coaches, managers, directors, etc.) have completed Safe Sport training.
18		All adults (administrators, coaches, managers, directors, etc.) have completed Making Ethical Decisions (MED)
19		All coaches and other personnel have completed proper Background Screening, including a Criminal Record Check (CRC) with Vulnerable Sector Check (VSC) or Enhanced Police Information Check (E-PIC) within the last 3 years.
20		Facilities and equipment are safe, well-maintained, and in good condition
<b>ENJOYABLE</b>		
21		Is committed to providing an enjoyable soccer experience for all participants
22		Is focused on long term participation
<b>DEVELOPMENTALLY APPROPRIATE</b>		
23		Programming considers Long Term Player Development (LTPD) stage-appropriate principles
24		Appropriate coach to player ratios
25		Coaches are trained and/or certified appropriately for the program in which they coach - must provide the full NCCP Transcript of each coach (regular or guest) working with the program
<b>ACCESSIBLE, INCLUSIVE, WELCOMING</b>		
26		Appreciates diversity to ensure everyone feels safe and that they belong regardless of ability and background
27		Coaches are culturally sensitive, and programs include culturally appropriate activities
28		Facilities are accessible to participants of all abilities
<b>MEETS EXPECTATIONS OF CMSA</b>		
29		Is compliant with the by-laws, policies, and directives of CMSA
30		Provides registration data of all coaches, players, and other personnel to CMSA
31		Does not interact with non-member organizations unless approved by CMSA or another governing organization