



Trainer Requirements

Electronic Timing

- Certified and worked in that position a minimum of 60 hours, 25 hours of which must be at a meet heavy in BC swimmers.
- Hours worked must be at OSI sanctioned meets. High school and college meets do not apply.
- Must have consistently worked at more than one pool.
- Endorsements from Area Officials Chair or Electronic Timing Chair and/or at least 2 other ET trainers.
- Attend initial trainer clinic.

Stroke and Turn

- Certified and worked in that position a minimum of 60 hours, 25 hours of which must be at a meet heavy in BC swimmers.
- Hours worked must be at OSI sanctioned meets. High school and college meets do not apply.
- Must have consistently worked at more than one pool.
- Endorsements from Area Officials Chair or 2 referees from the certification log.
- Attend initial trainer clinic.

Starter

- Certified and worked in that position a minimum of 60 hours, 25 of which must be at a meet heavy in BC swimmers.
- Hours worked must be at OSI sanctioned meets. High school and college meets do not apply.
- Must have consistently worked at more than one pool.
- Endorsements from Area Officials Chair or OSI Officials Chair and/or 2 referees from certification log.
- Must be a Stroke and Turn Trainer.

Referee

- Certified and worked in that position a minimum of 90 hours. Meet referee, deck referee, and administrative referee positions apply.
- Hours worked must be at OSI sanctioned meets. High school and college meets do not apply.
- Must have consistently worked at more than one pool.
- Endorsements from Area Officials Chair or OSI Officials Chair and 2 referees from the certification log.
- Must be a Stroke and Turn and Starter trainer.

Certification log and endorsements must be submitted to the master trainer prior to receiving trainer status. May attend clinic prior to submission of these items.

Trainer Recertification

For all positions – Attend trainer recertification clinic every other year **OR** prepare and present a minimum of two of either ET, Stroke and Turn, Starter, or Referee clinics (depending on certification level) sometime during the first two year period and attend the trainer recertification clinic within the next two year period.