

## 2017 PROGRAM DIRECTOR RATING REQUIREMENTS

### 1. PSA REGISTERED PROGRAM DIRECTOR (RPD)

- A. Must have attended a PSA approved educational program within one year of applying to take the exam. Affidavit must be on file with the PSA office.
- B. Must have completed the Basic Accreditation (BA) rating or the Foundations of Coaching Course (FCC).
- C. Must have a minimum of 200 hours over a one-year period of managing skating programs in an ice arena.
- D. Must have experience in scheduling, staffing, promotion, safety procedures and ethics in an ice arena.
- E. Must pass the Registered Sport Science & Medicine exam.
- F. Must pass the Registered Program Director oral exam.

### 2. PSA CERTIFIED PROGRAM DIRECTOR (CPD)

- A. Must have attended a PSA approved educational program within one year of applying to take the exam. Affidavit must be on file with the PSA office.
- B. Must have completed the Registered Program Director rating.
- C. Must have a minimum of 500 hours over a two-year period of managing skating programs in an ice arena.
- D. Must have experience in scheduling, staffing, promotion, safety procedures and ethics in an ice arena.
- E. Must have passed the Certified Sport Science & Medicine exam.
- F. Must pass the Certified Program Director oral exam.

### 3. PSA SENIOR PROGRAM DIRECTOR (SPD)

- A. Must have attended a PSA approved educational program within one year of applying to take the exam. Affidavit must be on file with the PSA office.
- B. Must have completed the Certified Program Director rating.
- C. Must have a minimum of 1,000 hours over a three-year period of managing skating programs in an ice arena.
- D. Must have experience in scheduling, staffing, promotion, safety procedures, budgeting, and ethics in an ice arena.
- E. Must have passed the Senior Sport Science & Medicine exam.
- F. Must pass the Senior Program Director oral exam.

### 4. PSA MASTER PROGRAM DIRECTOR (MPD)

- A. Must have attended a PSA approved educational program within one year of applying to take the exam. Affidavit must be on file with the PSA office.
- B. Must have completed the Senior Program Director rating.
- C. Must have a minimum of 2,500 hours over a five-year period of managing skating programs in an ice arena.
- D. Must have experience in scheduling, staffing, promotion, safety procedures, financial management, and ethics in an ice arena.
- E. Must have passed the Master Sport Science & Medicine exam.
- F. Must pass the Master Program Director oral exam.