



USA SWIMMING – YMCA AGREEMENT FOR OFFICIALS CERTIFICATION RECIPROCITY

For YMCA Certified Official seeking USA Swimming Official's Certification:

- Contact local USA Swimming Officials Chair or designee and communicate desire to be certified in the LSC in your current position.
- Join USA Swimming
- Complete Athlete Protection Training through USA Swimming
- Complete Background check through USA Swimming
- Complete Concussion Training through USA Swimming
- Complete Required Apprentice sessions at USA Swimming sanctioned meets for the level you are seeking certification
- For current YMCA referees, those certified before 9/1/2026 complete the Administrative Official Track
- Share completed apprenticeship record with LSC Officials Chair or designee or LSC Registrar

For USA Swimming Officials seeking YMCA certification:

- Create an account in the YMCA Learning Hub
- Complete the Learning Plan for the appropriate certification level, which will include:
 - Complete the Introduction to the YMCA Cause and Culture elearning
 - Complete YMCA Swimming Rules acknowledgement
 - Upload your current USA Swimming certification