

USATF Membership & Officials Certification

Beginning with the 2013-16 Olympiad, a USATF membership is required for certification of officials. Individuals who acquired a one-year membership to become certified but did not maintain their membership in subsequent years are classified as “suspended” officials.

Suspended officials are still in the database as certified officials but are described as “no active membership found”. “Inactive” officials are also maintained in the database but described as “not currently certified” and “no active membership found”.

Below are the National Officials Committee Certification Chair guidelines regarding certification timelines and description of officials’ certification status.

CERTIFICATION PERIODS AND DATES

A. Certification Period: Certification lasts for the length of an Olympiad. All Officials are required to recertify for each Olympiad. For practical reasons, the dates outlined below have been established to govern when certification and recertification occurs.

B. Dates:

1. January 1 during a Summer Olympic year: Individuals who have never been previously certified are allowed to certify for the current Olympiad and will automatically be granted certification for the next Olympiad (grandfathered).

2. November 1 during a Summer Olympic year: Officials certified during the previous Olympiad may recertify for the next Olympiad.

3. March 31 following a Summer Olympics: Officials certified during the previous Olympiad must have recertified to continue as a Certified Official.

4. March 31: Officials must have renewed their one-year membership or have a multiple year membership and be in good standing with USA Track & Field for their certification to remain current.

CERTIFICATION STATUS

A. Certified: An Official who has satisfied all requirements herein and is a current member, in good standing, of USA Track & Field. Only Officials with this status will be eligible for or granted any benefits, rights or privileges reserved for Certified Officials.

B. Suspended: An Official who has been certified at one point during the current Olympiad but has not maintained membership in USA Track & Field.

C. Inactive: An individual who was a Certified Official in a previous Olympiad but has not recertified for the current Olympiad.

For USATF membership go to www.usatf.org Also see following pages for acquiring membership.

Current Membership # Don't know your current membership number or password?

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USATF Online Membership Application

Membership Fees

	1 year	2 years	3 years	4 years
Adults:	\$30.00	\$55.00	\$80.00	\$100.00
Youth (18 & under):	\$20.00	\$40.00	\$60.00	\$80.00

- [Payment Options](#)
- [Refund policy](#)
- [FAQ](#)
- [Membership Duration](#) (ends on December 31).

Cost along with finding an old number/account

basis, and expire on

Membership Renewal

If you were a member in any other year (starting with 2001), renewing your membership is easy! When registering this way, you don't have to re-type information like your name and address that we already have on file.

Previous Membership Number: [Don't know your number?](#)

Password: [Don't know your password?](#)

New Membership

This membership application automatically chooses your association based on your zipcode. If you wish to apply for membership in an association other than the one based on your zipcode, please mail a paper application to the association to which you wish to apply.

All fields are required except middle initial, phone, e-mail, and club. After you fill out this page of the application and click the Next button, you will be prompted to confirm the information you entered, and one of these items will be your zipcode-based association.

Name

First:
 Middle Initial:
 Last:
 Suffix: (Jr, Sr, II, III, etc.)

Complete the demographic info and select the items you know.

Personal Information

Birth date: - -
 Gender: Male Female
 Are you a U.S. Citizen? yes | no

Home Address

Do you live in the United States? Yes No

Each member of USATF must be registered at his or her place of residence. Please enter the member's home address here. If you prefer to be contacted via an address other than your home address, you may update your membership profile later to include that information.

Street:
 Street 2: (Apartment Number, Suite, etc.)
 City:
 State:
 Zipcode: -
 Phone: () -
 E-mail:

Ethnic Background

Are you Hispanic or Latino? Yes No Decline to answer

What is your race? (Please select one or more races)

- American Indian/ Alaska Native White / Caucasian
 Asian Other
 Black / African American Decline to answer
 Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander

USATF-Registered Club

Club Number: [Look up my club's number](#)

(If your club is not listed, please contact your Association. Leave blank if unattached--do not indicate that you are a member of a club if you are not a member of that club in good standing.)

(You will receive an e-mail confirmation for your records if you enter your e-mail address. USATF guards this information in accordance with its [Privacy Statement](#).)