



National Ski Patrol OET Program IT Quality Assurance Form for Evaluation of Course/Event

Course Name						Course Number									
Division				Region				Date							
Event Location (Ski Mountain)					Instructor of Record (IOR) – print name					IOR: NSP ID #					
No. of Examiners		No. of Support Staff		No. of Students		No. Pass/Fail		QA Auditor (IT)– print name		IT: NSP ID#					
						Pass		Fail		N/A					
						QA Auditor (IT)– Signature									
Quality Assurance Overall Assessment (Did the Course Meet the Objectives Outlined in the NSP OET Program Course Description): select button															
(+) Course Above the NSP Standard <input type="radio"/>				(=) Course Meets the NSP Standard <input type="radio"/>				(-) Course Below the NSP Standard <input type="radio"/>							
Information below to be used by IT to determine how well the NSP Standards were met.															
						EXPECTATIONS FOR SUCCESSFUL COURSE									
1.0 SAFETY						Above (+)	Meets (=)	Below (-)	N/A						
Candidate and instructor/evaluator safety was communicated to all participants.						<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>						
Signed liability waivers were obtained from each participant prior to on-snow activities. (Candidates/evaluators/instructors/helpers/observers)						<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>						
2.0 INSTRUCTORS / EVALUATORS						Above (+)	Meets (=)	Below (-)	N/A						
Sufficient numbers of instructors/evaluators were available to complete the course.						<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>						
Instructor/evaluators are capable of demonstrating the required ski/riding and/or toboggan handling skills at a competent level.						<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>						
Evaluators are approved by Division/Region OET Supervisors, NSP Ski School Supervisor, or by Division-specific protocol.						<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>						
At least one instructor/evaluator is present for each equipment type being used by candidates (e.g. ski or snowboard).						<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>						
3.0 VENUE						Above (+)	Meets (=)	Below (-)	N/A						
Facilities (boot up area, bathrooms, meeting space, etc.) at the venue were sufficient for the course.						<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>						
Sufficient numbers of equipment (functional toboggans, bamboo poles, pin flags, etc.) were available for the course.						<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>						
Appropriate ski terrain for the course is available and was used in a suitable manner.						<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>						
Various snow conditions were used as needed for the course (unpacked, crud, ice, packed snow, powder, moguls, etc.).						<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>						



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4.0 COURSE ACTIVITIES		Above (+)	Meets (=)	Below (-)	N/A
(Ski/Ride Skills) Instructors required candidates to demonstrate:					
	Short, medium, and long-radius turns	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	Minimal (controlled) skidding in turns with no traversing	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	Skiing/riding in varying snow conditions (ice, crud, moguls, etc.)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	Linked turns of consistent size and rounded shape	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	Edge control; tipping skis simultaneously at turn initiation, or use of edges to execute snowboard maneuvers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	Rotary movements to steer skis or snowboard	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	A balanced stance on skis or snowboard	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	Effective pressure control	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	Equipment carry	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
(Toboggan) Instructors required candidates to demonstrate:					
	Operation of an unloaded toboggan from storage site to the scene of a simulated accident.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	Effective skills to operate a toboggan from the front (handles) position on a variety of snow conditions & terrain	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	Effective skills to operate a loaded toboggan from the rear (tail rope / handles) position on a variety of snow conditions & terrain	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Instructors required candidates to demonstrate adaptation to changing terrain and snow conditions, either with ski skills or toboggan handling.		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Awareness was displayed for safe speed and consistency and route selection as appropriate for people, terrain and conditions.		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Score sheets allowed accurate recording of scores as well as sufficient room for specific comments.		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Instructor ensured sufficient time to assess skills of all candidates.		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
All division-specific requirements were met by the Instructor.		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
5.0 COACHING/FEEDBACK		Above (+)	Meets (=)	Below (-)	N/A
The delivery and content of instructions provided to candidates was clear and understandable.		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Post-course feedback was delivered in a positive, professional manner and included specific recommendations for each candidate.		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Post-course coaching from instructors used current ski/ride and/or toboggan handling terminology, as found in the NSP OET Manual or as recommended by PSIA or AASI.		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Additional comments / recommendations:
