

**282—22.1(256) Coaching authorization.** A coaching authorization allows an individual to coach any sport in a middle school, junior high school, or high school.

**22.1(1) Requirements.** Applicants for the coaching authorization will have completed the following requirements:

*a. Content requirements.*

(1) Successful completion of the required coursework pursuant to Iowa Code section 256.165.

(2) Current certificate of concussion training approved by the Iowa high school athletic association or Iowa girls high school athletic union.

(3) Current certificate of CPR training from an approved provider.

*b. Minimum age or diploma.* Applicants will have attained a minimum age of 18 years. Applicants will also possess a high school diploma or equivalent, home school completion as verified by the executive director, or be 20 years of age or older.

**22.1(2) Validity.** The coaching authorization is valid for five years.

**22.1(3) Transitional coaching authorization.** Applicants for the transitional coaching authorization will meet the requirements pursuant to Iowa Code section 256.165.

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