

## 2024 QUEENSLAND COUNTRY TEAM COACH ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Competition	2024 South Australian Championships 16 - 22 January 2024
Selection	<p><b>Principles of Coach Selection:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The ability to lead a group of athletes in this meet whilst also displaying insight, passion and the Queensland team ethos</li> <li>Meets the needs of the team and provides an environment that is underpinned by communication and team culture behaviours to lead athlete performance</li> <li>Success in regional, state and national competition environments, can quickly build relationships with athletes and staff, knowledge and professionalism and conduct under pressure</li> <li>The previous seasons performances of athletes' of the team coach</li> <li>Development of Queensland coaches</li> </ul> <p>Once the swimmers have been selected the Head Coach and SQ selection committee will select the team coaches based on the:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Athlete/s selected on the Queensland Country Team</li> <li>The overall development requirements of Queensland coaches</li> </ul> <p><b>Requirements:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Demonstrated involvement with Regional and SQ Athlete &amp; Coach Development activities</li> <li>Demonstrated experience in coaching athletes to a level commensurate with the needs of the team</li> </ul>
Eligibility	<p>To be considered for selection a coach must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Be a current financial member of SCTA</li> <li>Be up to date with all Swimming Australia Coach accreditation requirements</li> <li>Be available to fulfil all team commitments</li> </ul>
Team Commitments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Available 16 – 22 January 2024</li> <li>Comply with the SQ Code of Conduct</li> <li>All coaches must conduct themselves in a proper manner so as not to bring themselves or Swimming Queensland into disrepute</li> </ul>

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Team Size	<p>The Queensland Country Team will consist of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Head Coach – Barry Prime</li> <li>• 3 Qld Country Team Coaches</li> </ul>
Note	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SQ may amend the selection criteria at any time at its discretion and can make any necessary changes to the coaching staff based on the needs of the team</li> <li>• The selection committee retains the right to select the most suitable coach based on the coaches experience and knowledge where they may not meet all the criteria</li> <li>• The selection committee retains the right to select a coach based on the coaches experience, knowledge and development where they may not have an athlete selected on the team</li> <li>• For the purpose of this team, clubs in the following regions, regional areas and towns have been categorised as COUNTRY: <p><i>Far North Queensland, North Queensland, Central Queensland and Darling Downs plus Beaudesert, Rathdowney, Biggenden, Bundaberg, Cooloola, Eidsvold, Fraser Coast, Gayndah, Gympie, Hervey Bay, Kandanga &amp; District, Kilcoy, Kilkivan District, Kingaroy, Kolan, Maryborough, Mundubbera, Murgon, Rainbow Beach.</i></p> </li> </ul>