

 Diver Certification BOARD OF CANADA	Policy for Adding a Level 1 Hyperbaric Physician to the DCBC Approved List	Issue 01 Revision: 04 Date: 24 Jan 2023 Review by: H. Hunt Approval: D. Parkes
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Purpose

The purpose of this policy is to ensure that the assessment of the qualifications of diving physicians who are listed on the DCBC web site is consistent.

Scope

This policy relates to the assessment of the qualifications of diving physicians who ask to be listed on the DCBC web site.

Responsibility

The Chief Executive Officer of the DCBC has the responsibility to ensure that the assessment of the qualifications of diving physicians who wish to be listed on the DCBC web site is carried out in accordance with the following policy statements.

Assessment

- a. The assessment of the qualifications of the diving physician will be based on Section 28.2. of the CSA Competency Standard for Diving Operations (Z275.4-22).
- b. Physicians who meet the criteria in Section 28.2 of the CSA Competency Standard for Diving Operations will be eligible to be listed as a diving physician on the DCBC web site.
- c. The assessment of the qualifications of the diving physician will be undertaken by the CEO or delegate of the DCBC.
- d. The physician who asks to be assessed will submit to the DCBC a full curriculum vitae including proof of having completed basic training in diving medicine.
- e. The CEO will ensure that the physician is licensed to practice medicine and that he/she has completed basic training in diving medicine that is acceptable to the DCBC.

Appeal

The diving physician may appeal the decision of the CEO to the Chair of the DCBC.