

To: All SLSNSW Members	
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Subject: Skills Maintenance - Endorsed Delegates	

We've received a number of enquiries regarding who can be engaged to conduct Skills Maintenance sessions other than SLSNSW Assessors and Facilitators.

The answer is Endorsed Delegates

Endorsed Delegate is a role that has been created to assist clubs with conducting Annual Skills Maintenance sessions. Every year, Club Executives will meet and discuss who they would like to engage and delegate this responsibility to. They will record this in the minutes and the Chief Training Officer will allocate an Endorsed Delegate award in Surf Guard to the members who the Club Executives have approved.

Points of clarification

- 1. If you are currently a Training Officer, you need to be an Endorsed Delegate to conduct Skills Maintenance sessions
- 2. Endorsed Delegates only conduct Skills Maintenance sessions for the Awards they hold and are proficient in
- 3. There are six (6) Awards that clubs can engage Endorsed Delegates for. Skills Maintenance for other Awards need to be conducted by SLSNSW endorsed Assessors/Facilitators
 - Surf Rescue Certificate
 - Bronze Medallion
 - Silver Medallion Aquatic Rescue
 - Advanced Resuscitation Techniques Certificate
 - Spinal Management
 - IRB Crew

For more information, please speak with your clubs Chief Training Officer (CTO) in the first instance.