

Important Note

Please note insurance cover, under the sports coach UK Membership Scheme, is only valid for those sports in which you hold a home country sports council recognised governing body coaching qualification, for martial arts see below.

The membership insurance scheme does apply to those coaches holding Coaching Certificates issued by Governing Bodies of Sport situated in the Republic of Ireland so long as they are recognised by the Northern Ireland Sports Council as the Governing Body for Sport and that the member applying for cover is normally resident within Northern Ireland.

Any other overseas qualifications are excluded from the insurance cover under the sports coach UK Membership Scheme; this is under instruction from our insurance company, Sports Cover UK and is unfortunately out of our control. Cover is also only available to persons residing in the UK.

The following sports are excluded:

caving; equestrian; equestrian polo; gliding; hang gliding; motor sports; mountaineering (including MLB single pitch); outdoor pursuits (climbing/abseiling/gorge walking etc); parachuting; paragliding; rugby union; scuba diving; shooting (at animals); skateboarding; speedway; sub-aqua; taekwondo; tai chi; muay tai; kick boxing; Brazilian jiu-jitsu; wrestling (other than Greco-Roman style); indoor rock climbing; bungee jumping; canyoning and any other sports involving animals.

In addition: Insurance is only valid for martial arts coaches with a current home country sports council-recognised governing body coaching award or an N/SVQ coaching award.

The following are recognised:

British Aikido Board, British Council of Chinese Martial Arts, British Judo Association, British Ju Jitsu Association, English Karate Governing Body/British Karate Federation, British Kendo Association, United Kingdom Tang Soo Do Federation.

