

**CALL FOR NOMINATIONS**  
**2026–2030 REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM COMMITTEE CHAIR**

The Women's Program is seeking nominations for the position of:

**Position Title: Regional Development Program Committee Chair (RDPC)**

- **Regions 2, 4, 6, 8 ONLY** (Regions 1, 3, 5, 7 elections coming 2028)

**Term Length:** 4 years

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**ELIGIBILITY**

To be eligible, a nominee must fulfill the below criteria for the position:

- Be a current USA Gymnastics member in good standing for a minimum of two consecutive years immediately prior to the nomination.
- Be a member of the Women's Program.
- Be at least 21 years old.

**Role specific:**

- Must have coached a gymnast who has qualified to Level 9 or 10 Regionals within the prior or current Olympic cycle.
- Is presently coaching in the Development Program.
  - *If a candidate does not meet the above criteria, the Regional Administrative Committee (RAC) may nominate a candidate with demonstrated ability and suitability for the position.*

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**KEY RESPONSIBILITIES:**

1. Attend the meetings of the Development Program Committee (DPC).
2. Serve as:
  - a. Chair of the Regional Development Program Committee (RDPC).
  - b. A member of all Regional Committees
3. Provide a minimum of one Regional training camp per year for gymnasts and coaches.
4. Assist with the regional clinic or congress and competitions when called upon by the Regional Administrative Committee Chair (RACC).
5. Submit a financial report to the RACC for reimbursement of travel, phone and postage expenses.
6. Be prepared to represent the views of the region at annual meetings by the use of surveys and observations.
7. Support the regional teams at Level 10 Nationals and investigate and pursue financial support or donations for regional apparel.
8. Act in conjunction with the Regional Technical Committee Chair (RTCC) on petitions and element evaluations.
9. Recommend topics, content, and presenters for Regional Congress.
10. If desired, establish a RDPC.
11. Submit a written report to the RACC of their activities in the region i.e., clinics, training camps, etc.
12. Review and accept or deny petitions to drop back from the Elite to Development Program.

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**ELECTION TIMELINE**

<b>Nominations Open</b>	March 1, 2026
<b>Nominations Close</b>	April 1, 2026
<b>Candidate Information Shared</b>	April 15, 2026
<b>Voting Period</b>	May 1 – 15, 2026
<b>Results Announced</b>	The week after May 15, 2026
<b>Term Begins</b>	July 1, 2026
<b>Term Ends</b>	June 30, 2030

- Voting will take place via registered member vote on the USAG website.
- This position is elected by a vote of the Women's Program membership within each Region.

**HOW TO SUBMIT A NOMINATION**

**Deadline: Wednesday, April 1, 2026 @ 11:59 pm EST**

Late submissions cannot be accepted.

To nominate someone (or yourself), please send nominations to:

<b>USAG Officer:</b>	<b>Regional Administrative Committee Chair (RACC)</b>
<b>Name:</b>	
<b>Email:</b>	

Nominator must provide the following information:

<b>Position:</b>	<b>26–30 Regional Development Program Committee Chair (RDPCC)</b>
<b>Region:</b>	
<b>Nominee name:</b>	
<b>Nominee USAG #:</b>	
<b>Nominator name:</b>	
<b>Nominator USAG:</b>	

*Prior to being placed on the ballot, all nominees must sign a document that verifies that they have read and understand the duties and responsibilities of the office for which they have been nominated and submit their resume to the appropriate USA Gymnastics officer (RACC). Current elected officers seeking re-election must be compliant with all their duties and responsibilities.*

For more information about the role or responsibilities, please reference the *Women's Program Operating Code* [HERE](#).