

# TOYOTA CERTIFIED COLLISION CENTRE PROGRAM

# **COLLISION CENTRE SPONSORSHIP AND PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT**

Sponsoring Dealership Name:		Dealer Code
Dealer Principal or General Manag	er Name (Print)	
Dealer Principal or General Manag	er Name (Signature)	Date
Sponsored Collision Centre Name		
Collision Centre Address		
Phone Number	Website	
Collision Centre Owner or General	Manager (Print)	
Collision Centre Owner or General	Manager (Signature)	Date
Collision Centre Owner or General	Manager E-Mail	
of the date set out above, the a	bove noted Independent Collision	Agreement confirms that, effective as on Centre (the " <b>Collision Centre</b> ") in as nominated it for certification as a
Further, the Collision Centre and t Program (the " <b>Program</b> ") and agre between the Collision Centre, the	ee to comply with the Terms and (	<del>-</del>
The sponsoring Toyota Dealer must the Collision Centre so it can be up	,	ment on file and provide a copy to profile as part of the certification

process managed by Certified Collision Care.



#### 1 DEALER

The Dealer acknowledges that its participation in the program is voluntary and in accordance with the terms and conditions outlined in the Toyota Dealer Agreement between the Dealer and Toyota.

The Dealer's roles and responsibilities shall be as follows:

- 1.1. To monitor the Certification process with the nominated Collision Centre and to provide support and assistance to representatives from Certified Collision Care and Toyota as required.
- 1.2. To comply with its obligations under the Program and to ensure that the Collision Centre complies with its obligations under the Program.
- 1.3. To advise Toyota immediately if it becomes aware that the Collision Centre:
  - (a) intends a change of ownership.
  - (b) Intends to relocate its facilities; or
  - (c) is affected by any circumstance that might cause sponsorship or certification to be withdrawn or re-evaluated.
- 1.4. To ensure any customer contact and/or complaint is handled promptly with the Collision Centre and that actions and outcomes are properly documented.
- 1.5. The Collision Centre must be geographically located within the Dealer's trade area. If the collision centre is located outside the Dealers Trade Area, the Dealership may sponsor one facility outside of the Dealers trade area provided:
  - a) The affected Dealer(s) provide a written agreement to Toyota to allow this sponsorship for certification. (Agreements are between the affected Dealerships and not Toyota.)
  - b) It is not in another Dealers DMA who owns and operates a certified collision centre.
  - c) Is not in a competing brand facility, unless the collision centre, the competing brand facility and the sponsoring dealer all have the same ownership
  - d) Uses Toyota Smart Parts (OEC)
  - e) Is the same shop that the sponsoring Dealers sends vehicles for warranty repairs, customer vehicles and Dealer owned vehicles for collision repairs. NOTE: (Toyota reserves the right to decline shops outside of the Dealers trade area)



- 1.6. The Dealer may sponsor up to 5 Collision Centres provided they are:
  - a) Within the Dealers Trade area.
  - b) Not in a competing brand facility, unless the collision centre, the competing brand facility and the sponsoring dealer all have the same ownership
  - c) Toyota has final approval on sponsored Collision Centres.
  - d) Should a dealership wish to sponsor more than 5 collision centres they can submit a request to your APSM outlining the business reasons. Toyota will review each request on an individual basis. Note: all existing TCCC rules apply.
- 1.7. The Dealer must use OEC (Toyota Smart Parts) with the sponsored collision centres for parts pricing matching opportunities.
- 1.8. The Dealer agrees to provide technical assistance / advice / and repairs to assist the collision centre as needed.
- 1.9. The Dealer may display the Toyota Certified Collision Centre (TCCC) poster and TCCC certification plaque supplied by Toyota in an appropriate customer area within the Dealer facility. The TCCC poster and plaque must be removed immediately in the event that certification is terminated.

## 2 COLLISION CENTRE

#### 2.1 Collision Centre Guidelines and Responsibilities:

- 2.1.1 To complete the Certified Collision Care online business assessment and authorize representatives from Certified Collision Care and/or Toyota to conduct on-site visits for the purpose of consultation and evaluation of the program criteria required to achieve and maintain certification as a Toyota Certified Collision Centre.
- 2.1.2 The Collision Centre acknowledges that, even if it operates multiple locations, the terms of this agreement will only apply only to the individual facility certified pursuant to this agreement, and only such facility may be represented as a Toyota Certified Collision Centre.
- 2.1.3 The Collision Centre must not be located at a competing automotive brand facility.
- 2.1.4 To subscribe and maintain an active subscription to Toyota Technical Information System (TIS) (techinfo.toyota.ca)
- 2.1.5 To follow Toyota repair procedures as identified in Toyota repair manuals, bulletins and other reference material found in Toyota's Technical Information System (TIS) and to provide full written disclosure where Toyota repair procedures have not been followed.



- 2.1.6 To purchase all new genuine Toyota parts required to complete the repair from the sponsoring Dealer.
- (a) NOTE: New Genuine Toyota Parts that are **not** obtained from an authorised Canadian Toyota Dealership could be subject to trademark, counterfeit, or intellectual property laws, or may not be intended for the Canadian market, <u>and</u> do not carry any warranty from Toyota.
- 2.1.7 To provide full, written disclosure on all customer invoices where non-new Toyota Genuine parts are specified and used.
- 2.1.8 To send all estimates via OEC to the sponsoring dealership for price matching opportunities.
- 2.1.9 The Collision Centre agrees that new Toyota Genuine Parts usage for each repair to a Toyota vehicle will be at industry average or roughly 65% or greater, based on parts line count.
  - The Collision Centre agrees that upon request by the sponsoring Dealership, the Collision Centre must supply the sponsoring Dealership with repair invoices along with supporting parts invoices (proof of purchase) from that Dealership and ensure adherence to 2.1.9.
- 2.1.10 The Collision Centre agrees, supports, and follows Toyota Canada Inc best practices as per attachment available at www.gettoyotacertified.ca
- 2.1.11 The Collision Centre agrees to participate and attend relevant training offered from Toyota or the sponsoring Dealership.
- 2.1.12 The Collision Centre must have the ability to perform pre and post vehicle scans (Health Checks) using a Toyota Tech Stream scan tool or equivalent. Aftermarket Scan Tools are not acceptable.
- 2.1.13 The Collison Centre will allow Toyota to access and retrieve KPI's from the Collision Centre via 3rd party providers such as (Certified Collision Care, Enterprise ARMS, Mitchell, Data Base Gateway, Auto House Technologies ... etc. for the purpose of data collection. NOTE: This data will only be used by Toyota for internal usage.
- 2.1.14 The Collison centre acknowledges that recertification is required yearly (12 months from certification) and associated costs for recertification.
- 2.1.15 To advise the Dealer immediately if it:
  - (a) Intends a change of ownership.
  - (b) Intends to relocate its facilities; or
  - (c) Is affected by any other circumstance that would cause sponsorship or certification be withdrawn or re-evaluated.



#### 2.2 Marketing, Advertising and Trademarks

- 2.2.1 After confirmation of certification, the Collision Centre may display, in an appropriate customer area within the Collision Centre facility, the Toyota Certified Collision Centre (TCCC) certification plaque, TCCC poster, and/or other Point of Purchase (POP) materials provided from time to time by Toyota.
- (a) Note: Only Toyota Dealer-owned Collision Centres may use the Toyota logos or Toyota trademarks on the exterior of the facility and must follow the guidelines as set in the Dealer Standards.
- 2.2.2 Collision Centre may market, advertise, or publicize its certification and participation in the program that clearly indicates the specific facility to which the certification applies. All marketing must be in accordance with the Toyota Brand Guidelines (to be provided when agreement signed) provided. It is recommended that the Certified Shop and the Sponsoring Dealership work together to promote the repair of guest's vehicles at the Certified Centre.
- 2.2.3 Upon termination of this agreement, the Collision Centre shall immediately discontinue all use of the Toyota Trademarks, or any colourable imitations, variations, or adaptations thereof and return to the Dealer any Toyota Certified Collision Centre ("TCCC") display materials previously provided to it, including without limitation the TCCC poster and certification plaque.
- 2.2.4 In the event of a breach, or threatened breach, of any of the foregoing provisions, the Collision Centre agrees that the harm suffered by Lexus would not be compensable by monetary damages alone and, accordingly, that Toyota shall, in addition to other available legal or equitable remedies, be entitled to an injunction against such breach or threatened breach.

#### 2.3 Confidentiality

- 2.3.1 Confidential Information includes any information or material in any format whatsoever which is by its nature or is declared by Toyota or the Dealer to be, confidential or proprietary or which may contain valuable trade secrets (whether or not patentable or copyrightable) owned or possessed by Toyota or the Dealer and disclosed to the Collision Centre pursuant to the terms of this agreement.
- 2.3.2 The Collision Centre shall use the Confidential Information solely as necessary for the performance of this agreement and shall only disclose Confidential Information to its accountants or professional advisors if and when there exists a reasonable need to know such information, provided it gives written notice to the disclosing party prior to disclosure, and provided that any such third party executes a binding agreement to keep such information confidential before being given access to such Confidential Information.
- 2.3.3 The Collision Centre agrees to use good faith efforts (and at least the same care that it uses to protect its own Confidential Information of like importance but in no event less than reasonable care), to prevent unauthorized dissemination or disclosure of the Confidential Information both during the term of this agreement and for a period of 2 years after the expiration or termination of this agreement.



2.3.4 In the event of a breach, or threatened breach, of any of the foregoing provisions, the Collision Centre agrees that the harm suffered by the injured party would not be compensable by monetary damages alone and, accordingly, that the injured party shall, in addition to other available legal or equitable remedies, be entitled to an injunction against such breach or threatened breach.

#### 3 TERMINATION

- **3.1** Any party may terminate this agreement upon 30 days' prior written notice to the other party.
- **3.2** Toyota may terminate this agreement immediately, without prior notice upon the occurrence of any of the following events:
  - (a) The Collision Centre's failure to be certified or fails any future audit.
  - (b) The Collision Centre's material breach of the provisions of this agreement or material failure to comply with the Program.
  - (c) The relocation of the Collision Centre to a facility outside the Dealer's trade area.
  - (d) The Collision Centre's assets or issued and outstanding shares are purchased by, or the Collision Centre merges or amalgamates with, any third party resulting in a change of control of the Collision Centre.
  - (e) The voluntary or involuntary bankruptcy of the Collision Centre; or
  - (f) The Collision Centre becoming insolvent or making an assignment for the benefit of creditors.

## 4 GENERAL

- **4.1 Governing Law.** This Agreement will be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the province of Ontario and the applicable laws of Canada and each party irrevocably attorns to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of the province of Ontario.
- **4.2 Amendments.** No amendment, modification or waiver of any provision or term in respect of this Agreement will be effective unless in writing by Toyota and then only in the specific instance and for the specific purpose given.
- 4.3 No Waiver of Rights. A failure or delay in exercising any right, power, or privilege in respect of this Agreement will not be presumed to operate as a waiver, and a single or partial exercise of any right, power or privilege will not be presumed to preclude any subsequent or further exercise of that right, power or privilege or the exercise of any other right, power or privilege. No waiver by Toyota of a default shall operate against Toyota as a waiver of such default unless made in writing and signed by an authorized officer of Toyota.
- **4.4 Severability.** Any provision of this Agreement that is held to be inoperative, unenforceable or invalid in any jurisdiction shall be inoperative, unenforceable or invalid in that jurisdiction without affecting any other provision of this Agreement in that jurisdiction or the operation, enforceability or validity of that provision in any other jurisdiction, and to this end the provisions



of this Agreement are declared to be severable and all other provisions hereof shall continue in full force and effect. The parties shall negotiate in good faith to substitute for such inoperative, unenforceable or invalid provision a mutually acceptable provision consistent with the original intention of the parties.

4.4.1 **Language.** The parties agree that this Agreement and all ancillary documents be prepared in the English language. Les parties aux présentes acceptent que cette entente et toute entente s'y rapportant soient rédigées en anglais.