# BHSI – COACHING OBSERVATION SHEET (Eventing Pathway)

**SECTION 4 & 5. VERBALLY EVALUATE HORSE AND RIDER PARTNERSHIPS**

(Session time approximately 10 minutes per horse. Including discussion with the assessor.)

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| Assessor name: |  | | |
| Candidate name: |  | | |
| Date: |  | Centre: |  |

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| All red criteria and a total of 2 criteria **must** be achieved  Demonstrate competence to evaluate the performance of a horse and rider on the flat and over show jumps  Demonstrate competence to recognise and explain a range of strengths and areas to develop in performance.  Show clear communication skills. |  | **Flat** |  | **Jump** |
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| **PASS** | **FAIL** |

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| **GENERAL CRITERIA FOR THE BHSI COACHING CERTIFICATES**  **(All must be achieved in this qualification)** | **Tick with solid fill** |
| Show commitment to prioritising the wellbeing and welfare of the horse |  |
| Show ability to interact and communicate with people effectively |  |
| Show clear ability to read and empathise with all equines |  |
| Show practical competence when handling horses and equipment |  |
| Show ability to maintain composure, focus and self-control at all times. |  |
| Show ability to recognise their own limitations and remain receptive and perceptive |  |
| Show ability to work in a pressurised situation subject to time constraints |  |
| Show clear understanding of the role of the BHS within the equestrian community |  |
| Show clear understanding of the links between coaching and competition |  |
| Show ability to self-reflect and evaluate performance |  |
| Show familiarity with current coaching ethos |  |