



## PSIA-AASI National Adaptive Academy

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### Clinic Reminders

#### Clinic Topic: 2-day Workshop - Biski: Equip, Teach, and Tether -Ryan Latham

1. We are **teaching** so that that student may be as **independent** as possible.
2. Safety is paramount. Review tethering, loads and unloads and understand possible hazards to the student like temperatures, skin issues, or things like pinching a catheter.
3. Tethering is a skill that needs development. A skilled tetherer can create positive outcomes for the student by affecting (or not affecting at all) different fundamental skills which can reinforce positive learning.
4. Setup can have a great effect on how the student can achieve independence. Practice and play with different setups to help understand the variables on setup.
5. The 5 alpine fundamentals are used directly with a bi-ski, by understanding how our own skis work, we can more readily teach sit skis.

Search for "Bi Ski"

<https://lms.thesnowpros.org/lms-courses/>

Independent Bi Skiing Demos

[https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL\\_TTuSITioRpPwHaZGLaItU3fwpdAzpq5](https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL_TTuSITioRpPwHaZGLaItU3fwpdAzpq5)

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