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**Policy:**


Policy for Affiliation of Players

- **All Coaches** must follow all Affiliation Player requirements. The maximum number of players a team can affiliate is 19. Only players you plan to use should be on your list. If the Coach does not follow these requirements there could be possible disciplinary action upon review by the VP of Travel, Supervisor of Travel Coaches and Division Convener.
- **The AAA team** has the first choice to select players from the Seeded team, to a max of 5 at the same age. The remaining players can be selected from the AAA team, the age below.
- **The Seeded team** has the first choice to select players from the Minor Development team, to a max of 5 at the same age. The remaining players can be selected from the Seeded team, the age below.
- **The Minor Development team** can select players from House League, to a max of 5 at the same age. (Please note that if a player also participates on the House league Select team, the player can only affiliate a total of 5 times the entire season, including Tournaments and Exhibition games). The remaining players can be selected from the Minor Development team, the age below.
- Prior to a Coach selecting an affiliated player, they must get the consent and signature from both the Player and Parent/Guardian on the team affiliation sheet, which will be handed into the hockey office so the affiliates can be added to the team’s roster and submitted for approval.
- A player can only be affiliated to one team and once the player is added to a roster in HCR, as an affiliate, the player cannot be removed from that roster.
- The affiliated player’s first priority is to their own team.
- The Coach requesting the use of an affiliated player **MUST FIRST** contact the affiliated player’s Coach to check player’s availability.
- You may only affiliate a player for games or practices if a player is unavailable from your team roster. (Exception for practices if you know a player will not be at the next game and you want to use the affiliate player for that next game).
- All affiliation lists must be handed into the hockey office by the following dates to be reviewed by division Convener. If you wish to use an affiliate before the below dates, please submit the list before using the player.
- **AAA Due Date Oct 1st**
- **Seeded Due Date Oct 15th**
- **Minor Development Due Date Nov 1st**

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- **PLEASE NOTE: NO CHANGES CAN BE MADE TO ANY ROSTER AFTER JANUARY 10TH AS PER HOCKEY CANADA RULES.**

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