

AMHA Affiliation Process 2016-2017

Once players have been affiliated to each team, the process below will be followed when bringing up affiliated players:

1. Coach contacts his/her manager indicating he requires affiliates for the next game. The manager then contacts the affiliate's team manager requesting affiliate players.
2. Affiliate team manager informs the affiliate team coach.
3. The team requesting affiliates then contacts the player's and asks them to play.

The goal of this process is to have teams communicate and work together on the affiliation process allowing our players the best opportunity while not hurting any team. If coaches are not following this process or denying requests then AMHA will step in to make decisions on affiliation requests. In the event that a coach or manager is unable to be reached the division director can make a decision on the AP.

Midget AA selected players to Midget AAA
Midget Tier 1(selected players)* and Midget 15 AC Avalanche (selected player) to Midget AA
(AA affiliates required to complete the mandatory **Named Player Affiliation Form**)
Midget Tier 3 to Midget Tier 1
Midget Tier 4 to Midget Tier 3
3F, 3D, 2G Midget City to Midget Tier 4

Bantam AA selected players to Bantam AAA
Bantam Tier 1* to Bantam AA
(AA affiliates required to complete the mandatory **Named Player Affiliation Form**)
Bantam Tier 2 to Bantam Tier 1
Bantam Tier 3 to Bantam Tier 2
Bantam Tier 4 to Bantam Tier 3
3F, 3D, 2G Bantam City to Bantam Tier 4

Pee Wee Tier 1 selected players to Pee Wee AA RED
Pee Wee Tier 1 selected players to Pee Wee AA WHITE
(AA affiliates required to complete the mandatory **Named Player Affiliation Form**)
Pee Wee Tier 3 to Pee Wee Tier 1
Pee Wee Tier 4 to Pee Wee Tier 3
3F, 3D, 2G Pee Wee City to Pee Wee Tier 4

½ of Atom Tier 2 to Atom Tier 1 RED
½ of Atom Tier 2 to Atom Tier 1 WHITE
Atom Tier 3 to Atom Tier 2
Atom Tier 5 to Atom Tier 4
3F, 3D, 2G Atom City to Atom Tier 5

½ Novice Tier 3 to Novice Tier 1 WHITE
½ Novice Tier 3 to Novice Tier 1 RED
3F 2D 1G from Novice City Blue to Novice Tier 3

*** Novice to Novice the Hockey Alberta Regulations identify that when a Novice Team Roster has less than 12 players they may affiliate to replace players to a total of 12 players on their roster for the reasons specified in the Hockey Alberta Regulations. This will be followed for all league and league playoff games.*

Please see next page for more division specific details

Hockey Alberta Affiliation Regulations

35. a) A player of a team of a lower Division or category of the same club, or of an affiliated team, or a specially affiliated player, may affiliate to a team or teams of higher Divisions and categories at any time, to a maximum of ten (10) games However, if the player's registered team completes its regular season and playoffs before the player's affiliated team or teams, the player may thereafter affiliate an unlimited number of times.

For goaltender exceptions see Hockey Canada Regulations B.42, E.36 (b).

E 35. B) Exhibition and/or tournament games, which are not part of regular league games or playoff games, are excluded from the number of games referred to in Regulation E.35 (a)

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Female teams affiliations will be communicated to teams via the VP of Female Programs if required
City team affiliations will be communicated to teams via the VP of Recreation if required
City to travel team affiliations will be communicated to teams via the VP of Competitive if required

CAHL teams please review and understand the specific CAHL affiliation regulations

City League teams in Pee Wee, Bantam and Midget can affiliate a player when they have less than 12 players (not including goalies). They can bring up affiliates to bring their total number of players to a maximum of 12 players (not including goalies).

There is no affiliation for Novice and Atom City

AMHA travel teams (other than Novice) can call up affiliates using the guidelines provided when they are down. **Players can only be affiliated to one team.**