



## EFHL Playoff Information Bulletin 2025

As we approach the EFHL Playoff Season, we wanted to provide all member associations with a quick bulletin detailing some questions we have received to date.

### Provincial Qualification:

1. EFHL teams participating in the following divisions and conferences will compete for a chance to represent the Edmonton Federation Hockey League at Hockey Alberta Provincial Championships. The Playoff Champion of the Following Divisions and Tiers.

Division	Tiers
<b>U18</b>	Body Checking Tiers 1, 2 Red, 3 Red/Non-Body Checking Tier 1/Female A+B
<b>U15</b>	Body Checking Tiers 1, 2 Red, 3 Red/Non-Body Checking Tier 1/Female A+B
<b>U13</b>	Tiers 1 Red, 2 Red, 3 Red, 4 Red/Female A+B

2. Hockey Alberta Provincial Championships consist of the six League Playoff Champions, Host team and one Wild Card. Hockey Alberta Wild Card draws will take place the week January 21st, the results of the draws have been provided on the website for reference.  
[Hockey Alberta Provincial Qualification for EFHL Teams](#)
3. Playoff format for all tiers of U11, U13 and U15 will follow a tournament style playoff with round robin games, semi-finals, and finals. U18 will consist of a double knockout tournament format.
6. Ice requirements for EFHL Championship games have been increased by 15 minutes to provide on-ice time for medals and banners for provincial categories. Regular game ending procedures remain in effect.