

EDMONTON INTERDISTRICT YOUTH SOCCER ASSOCIATION

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Policy: <u>Teams declaring to participate at an age or Tier (if applicable)</u>, other than age <u>specific</u>

Member, or Affiliate Member, teams, (U-9 to U-17) which wish to declare participation in EIYSA program, for 2021 Outdoor Season, at higher than the age appropriate level of the team (as per age levels indicated in Rule 3.1.5), the following procedures apply:

- A team, through their Club, will apply to EIYSA, by May 5, 2021 to play up.
- The team, through their Club, will submit a letter along with the application, outlining the reasons why they wish to play up. The application can be in the form of an email sent to exdir@eiysa.com.
- The team's application must indicate if the team is interested in challenging to qualify for the ASA Provincial Championships at their age appropriate level.
- The minimum requirement to be met is the team must have finished the previous season (2019-20 Indoor) either 1st or 2nd, in their respective league
- The Technical Committee, chaired by the EIYSA President, will meet to review the application. A quorum for the executive committee is 50% +1.
- Each team (Team Officials) making an application, may be required to appear in front of the aforesaid committee to speak to their position.
- The Committee will render a decision, relative to each application.
- The Committee shall render their decision no later than May 10, 2021.
- The Committee's decision will be considered as final.