

2023 Registration Guide

Registration for the EFHA 2023/2024 season will open by June 15.

All U13 players (both Tier 1-6 players and players trying out for the U13 AA teams) will register with the **Edmonton Female Hockey Alliance for the 2023-24 season**.

Prior to registration, all U13 players will need to be transferred from EGHA or other organizations to EFHA; please complete the [Intent to Register with FHA](#) form so that players can be transferred in advance of registration opening. See below for registration instructions.

U9 and U11 players: new this season, U9 and U11 players will have the opportunity to try out for the U9 Tier 1 or U11 Tier 1 teams hosted by the **Edmonton Female Hockey Alliance**.

U9 and U11 players who have registered with EGHA or other home organizations and plan on registering with EFHA to try out for the Tier 1 teams will also need to complete the [Intent to Register with FHA](#) form so that EFHA can start requesting shares of the HCR profiles of these players, which is a necessary step for the registration and tryout process. Please ensure you complete the registration process with your home organization and the registration process with EFHA.

Registration Process – *All players will be new to the EFHA*

If you played within an Edmonton Organization last season and have not moved in the past two years, no documentation is required. If you have moved within the last 2 years, please fill out a parent declaration form to update your address. [Parent Declaration Form | Hockey Alberta](#)

Online Registration: All age groups within the EFHA. The link to registration will be posted on the Hockey Edmonton website under the **Edmonton Female Hockey Alliance** tab.

Registration Process: Players who wish to try out for EFHA U9 Tier 1 and U11 Tier 1

For U9 and U11 players, there will be a two-step registration process if your player will be trying out for the Tier 1 teams:

- First, register for the season with your home organization.
- Second, a tryout registration will be completed with Edmonton Female Hockey Alliance. Registration will open on or before June 15.
- Players who are unsuccessful in the U9 or U11 Tier 1 tryouts will return to their home organization to start the evaluation process.
- Players who are successful in the U9 or U11 Tier 1 tryouts will have their registration transferred to EFHA. EFHA will work with families to collect payment for any differences in registration fees.

Registration Process - *Players who wish to try out for U13 AA*

For U13 players, there will be a two-step registration process if your player will be trying out for the U13AA teams:

- First, register for the season with EFHA under the U13 Tier 1-6 Registration.
- Second, a tryout registration will be completed with EFHA.
- Players who are unsuccessful in U13AA tryouts will be transferred to the U13 Tier 1-6 evaluation process for team formation under the EFHA.
- Players who are successful in the U13AA tryouts will have their registration transferred to the U13AA Registration. EFHA will work with families to collect payment for any differences in registration fees.

Registration Process - Players who do not wish to try out for U13AA.

- Register with the EFHA under the U13 Tier 1-6 Registration only.

Players who **live outside of Edmonton, but do not have a female team to play with** (Imports):

Please obtain a signed Player Movement form from your home association and submit it, along with the below documents, to registrarefha@hockeyalberta.ca:

- Proof of Residency (copy of a utility bill)
- Completed [Player Movement Form](#) (This form must be completed at the beginning of EVERY season your player is requesting to play with EFHA)
- A valid [Respect in Sport Parent](#) certificate (must be re-certified every four years)
- Signed [Parent Declaration Form](#)
- Completion of the [Intent to register with EFHA](#) form.

Other Information:

Play with a Friend Requests

EFHA will consider “play with a friend” requests for U13 Tier 1-6 Teams only. To request to play with a friend, please note which player(s) you would like to play with at the time of registration.

Please note the following criteria for play with a friend requests:

- Play with friend requests must be reciprocal, meaning that in order for EFHA to consider the request, both friends need to submit a play with a friend request naming the other friend(s).
- Requests will only be considered when friends evaluate in the same tier.
- Requests are considered and are not guaranteed.

Respect in Sport - Parent Course

Respect in Sport - Parent is mandatory for all players. In order to register your child for hockey, you must complete the [Respect in Sport - Parent](#) online course.

Important things to know:

- You must recertify every four (4) years (parents, coaches, bench staff, everyone)
- If you formerly completed the course and will be registering a child for hockey that has never participated in hockey before, you will be required to sign-in to the Respect in Sport website and add your child. This cannot be done by the EFHA and is the only way your child's Hockey Canada profile will be updated with the Respect in Sport - Parent qualification.
- If you completed this program in the past for another sport, you need to contact the Respect in Sport representatives to have the qualification transferred to Hockey Canada.

- Respect in Sport - Parent and [Respect in Sport - Activity Leader](#) are not interchangeable.
 - The Parent course attaches to the player's Hockey Canada profile and is required for player registration.
 - The Activity Leader course is required for all bench staff and cannot be used for a player's registration.