

United DFC: Policies and Procedures Temporary Player Policy

1.0 Purpose

United DFC (UDFC) recognizes that temporary players may request permission to train on a UDFC team for a period of time less than the length of a program. These players need to be covered by SNS insurance to train with a team and therefore must be registered. This policy is intended to provide guidance and clarity on the criteria for temporary players.

2.0 Definitions

N/A

3.0 Scope

This policy applies to any player interested in participating in a UDFC program for a period of time less than the length of a program.

4.0 Policy Statement

- Any exception to this policy must be approved by the Executive Director or the Director of Soccer.
- 2. The following criteria must be met to be considered a temporary player:
 - a. The player may not displace a current UDFC player who is either on the team or has the opportunity to train through the club's Player Call-Up Policy;
 - b. The player should be of the same performance level as the team of players;
 - c. The player must fulfil one of the following situations:
 - i. an exchange student;
 - ii. new or returning back to the area;
 - iii. a player being evaluated from another club;
 - iv. a player returning from an absence such as an injury and has missed the registration date for the current season and intends to register for UDFC for the upcoming season; or
 - v. in the case of Senior AAA, A, B or C players, they are working, travelling or otherwise unavailable for the majority of the season.

- d. The requested playing time must be less than 25% of the training weeks for a program as defined by the respective program descriptions for Mini & Youth & Senior AAA players; or, in the case of Senior A, B and C Men's and Women's Teams, the number of games in a season as defined by the respective MSMSL and MSWSL Leagues; and
 - i. For requested durations greater than 25%, refer to the Payment Policy for $\frac{1}{3}$, $\frac{1}{2}$, and $\frac{2}{3}$ program fee options.
- e. The coach is able to accommodate the requested temporary player in their training program.
- 3. The following rules must be followed:
 - Temporary players are not permitted to play games except for Senior A, B & C players;
 - b. Temporary players will not receive a Jersey 4 Life; and
 - c. Temporary players must be registered in RAMP before they participate.

5.0 Cost Breakdown

The cost will cover an administrative fee, SNS fee, and weekly training cost.

The club will reference the current season's SNS Fee per player, apply an administration fee, and a calculated cost based on the time in season and program cost.

6.0 Procedures

- 1. The parent, player or coach must submit a request in writing including the reason for the request and the length of time the player will attend to the Director of Soccer.
- 2. The Director of Soccer determines if a player meets the temporary player criteria.
- 3. If the criteria are met, the cost will be discounted to the amount of time a player will be training with the team.
- 4. Refer to the Payment Policy for specifics on the applicable SNS fees as well as the policy for registration in a program that is longer than temporary.

7.0 Related Policies, Legislation, and/or Documents

Payment Policy



Player Assessment Policy

Player Call-Up Policy

8.0 Approval and Review

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