

**F6.4. General Affiliation Regulations for Female Hockey as defined in F6.2 above are applicable.**

1. Movement of players is restricted as follows:

**AFFILIATION (FEMALE)**

- Major U18 Female from U18 AA, U18A, U15 AAA
- U18 AA from U18 A, U15 AA
- U18 A from U15 A
- U15 AAA from U15 AA, U13 AAA
- U15 AA from U15A, U13AA
- U15 A from U13A
- U15 C from U13 C
- U13 AAA from U13 AA, U13A
- U13 AA from U13A, U11AA
- U13 A from U11A
- U13 C from U11 C
- U11 AA from U11 A
- U11 A from U11 C
- U11 C As approved by HNSFC

*\* Teams cannot pull affiliates from a higher-level team in a division below.*

*\* Due to the mixed nature of some C teams, affiliation must be age appropriate.*

*\* In Associations where multiple levels do not exist for affiliation teams may, with Female Council approval affiliate from the next team available, regardless of level, without skipping a division.*

*• i.e., U15 AA may affiliate from U13 AAA where U13AA does not exist*

2. At no time may a player skip a division for the purpose of affiliation

3. Only players registered on a Team Registration form, and approved by the Regional Director, may advance to a team of a higher division or level for the purpose of affiliation.

4. Higher Division/Category Female Teams must attain consent from the lower Division/Category team prior to using an affiliate player. Failure to comply may result in suspension of the offending team's Head Coach.

5. A **maximum of three** affiliates may be used by one team within one game.

6. Female teams may use players from any combination of teams allowed within their club system affiliation. PURPOSE: To provide an opportunity for higher Division or Level teams to dress the maximum number of players allowable for a game in accordance with the playing rules. Affiliated players are to replace rostered team players who are sick, injured, suspended or away from the team and not to be used to increase a roster size.

7. Players registered with Female hockey are not permitted to affiliate to HCAS.