



MISSISSAUGA GIRLS HOCKEY LEAGUE

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MGHL PLAYER RESIDENCY, MOVEMENT & RELEASE POLICY

EFFECTIVE DATE

Approved, Version 1.0: May 1, 2018; Transitioned from Bylaws to Policy: May 26, 2025; Revised, Version 1.1: N/A.

PURPOSE

To govern the eligibility, placement, movement and release of Players within the Mississauga Girls Hockey League (MGHL) House League and Rep programs, including Non-Residents, in circumstances where the City of Mississauga policies allow for Non-Resident participation on MGHL teams.

SCOPE

This policy applies to all House, Rep and Women's League divisions (U7 through Senior) of the MGHL.

GUIDELINES

1.0 RESIDENCY

- 1.1. Membership of the MGHL will be limited to registered females of all ages in accordance with City of Mississauga definition of Resident.
- 1.2. In circumstances where the City of Mississauga policies allow Non-Residents on MGHL teams, the following will govern the placement of Non-Residents:
 - a. Allocation to specific teams will be recommended by the Rep Director / House League Director and approved by the MGHL Executive Board.
 - b. Non-Residents will be limited to (but not guaranteed):
 - i. Top Rep Team in each age group.
 - ii. Goalies, if no suitable Mississauga Resident at any level and age group of Rep or House League.
 - iii. MGHL Player who has moved away from Mississauga for as long as they continue to play for the MGHL. If the Player does not play for Mississauga in any year, they are not eligible to return and regain their status.
 - iv. On a case-by-case basis, exceptions to these rules to be recommended by the Rep Director / House League Director and approved by the MGHL Executive Board.



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3.0: PLAYER MOVEMENT

- 3.1 Players desiring to play at a higher division in the House League are required to write a letter to the Director of House League Operations explaining the reasons. Exceptions will be at the discretion of the MGHL Executive Board.
- 3.2 Rep Players must play at their own age group unless there is not a team of their caliber to play on. MGHL Executive Board approval is required.

4.0: REQUEST FOR PLAYER'S RELEASE

- 4.1 No Player is eligible for a Permission to Tryout / Skate Form or Release until all finances are cleared with the MGHL Treasurer and all money is paid in full to the MGHL.

OWNERSHIP

Please contact the MGHL President at President@mghl.ca with any questions or concerns regarding this policy.