

WAFC POL.10D Competitions Policy: Transfers & Permits

GENERAL INFORMATION

Lead Area:	WAFC Community Football
Lead Procedure Title:	Competitions Policy: Transfers & Permits
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POLICY BACKGROUND

All West Australian Football Commission competitions adhere to the AFL National Player Transfer Regulations. In addition to the national regulations, the below transfer and permit rules apply to all Junior & Youth Competitions under the control of the WAFC.

LOCAL TRANSFER RULES

At the full discretion of the WAFC Competitions Team, any one team with five or more WAFL Development Squad players can be penalised for transferring or permitting in any additional Development Squad players. Penalties include but are not limited to Premiership Points and can be reviewed and applied at any stage of the regular season.

PRIMARY REGISTRATION OF YOUTH PLAYERS

With the exclusion of WAFL Club listed participants, registered players who turn 18 on or after July 1 of the given year should hold their Primary Registration with a Junior Club or a club that have teams registered in a Junior competition. Players can Type-2 permit to Senior Community Clubs within partnership agreements.

Any players who turn 18 on or after July 1 who requests a transfer to a senior club are subject to approval by the WAFC.

LOCAL APPLICATION OF PERMITS

PERMIT TYPE	DESCRIPTION OF ACTION
<p>Type 1: Match Day Permits Allows a player to play a single match for a Club (other than the one to which the player is registered) and does not require home Club approval via Footyweb.</p>	<p>The WAFC prohibits the use of Type 1: Match Day permits in Junior & Youth Competitions. Type 1 permits are only to be used for representative football.</p>
<p>Type 2: Local Interchange Permits Subject to completion of an Interchange Agreement, this permit allows a player to play matches for a Club (other than the one to which the player is registered) and requires home Club approval via Footyweb.</p>	<p>The WAFC allows the use of Type 2: Local Interchange permits in Junior & Youth Competitions.</p>
<p>Type 3: Temporary Transfer Allows a player to temporarily transferred to or from the Northern Territory Football League for a maximum of one (1) season in accordance with the AFL National Player Transfer Regulations.</p>	<p>The WAFC allows the use of Type 3: Temporary Transfer permits for players playing in the NTFL only.</p>

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

[AFL National Player Transfer Regulations \(2020\)](#)