



Illinois High School Association
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NEW OFFICIAL RECIPROCAL LICENSE APPLICATION

Please read and follow all steps carefully. If you have any questions about the reciprocal license please call the Officials Department at the IHSA Office at (309) 663-6377.

- To qualify for a reciprocal license you must be a resident in a state other than Illinois.
- To Qualify for a reciprocal license you must hold an officials license in the state you reside.
- Name: _____
 Address: _____
 City, State, Zip: _____
 Business Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____
 Social Security Number: _____ Birth Date: _____
 Sports in which you wish to be licensed: (circle all that apply)

Baseball	Basketball	Competitive Cheerleading	Football	Boys Gymnastics	Girls Gymnastics	Soccer
Softball	Swimming	Track and Field	Volleyball	Water Polo	Wrestling	
- Please attach a copy of 2009-10 home-state officials card. You must be licensed in your home state in each of the sports you request in Illinois. If you are not licensed in a sport in your home state do not request it in Illinois. Applications sent without this copy will be returned.**
- Please include a copy of your Drivers License or State Issued ID. Applications sent without this copy will be returned.**
- Please include \$25 for the first sport and \$5 for each additional sport. _____ Total

CONVICTION STATUS

An IHSA Officiating License will not be issued to anyone convicted or adjudicated with a finding of fault, guilt or violation, in regard to an offense involving a minor or any sexual offense; or, convicted or adjudicated with a finding of fault, guilt or violation, in regard to an offense involving any illegal/illicit drug or controlled substance as prescribed by Federal or State law or regulation, prior to five (5) years following the completion of any sentence/parole/probation period imposed for the offense; or, currently serving a sentence or a parole/probation period for any offense or adjudication of guilt imposed by any court, judge or administrative body.

When a currently licensed official is indicted or charged with any criminal offense or charged with a violation of any statute pertaining to minors, drugs or a controlled substance, such license will automatically be suspended, pending resolution of the indictment or charge. Conviction or adjudication of fault, guilt or a violation under any such indictment or charge shall result in immediate and automatic forfeiture of the officiating license. Currently licensed officials must inform the IHSA of any such indictment or charge immediately upon receipt of or upon having knowledge of such indictment or charge.

An official whose license has been suspended or revoked, or an applicant who is denied a license, under the provisions of this policy, may petition for reinstatement/reapplication based on the following:

- If suspension, revocation or denial results from a felony: The official/applicant may petition for a license one year after the completion of the parole/probation period (provided the offense was NOT involving a minor or a sexual offense).
- If suspension, revocation or denial results from a misdemeanor or other non-felony charge: The official/applicant may petition for a license immediately upon the completion of the parole/probation period (provided the offense was NOT involving a minor or a sexual offense).

Check the appropriate response:

- I HAVE been convicted, or adjudicated with a finding of fault, guilt or violation, in regard to an offense involving a minor or any sexual offense, an offense involving any illegal/illicit drug or controlled substance; or I am currently serving a sentence or a parole/probation period for any offense or adjudication of guilt imposed by any court, judge or administrative body. (You must explain in full detail on an attached piece of paper. Include nature and date of conviction, dates and time served, probation/parole requirements, and dates of probation/parole.)
- I HAVE NOT been convicted or adjudicated of an offense involving a minor or any sexual offense, an offense involving any illegal/illicit drugs, and I am not currently serving a sentence or probation/parole period for any offense.

I wish to apply for a IHSA Reciprocal Officiating License. I have read the information and understand the terms with which I am receiving a license. I understand that termination of my home-state license means termination of my Illinois license;

I understand that I am applying for an IHSA Reciprocal Officiating License, and that obtaining that license entitles me to officiate contest between IHSA member schools for remuneration as an independent contractor;

I agree to abide by the policies set forth by the IHSA to maintain said license; and

I attest that the information provided in this application is true and accurate. Failure to provide true and accurate information could result in criminal prosecution.

Signature: _____