



PARTICIPANT MOVEMENT

Participating Outside the Health Zone Where You Reside: Players, Officials, Coaches

Preamble

Alberta Health Service's Guidelines include the statement, "*Individuals should participate in the health zone where they reside.*"

The intent is to limit spread of COVID-19 over wide areas of the province, however, in some circumstances, participating only within the health zone where one resides may actually run counter to that objective and may limit access to appropriate programming.

In these cases, Ringette Alberta *may* approve participating outside one's health zone. The following will be considered by Ringette Alberta in making its decision.

Considerations

- If there is no association in your community and your next closest opportunity is outside your Health Zone, your request *may* be approved
- If there is a ringette association in your community, but there isn't a reasonable opportunity within that program, as determined solely by Ringette Alberta, you *may* be approved.
- All movement must be pre-approved by Ringette Alberta which means prior to any participation.
- Ringette Alberta's decision is final and may not be appealed.
- At its sole discretion, Ringette Alberta reserves the right to revoke approval in the event circumstances change.
- Ringette Alberta will consider individual requests and team requests.

Application Process

The application must be completed in full and submitted to Ringette Alberta well in advance of the intended participation date. No participation is permitted unless and until approved by Ringette Alberta.

The signature(s) of the association(s) on the application indicate awareness by the association(s) and their acceptance of participant movement as it affects their association(s), but this does not indicate final approval.

The application will be available August 15th, 2020.