

RE-ACCREDITATION AS A REFEREE, REFEREE COACH OR ASSISTANT REFEREE – A SUMMARY FOR SYDNEY WEST RRA MEMBERS

To maintain accreditation for each of the match official disciplines listed to the right you will need to:-	REFEREE Level 1	REFEREE Level 2	REFEREE COACH Level 1	REFEREE COACH Level 2	ASSISTANT REFEREE Level 1	ASSISTANT REFEREE Level 2
Be an active participant in that particular discipline (accreditation may lapse if you do not remain continuously involved).	X	X	X	X	X	X
Maintain current Smart Rugby certification (i.e. re-certify online every two years).	X	X	X	X	—	—
Pass the online Referee Level 1 Re-accreditation Exam at least once in the 12 months prior to seeking reaccreditation.	X	—	—	—	—	—
Pass the online Referee Level 2 Re-accreditation Exam at least once in the 12 months prior to seeking reaccreditation.	—	X	X	X	—	—
Undertake a field test on a 15-a-side under 13 or older match with contested scrums and be assessed as a competent Level 1 Referee at least once every 4 years.	X	—	—	—	—	—
Undertake a field test on a 15-a-side match involving adults (i.e. senior law) with contested scrums and be assessed as a competent Level 2 Referee at least once every 4 years.	—	X	—	—	—	—
While undertaking a referee coaching assignment, be observed and assessed as a competent Level 1 or Level 2 Referee Coach, as appropriate, at least once every 4 years.	—	—	X	X	—	—
Pass the online Assistant Referee Level 1 Re-accreditation Exam at least once in the 12 months prior to seeking re-accreditation.	—	—	—	—	X	—
Pass the online Assistant Referee Level 2 Re-accreditation Exam at least once in the 12 months prior to seeking re-accreditation.	—	X	—	—	—	X

NOTE:

1. To renew Smart Rugby certification or sit an exam for re-accreditation, login to the Rugby Learning Centre via the Rugby Portal and complete the relevant course or **re-accreditation** exam online. When you've passed the online exam, email the VP Registration & Accreditation, Bob Watson, at sydwestrefs@gmail.com and let him know. Arrangements will then be made for a competency assessment to be carried out (should one be necessary).
2. The Refereeing Kids' Rugby U8-U12 course does not lead to formal referee accreditation. To become a Pathway referee you need only attend the RKR U8-U12 course, pass the online exam and join a referee association. The RKR Pathway referee qualification remains valid for five years, after which time it can be renewed by attendance at another RKR course and again passing the online exam. Smart Rugby must still be renewed every two years.
3. If you have any queries in connection with Smart Rugby or re-accreditation, please raise them with Bob Watson on 9876 1286 as early as possible.