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Re: Modified Game Participation Internal and External Competition
To: ALLIANCE Hockey Member Associations

As we progress through the OHF Return to Play Stage 3b some associations are inquiring about modified games 3 on 3 and 4 on 4. In Stage 3B, when associations complete the evaluation process, Cohorts should be formed for each tier. When this has been completed, they can progress to modified game play in their cohorts. Please participate in your cohorts and remain in your associations until we receive further notice from the OHF regarding external competition. We will share this with you as soon as it is available.

➤ **Clarification - November 9, 2020**

ALLIANCE Hockey is aware that there are some Member Associations who have been providing 5 on 5 competition in recent weeks. Please note, the OHF U16/U18 proposal was NOT approved by the Membership and the OHF remains at [Stage 3b](#) which only allows for 3 on 3 and 4 on 4 modified competition.

Also, OHF Return to Play Guidelines are to be followed even if your facilities are allowing 5 vs 5 competition.

With COVID-19 confirmed cases on the rise, we must remain diligent and compliant with [OHF Return to Play Guidelines](#) and Public Health and Ministry regulations or we risk losing Hockey Programming.

It is the responsibility of the Head Coach to ensure compliance of the [OHF Return to Play Framework and Stages](#). Non-compliance will result in an indefinite suspension, pending a hearing.

References:

[OHF Return to Play Framework and Stages](#)
[Rules for 3 on 3 and 4 on 4 modified games](#)

