



# NETBALL NSW SENIOR STATE TITLES

## Competition Rules

2020 Competition Rules Addendum

Below are updates to the Senior State Titles Competition Rules for the Competition in 2020.

## General Information

### Update to clause 2.1.7

15 years and 17 years of the Senior State Titles will be held over the October long weekend, Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> October to Monday 5<sup>th</sup> October 2020.

Opens age group of the Senior State Titles will be held over the weekend of Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> October to Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2020.

### Update to clause 2.2.2

Two (2) or more venues may be used for the Senior State Titles.

## Eligibility

### Additional clause 3.1.9

In 2020 players who meet the age criteria in clause 3.1.7 are eligible to play in both the 17U and opens Senior State Titles competitions.

## Team Nomination & Entry

### Update to clause 3.2.4

The closing date for entries including late entries to the Senior State Titles Competition is Tuesday, 14 April 2020. No entries will be accepted after this date.

### Update to clause 3.2.5

There will be no late entry fee in 2020, where all entries are received by Tuesday, 14 April 2020.

### Update to clause 3.2.6

There will be no penalty for a team withdrawing prior to the commencement of the Senior State Titles Competition.

### Additional clause 3.2.12

Netball NSW will publish the dates of a two-week window period where all entries can be confirmed, withdrawn or modified as required.  
Players added to a team list in this 2 week window will not be counted as a late registration.

## Late Registrations

### Update to clause 3.5.2

Teams can be modified as per the additional clause 3.2.12 within the published 2 week window, any players added to a team within this 2 week window will not be deemed as late registrations.

### Update to clause 3.5.3

Special permission may be granted for a Player to de-register and re-register with another team or an Association, when their original team they were registered to has withdrawn from the Competition. A request for special permission must be made in writing to the Competitions Manager, [cdale@netballnsw.com](mailto:cdale@netballnsw.com)

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### **Update to clause 4.1.2**

Teams in the Opens Division 1 and 2 may not play all teams in their division.  
The Competition format in all age groups will be determined by Netball NSW.

## Team Officials

### **Update to clause 5.1.1(c)**

Head Coaches must hold or be working toward a 'Development' Coaching Accreditation by way of completion of the on-line module.

### **Update to clause 5.1.1 (d)**

Assistant Coaches must hold a 'Foundation' Coaching Accreditation by way of completion of the on-line module.

## Umpires

### **Update to clause 5.2.1**

An Association competing in both Junior and Senior State Titles with multiple teams will only be required to supply one (1) additional umpire (i.e. where an Association enters 5 teams, 6 non-playing umpires must be provided).

Associations with teams competing in the Opens & Masters divisions will not be required to supply umpires as Netball NSW will be conducting a development weekend and will cover the umpiring allocations.

### **Update to clause 5.2.2**

An Association may be given approval to provide a non-badged umpire. A request for special permission which should include details of the non-badged umpire, must be made in writing prior to the nomination date to Chris Hall, Technical Officials Manager  
[chall@netballnsw.com](mailto:chall@netballnsw.com)

### **Update to clause 5.2.4**

Where umpires are not submitted twenty eight (28) days prior to the Competition, the Association will be contacted and it is requested that they nominate their umpires within 24 hours. If Associations do not submit an umpire within the 24 hours the Association will be fined \$500.00.

### **Additional clause 5.2.8**

Nominated umpires may not play, coach or manage a team during Senior State Titles