

**U.S. Soccer Federation Referee Program  
 AYSO/USSF Cross-Certification Agreement  
 Effective July 1, 2015**



AYSO referees levels Intermediate or higher can only cross over to a USSF Grade 8

USSF referee Grade 8 certify over to AYSO Regional  
 USSF referee Grade 7 can certify to AYSO Intermediate  
 USSF referee Grade 6 or higher can certify to AYSO Advanced

<b>Requirements for AYSO Referees</b>	<b>Requirements for USSF Referees</b>
<b>Fees:</b> Referees cross-certifying from AYSO to USSF need to include a check or money order in the amount of \$40, <u>made payable to their State Referee Association</u> , to cover the fee associated with certification as a USSF referee.	<b>Fees:</b> There are no fees associated with cross-certifying from USSF to AYSO. However, to be covered under AYSO's Soccer Accident Insurance (SAI), all volunteers must complete a Volunteer Application Form each year.
<b>Required AYSO Authorizing Signature:</b>  Section Referee Administrator for National <b>or</b> Area Referee Administrator for Intermediate and Advanced	<b>Required USSF Authorizing Signature:</b>  State Referee Administrator
<b>Return form and fees to:</b> Your USSF State Referee Association. Info can be found at: <a href="http://www.usoccer.com/referees/resource-center/contacts">www.usoccer.com/referees/resource-center/contacts</a>	<b>Return form to:</b> AYSO National Office Programs Department 19750 S. Vermont Ave., Suite 200 Torrance, CA 90502

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

USSF State Referee Association or AYSO Section/Area/Region: \_\_\_\_\_

USSF Grade or AYSO Level: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Attention USSF Referees:** Cross-certification as an AYSO referee requires completion of the AYSO Referee Safe Haven Certification Course (SHCC). Additionally, all AYSO referees must be approved by and registered with a local AYSO region and must annually complete a Volunteer Application Form (VAF). Please contact your local AYSO Regional Commissioner to submit and arrange for completion of AYSO SHCC.

I verify that the above named person is an approved volunteer in AYSO.

Regional Commissioner Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Region: \_\_\_\_\_