

# **UniSport Australia Guideline**

# **Cross Registration**

## When this guideline applies

This guideline applies to any competitor who wishes to participate in more than one sport at a UniSport Nationals multisport event. Cross registration only applies to one event and not across multiple events in a calendar year.

#### **1.** Implementing this guideline

- 1.1. When registering, competitors are able to select more than one sport. UniSport suggests that participants should compete in no more than two sports at an event.
- 1.2. Each additional sport will cost the competitor \$60.00.
- 1.3. Competitors cannot cross register across competitions or divisions within one sport, e.g. mixed netball and women's netball or Div 1 basketball and Div 2 basketball.
- 1.4. Cross registration limits are outlined in the sport guidelines for each sport at UniSport events. Universities are responsible for managing cross registration limits for their teams. UniSport will monitor and provide advice to teams.
- Note: there is no 'primary' sport. Both sports count toward cross registration numbers.
- 1.5. Non-competing officials do not count towards cross registration numbers.
- 1.6. Teams in breach of cross registration limits will forfeit any games played.
- 1.7. UniSport strongly recommends that cross registrations are not used to reach minimum numbers. Minimum numbers should be reached with individual registrations.

## 2. Exempt sports

- 2.1. Sports that do not have cross registration restrictions include: cheer and dance, cycling, fencing, golf, judo, kendo, rowing, rugby 7s, rugby league 9s, surfing, and taekwondo.
- *Example 1*: if a competitor has registered in both basketball and cycling, their cross registration will count in the basketball cross registration count but will not affect cycling.
- *Example 2*: if a competitor has registered in both touch and hockey, their cross registration will count in the touch cross registration count and hockey cross registration count.
- *Example 3:* if a competitor has registered in both fencing and rowing, their cross registration will not count towards either sports as these sports do not have cross registration restrictions.

#### 2.2. Beach volleyball

- Players who are registered in a mixed fours beach volleyball team will only be permitted to cross register in a pairs team should a player sustain a competition-ending injury or family emergency.
- Players who are registered in a pairs team are ineligible to cross register in a mixed fours team.
- Reference should be made to the UniSport *Replacement Player* guideline for information on pre-event and event time processes.

#### **Previous amendments**

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