



**2017 GIRLS ROCKY MOUNTAIN DISTRICT
PLAYER DEVELOPMENT GUIDE**

USA Hockey Girls Player Development District-Specific Guide

The USA Hockey Girls Player Development District-Specific Guide outlines the 2017 girls' player development process in each of the twelve districts. This guide provides information on the opportunities available in each district and shows how a player may progress through her district's player development process to be eligible for opportunities at the district, regional, and/or national level. At a national level, girls from the 2000, 2001, and 2002 birth years, who are U.S. citizens and complete the district tryout process, will be eligible for potential advancement to one of the following age-specific Girls National Player Development Camps:

Girls 15 Player Development Camp <i>(July 8-12, 2017)</i>	Girls U18 Player Development Camp <i>(July 15-21, 2017)</i>	Girls U18 Select Player Development Camp <i>(June 24-30, 2017)</i>
216 players Each district receives allocated spots for the 2002 birth year generated by registered female players in each district.	180 players Each district receives allocated forward and defense spots for the 2000 and 2001 birth years generated by registered female players in each district and the performance of that district's specific birth year. Goalie spots are considered "at large."	66 players There are no set allocations for this camp. The USA Hockey National Team Staff and Tryout Directors in each District will collectively determine who is selected for this camp from the 2000, 2001, and 2002 birth years.

Players may also be eligible for opportunities at the district and regional level. Most opportunities focus on the 14 to 17 year old age range (2000-2002 birth years); however, additional developmental opportunities may be available in some districts for the 1999, 2003, and 2004 birth years. These opportunities will vary in each district and are included in each district's player development process in this guide. For more information, please contact the Girls'/Women's Section Representative in your district.

Because each district is responsible for designing its girls' player development process, it may vary from district to district (i.e. birth years included, location of tryouts, regional opportunities, etc.). Because the districts are not all identical, the size of a district, the number of girls registered in that district, and the geographical proximity of the registrants in the district are a few of the factors that influence a district's player development process.

For more information on the 2017 Girls National Player Development process, please read the [2017 Girls U18 National Player Development Guide](#).

Note: This information is specific to the 2017 player development process and the process, dates, locations, format, cost, number of players, etc. may vary from year to year. Additionally, the 16 and 17 year olds (2000/2001 birth years) are combined in the district-specific progressions, but these birth years are evaluated separately and have distinct, birth-year specific player allocations for district, regional, and national opportunities.



16s/17s

BIRTHYEARS: 2001/2000

State Open Tryout

(Each state is allocated a certain number of spots at the district camp based on a district formula)

- Arizona: March 10-11; Goalies - March 9 (Phoenix, Arizona)
- Colorado: March 24-26; Goalies - March 20-22 (Centennial, Colorado)
- Idaho: March 17-19 (Coeur d'Alene, Idaho)
- New Mexico: TBD (TBD)
- Oklahoma and Texas: March 24-26 (Irving, Texas)
- Utah: TBD (TBD)

Select players will be chosen to attend the district evaluation and camp.

Multi-District Camp and Tryout

~21 2000 birth year and ~24 2001 birth year Rocky Mountain players
\$640
June 10-14 (Colorado Springs, Colorado)

Select players will be chosen to participate in the following camps:

U18 Select Player Development Camp

June 24-30
(Biddeford, Maine)
\$150

66 players

U18 Player Development Camp

July 15-21
(St. Cloud, Minnesota)
\$150

180 players

15s

BIRTHYEAR: 2002

State Open Tryout

(Each state is allocated a certain number of spots at the district camp based on a district formula)

- Arizona: March 23-25 (Phoenix, Arizona)
- Colorado: March 24-26; Goalies - March 20-22 (Centennial, Colorado)
- Idaho: March 17-19 (Coeur d'Alene, Idaho)
- New Mexico: TBD (TBD)
- Oklahoma and Texas: March 24-26 (Irving, Texas)
- Utah: TBD (TBD)

Select players will be chosen to attend the district evaluation and camp.

Multi-District Camp and Tryout

~32 Rocky Mountain players
\$640
June 10-14 (Colorado Springs, Colorado)

Select players will be chosen to participate in the following camps:

U18 Select Player Development Camp

June 24-30
(Biddeford, Maine)
\$150

66 players

15 Player Development Camp

July 8-12
(St. Cloud, Minnesota)
\$150

216 players

KEY

- USA Hockey National U18 Select Player Development Camp (66 players chosen from all districts' 2000, 2001, 2002 birth years)
- Multi-District Player Development Camp
- USA Hockey National Player Development Camps (180 players comprised of each districts' specific allocations in the 2000 and 2001 birth years and 216 players comprised of each districts' specific allocations in the 2002 birth year)

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14s

BIRTHYEAR: 2003

State Open Tryout

(Each state is allocated a certain number of spots at the district camp based on a district formula)

Arizona: March 23-25 (Phoenix, Arizona)

Colorado: March 24-26; Goalies - March 20-22 (Centennial, Colorado)

Idaho: March 17-19 (Coeur d'Alene, Idaho)

New Mexico: TBD (TBD)

Oklahoma and Texas: March 24-26 (Irving, Texas)

Utah: TBD (TBD)

Select players will be chosen to attend the district evaluation and camp.

Multi-District Camp

~32 Rocky Mountain players

\$640

June 10-14 (Colorado Springs, Colorado)

KEY

■ Multi-District Player Development Camp

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15s/16s/17s
 BIRTHYEARS: 2002/2001/2000

District Tryout

All goalies should register and attend the Affiliate (if applicable) and District Tryouts required in her District.

Select players will be chosen to attend the following camps:

<p>Women's National Goalie Development Camp May 11-14 (Blaine, Minnesota)</p> <p>~18 Goalies <i>This goalie-only development camp provides a range of talented goalies (veteran National Team goalies to National Team hopefuls) the opportunity to train with National Team coaches. USA Hockey Appointed Scouts and Coaches will evaluate goalies throughout the season to determine which goalies are selected for this camp (goalies ages 15 and older are eligible).</i></p>	<p>Girls U18 Select Player Development Camp June 24-30 (Biddeford, Maine) \$150</p> <p>6 Goalies <i>Goalies in the 2000-2002 birth years will be selected for this camp and the selections are considered "at large." USA Hockey Appointed Scouts will work with each District to determine which goalies will advance to this camp.</i></p>	<p>Girls U18 Player Development Camp July 15-21 (St. Cloud, Minnesota) \$150</p> <p>20 Goalies <i>8 goalies in the 2000 birth year and 12 goalies in the 2001 birth year will be selected for this camp and the selections are considered "at large." USA Hockey Appointed Scouts will work with each District to determine which goalies will advance to this camp.</i></p>	<p>Girls 15 Player Development Camp July 8-12 (St. Cloud, Minnesota) \$150</p> <p>24 Goalies <i>Each District is allocated one goalie for the 2002 birth year. The remaining 12 selections are considered "at large." USA Hockey Appointed Scouts will work with each District to determine which goalies will advance to this camp.</i></p>	<p>Mid-Am Multi-District Goalie Camp July 4-9 (Kent, Ohio) \$650</p> <p>~32 Goalies <i>Goalies in the 1999-2003 birth years in participating districts may be nominated by their District for one of 32 spots available for all goalies. Players chosen for this camp are decided solely by each District's tryout evaluation staff. Goalies attending this camp may also be selected to attend the Mid-Am Multi-District Player Development Camp held August 6-11 in Kent, Ohio.</i></p>	<p>District Development Camps</p> <p>Goalies may also be invited to participate in their District's development camps, regional development camps, and District-specific goalie camps when available. Player selections for these opportunities are decided solely by each District's tryout evaluation staff. In 2017 the following districts host goalie-specific development camps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Michigan: August 25-27 Farmington Hills, MI • Minnesota: August 3-6 St. Cloud, MN
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KEY

- USA Hockey National Goalie Development Camp
- USA Hockey National U18 Select Player Development Camp
- USA Hockey National U18 or 15 Development Camp
- Multi-District Player Development Camp
- District-Specific Player Development Camp