



USA Hockey values the role District Tryouts play in determining which players advance to USA Hockey National Player Development Camps (Girls 15 Camp, Girls 16/17 Camp, and Girls U18 Select Camp) as well as other District and Regional opportunities. To streamline the communication surrounding selections and provide families with as much advanced notification as possible for planning purposes, USA Hockey and its twelve districts follow a National Notification Timeline to notify players of National Camp Selections on targeted dates built into the annual District Tryout calendar. If a selected player has an extenuating circumstance (emergency, injury, sickness, etc.) that prevents her from participating in a camp, it is possible that a player named as an alternate may be invited by the National Office to attend camp after the final National Notification Timeline date, and this invitation to attend the camp may happen as late as the start (or even a few days into) the camp.

Girls U18 Select Camp Selection Process: USA Hockey's National Scouting/Evaluation staff leverages in-season competitions, district tryouts, district camps, along with prior regional, district, and National Player Development Camp experience to evaluate and select the 70 age-eligible players who will be invited to the 2018 Girls U18 Select Player Development Camp. All player selections and alternates for the U18 Select Camp will be named on May 16, 2018. *Note: If a player from a district that has not completed its District Tryout process prior to May 11, 2018, is selected for the Girls U18 Select Player Development Camp, that player will be required to attend (and benefit from the training and experience provided at) all tryouts/camps remaining in their District Tryout process to remain eligible for any 2018 Girls Player Development Camps.*

Girls 16/17 and Girls 15 Camp Process: USA Hockey allocates forward and defensive spots for the 2001 and 2002 birth years. Each district receives one forward and one defense spot for the 2001 birth year. Each district receives allocated spots for the 2002 birth year generated by the prior performance of that districts' specific birth year. All goaltender spots for the 2001 and 2002 birth years and 12 of the 24 spots at the 2003 birth year are considered "at-larges." USA Hockey allocates forward, defensive, and the remaining goaltender spots for the 2003 birth year based on number of female players registered in this birth year in each district. Players will be evaluated throughout their 2018 District Tryout process to be selected for the Girls 16/17 or the Girls 15 Camps and will be notified in accordance with the 2018 National Notification Timeline below.

NATIONAL NOTIFICATION TIMELINE

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MAY 16, 2018

- All player selections and alternates named for the Girls U18 Select Camp for all twelve districts
- Player selections for the Girls 16/17 and Girls 15 Camps for allocated spots in the districts that have completed their District Tryout process prior to May 11, 2018 (*Atlantic, Central, Massachusetts, Mid-American, Minnesota 2001s/2002s, Southeast, New England, New York, and Northern Plains*)
- Any players from districts that have completed their District Tryout process prior to May 11, 2018, that are still in-consideration for alternate or at-large spots for the Girls 16/17 or Girls 15 Camps

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JUNE 20, 2018

- Player selections announced for the Girls 16/17 and Girls 15 Camps for allocated spots in the districts that have completed their district tryout process after May 11, 2018 (*Minnesota 2003s, Pacific, and Rocky Mountain*)
- Final "At-Large" and "Alternate" selections named for the Girls 16/17 and Girls 15 Camps