



Regional Referee Recertification

Age	18 years of age or older
Enrollment	Registration
Previous Certification Experience	Must have held at least one (1) Regional Referee license in the previous three (3) registration years OR Must have held a National Referee or National Assistant Referee license in their career
Safety & Compliance	Background Screening SafeSport training Safe and Healthy Playing Environments
Training	Online or In-Person Regional Referee Recertifying training Online Laws of the Game Update In-person or virtual practical training
Fitness Test	FIFA Fitness Test (sprints & interval) Male - Women's Category 1 Female - Women's Category 3 Must be completed within the current or previous registration year
Evaluations	Two (2) evaluations as a referee within the previous registration year - see slide 44 for scoring requirements (2025 registration year: July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025): Evaluations to be performed on matches at the adult amateur level (or above), with no more than one (1) evaluation allowed at the highest youth level (U18 or U19) (2 x 45-minute halves)

2026 Changes

- Course materials updated
- Clarification that evaluations are as a referee (not an assistant referee), and confirmation of scoring requirements
- Introduction of in-person delivery options with U.S. Refereeing Way materials
- Provision of U.S. Refereeing Way practical training materials (optional sessions)