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## **2025 NJAYF WAIVER REQUEST FORM**

<b>DATE OF REQUEST</b>

<b>PARTICIPANT'S INFORMATION</b>		
FULL NAME:	AGE:	DIVISION OF PLAY:
ADDRESS:	CITY:	ZIP CODE:
SCHOOL PARTICIPANT WILL BE ATTENDING IN SEPTEMBER:		
FOOTBALL OR CHEERLEADING:		

<b>REQUESTING WAIVER FROM/TO</b>
"FROM" (TOWN):
"TO" (TOWN):

<b>REASON FOR REQUEST</b> BE SPECIFIC AND LEGIBLE. <i>FAILURE TO COMPLETE THIS SECTION WILL RESULT IN AUTOMATIC DENIAL OF WAIVER REQUEST.</i>

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# 2025 NJAYF WAIVER RULES & REGULATIONS

## 3:2.2 REGISTRATION – ASSOCIATION OBLIGATIONS TO ASSIGNED BOUNDARIES AND TERRITORIES

- A. Any participant in NJAYF programs shall play football or cheer in the assigned franchise Territory in which they actually live or where they would normally attend public high school in relation to where they live. In those instances where a franchise's territory does not coincide with the sending district of the area's high school, participants must reside within the territorial boundaries of the franchise of which they intend to participate.
- B. Participants must indicate on the Registration Record, the name of the school that they will be attending in September, of the actual playing season. Each franchise President shall ascertain whether or not the school indicated for each participant on their Registration Record, is within the legal boundaries of their permanent or temporary residence and if not a full detailed explanation must be provided to the NJAYF Executive Board, so that a determination can be made with regard to the eligibility of that participant to continue with that franchise.

## 3:2.3 REGISTRATION – WAIVERS

- A. A franchise may petition the NJAYF Executive Board and at their discretion the NJAYF Executive Board, depending on each individual situation, may grant an administrative waiver to allow any participant in a franchise other than where he or she would normally be required to participate; as required in the AYF National Rulebook.
- B. Associations must hold registrations on a first come basis, for participants within their assigned territory and boundary, and placed on a preliminary roster, number 1 through 36.
- C. Associations may sign up POTENTIAL WAIVERED PARTICIPANTS during open registrations only; however, they may not take the place of a participant from within the assigned territory.
  - a. **PARTICIPANTS MUST FIRST REGISTER AT THEIR ASSOCIATION IN THEIR ASSIGNED TERRITORY.** When registering in the franchise outside of their territory, these participants seeking waivers will be placed on slot 37 and below on the preliminary roster (waiting list).
  - b. No fees are to be collected at this time for any potential waived participant.
  - c. There are to be no guaranteed positions given on any team/squad at this time to any participant seeking a waiver.
  - d. Associations will continue registering participants from within their territory, and place these individuals on slots prior to 37.
- D. Waiver requests must be filled out completely and approved by both franchise Presidents with the approval of the participant's parent or guardian. No waiver request shall be submitted without parent or guardian approval. It is the responsibility of the franchise President to ensure the parent or guardian approves of said waiver request.
- E. Completed waiver requests are to be submitted to the NJAYF Secretary, not prior to June 15<sup>th</sup> annually. Any waivers received after July 15<sup>th</sup> will be considered on a case by case basis and may not be approved.
- F. The Waiver Committee with the advice and consent of the NJAYF Executive Board, will either approve or deny any waiver at this time.
- G. Approved waivers will be returned to the appropriate franchise. Each waived participant's Tracking and ID Card will have a Waiver Approved stamp.
- H. Administrative waivers are good for only one (1) year; must reapply if so desired for the following year.

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