

# Registering for an Entry Level Referee Clinic!



If you're interested in starting the certification process in becoming a referee or taking an Entry Level referee clinic, please follow the steps below to register for a clinic.



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## Four Steps to Complete an Entry Level Referee Clinic

**Step 1:** Register for Clinic



**Step 2:** Complete online theory component



**Step 3:** Complete on-field practical session



**Step 4:** Clinic Graduation



Complete registration & payment

Complete online theory component

Complete practical on-field session

Clinic graduation

### GETTING STARTED

1.	Search for available referee clinics via RefCentre at <a href="http://www.refcentre.com/BC">www.refcentre.com/BC</a>
2.	Student signs up for a clinic, completes registration and payment; a RefCentre account is created. <b>*Important Note*:</b> remember the username (email address) and password set up at the time of registration. This will be your RefCentre login information.
3.	To access your RefCentre account go to <a href="http://www.refcentre.com">www.refcentre.com</a>
4.	Student begins the online theory component, by completing 17 self-guided modules and questions via RefCentre. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Students can save their progress and complete at their own pace</li> <li>• 80% is required on each module before moving onto the next module</li> <li>• Should take approx. 7-10 hours to complete, and students will be given a minimum of 7 days to complete all 17 modules.</li> <li>• Completed modules are accessible for future review and education</li> </ul>
5.	After student has completed the 17 self-guided modules, student will attend a 2.5 hour webinar (zoom session) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Zoom meeting link will be emailed to students approx. 3-4 days prior to the session</li> </ul>
6.	Once the webinar (zoom session), has been completed, student will complete an online exam via RefCentre <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The exam is an open book exam. Before you start the exam, ensure that you have a copy of the IFAB Laws of the Game Book available to assist you.</li> <li>• Once you begin the exam, you will have 1hr to complete the exam. A passing mark of 80% is required</li> <li>• Students who do not successfully pass the Entry Level clinic in the first instance, will be given one opportunity to re-take the exam. Students will need to wait 48hrs to re-take the exam.</li> </ul>
7.	Students who successfully pass the online exam will be eligible to attend the on-field practical session scheduled for their clinic with a BC Soccer Instructor. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Referee badges will be provided at the on-field practical session</li> </ul>
8.	Upon completion of the practical on-field session, students will be required to complete their feedback and graduation process in RefCentre in order to graduate and receive their referee certification.
9.	All participants are required to successfully complete the online theory component, and on-field practical component in order to graduate and complete the Entry Level Referee Clinic. Individuals who successfully complete the Entry Level Referee clinic will be classified as a <b>Youth Referee</b> (if they are 14 or 15 years old) or a <b>District Referee</b> (if they are 16 years old or older).

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