

ELIGIBILITY PILOT WAIVER GUIDELINES

Waiver Guidelines.

- 1. The student-athlete must have been previously enrolled and participated at the certifying Division III institution.
- **2.** The student-athlete must satisfy all existing eligibility standards (e.g., full-time enrollment, satisfactory progress).
 - (Note: The student-athlete may be an undergraduate or graduate student.)
- **3.** There must be an existing academic relationship between the certifying Division III institution and the non-certifying institution, and the student-athlete is enrolled at the non-certifying institution pursuant to that existing academic relationship.
- **4.** The certifying Division III institution must provide objective documentation confirming the following:
 - a. The existence of an academic relationship between the certifying Division III institution and the non-certifying institution.
 - b. That the non-certifying institution has proper accreditation.
 - c. That the non-certifying institution does not sponsor varsity athletics.
 - d. That both institutions agree to the student-athlete's participation.
 - e. That the conference office has approved the participation.
 - f. The proposed process for certifying academic eligibility (e.g., full-time enrollment, satisfactory progress) of the student-athlete.
 - g. The student-athlete has adequate insurance coverage (Bylaw 20.8.4.8).
 - h. Both institutions agree to cooperate in any investigations involving allegations of NCAA violations.
 - i. That the certifying institution acknowledges that it is responsible for and may be held accountable through the enforcement procedures for any violations involving the student-athlete even if the violation is a result of conduct by the non-certifying institution (e.g., the other institution provides the student-athlete financial aid based on athletics).