



PLAYOFF TIE BREAKER

Overtime for playoffs will be handled as follows:

For all preliminary games leading up to the Final and if necessary, games:

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As per ALA Regulation 9.07

If a game is tied at the end of regulation time, **one sudden-victory overtime period** will be played. The length of this period will be as specified in the **Lacrosse Canada Age and Stage Modifications**.

- U11 - 15 Runtime (last 2 mins Stop Time)
- U13 - 15 Runtime (last 2 mins Stop Time)
- U15 - 15 Stop Time
- U17 - 15 Stop Time

If the game remains tied at the end of the sudden-victory overtime period, the game will proceed to a **shootout**.

The shootout will be conducted as follows:

- Teams will take **alternating penalty shots**.
- The **home team will choose** whether they shoot **first or last**, and that order will remain the same for all rounds of the shootout.
- The shootout will proceed **one round at a time** and will continue until **one team scores and the opposing team does not score** during their respective penalty shots.
- The team that scores while the opposing team does not will be declared the **winner**.
- If **both teams score**, another round of the shootout will be conducted.

Teams must use a **different shooter in each round** until all eligible players have taken a penalty shot.

The following players are **not eligible to shoot**:

- The **goaltender**
- The **substitute goaltender**
- Any player who **left the playing surface due to injury**
- Any player who was **servicing a penalty prior to the conclusion of overtime**

Once all eligible players have taken a shot, the rotation may begin again with any eligible player.