

NCAA DI HOCKEY CHANGES

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Some dramatic changes are coming to the NCAA DI Hockey landscape.

- ✓ Each team will have a maximum of 26 full ride scholarships.
- ✓ In the past the NCAA gave out 1,080 scholarships and moving forward 1,660 scholarships will be offered.
- ✓ Roster maximum will be 26 players.
- ✓ Previously NCAA teams only had 18 full scholarships to offer. So, some players would receive no money or low percentage deals.
- ✓ CHL will send we expect on average 100 players a year to the NCAA. Then the following leagues will be sending players to DI – USHL, BCHL, NAHL, AJHL and perhaps some other Canadian Tier 2 leagues.
- ✓ USPORTS in Canada will now recruit more Tier 2 Junior players.

NORTH AMERICAN JUNIOR LEAGUE RANKINGS

1. WHL - 2. USHL - 3. BCHL - 4. OHL - 5. QMJHL - 6. NAHL - 7. AJHL - 8. SJHL - 9. CCHL - 10. MJHL - 11. OJHL - 12. NCDL - 13. KIJHL - 14. SIJHL - 15. NOJHL - 16. MJAHL - 17. VIJHL - 18. QJHL - 19. USPHL PREMIER - 20. NA3HL - 21. EHL PREMIER - 22. USPHL ELITE