

Form Instructions – U-16/U-19 Play Time Monitoring Form

Purpose:

Tournaments who choose to allow free substitution in the U-16 and U-19 divisions must (according to AYSO's guidelines for the Experimental Program for U-16/U-19 Play) provide a monitor to keep track of the players' playing time that is independent (neutral) from either team.

This form is used by the independent time monitor to track playing time. Prior to the game, each coach fills out the information for their own respective team, and then presents the form to the time monitor. The time monitor then keeps track of each player and how long they are on the field playing.

If your tournament rules state that you are going to allow free substitution in divisions U-16 and U-19, you must submit this form (or your own form that is similar to this one) with your Tournament Authorization Package.

Entry Instructions:

Team Identification Information	Each coach fills out the top of the time card with the information to properly identify his/her team.
Player Identification Information	Each coach lists the players First and Last Name in Jersey number order.
Player Time Monitoring	The Time Monitor carefully keeps track as each player comes in and out of the game by making an "X" in the box next to each player when they are on the field, and draws a line through the box if they have been substituted out of the game. The Time Monitor keeps track at 5-minute intervals during the game. If a player is substituted during the 5-minute interval, the Time Monitor puts an "X" in the box of the player who was on the field at the start of the 5-minute interval.
Total	At the end of the game, the Time Monitor adds up all the "X"s for each player, multiplies them by 5 minutes, and enters the total minutes played in the Total column.
Signature	The Time Monitor prints his/her name at the bottom of the time card, then signs to confirm that they have performed the independent time monitoring duties. The time monitor then turns in the time card to the designated tournament official at the conclusion of the game.

Notes:

During the game, the helpful Time Monitor will keep the coach apprised of any players who are in jeopardy of not receiving their minimum 50% playing time, giving the coach a chance to correct it during the game. The goal is to help the coach make sure each player gets at least 50% playing time.

If this is a medal-round game, the Time Monitor stops recording at the end of regulation time.