



TO ALL NATIONAL WRESTLING FEDERATIONS

Subject: Referees' clinic

Dear Mr. President,

We noticed that, since the beginning of the year, the registration process for the various available referees' clinics was not clear for everybody. Therefore, we wish with this circular to reply to the different questions we received from National Federations.

First of all, we remind you that you can find the list of clinics organized throughout the year on the following link: <https://unitedworldwrestling.org/development/refereeing-courses>

There are five levels of courses for referees :

Level	Description of the course	Participation fee	Duration (in days)
I	Course for new candidates	CHF 100.- Per Person	2
II	Promotion from category III to category II		2
III	Promotion from category II to category I		2
IV	Annual control for category I and promotion to category I S	CHF 100.- for promotion	2 (promotion) 1 (control)
V	Annual control for category I S and selection course for Olympic Games	No fee	1

As you can read in the table, only candidates and referees who wants to be promoted needs to attend the two-day clinic before the competition. If a referee wants to participate in a control course during a competition, he only has to attend the referees' consultation the day before the competition.

Referees will not be required anymore to present the authorisation form signed by their Federation to participate in a clinic.

For all clinics, Federations have to enter their referees in the course directly on the Athena system. When clinics take place during an International Tournament, they will also have to inform the organizer so their accommodation can be planned. The participation fee will have to be paid to the instructors during the theoretical part.

Regarding new candidates, the National Federation shall create their profiles on Athena system with a valid passport and picture. Once this is done, United World Wrestling will validate the document and you will then be able to register your candidate in the level I clinic.

We thank you for your kind collaboration and understanding.

Best Regards,

Corsier-sur-Vevey, 30th of May 2018/tm