

## SHARING ICE WITH DIFFERENT COHORTS – Effective November 16, 2020

Effective November 16, 2020, teams from different cohorts will be permitted to share the same ice surface provided they adhere to the following protocols.

### Protocols:

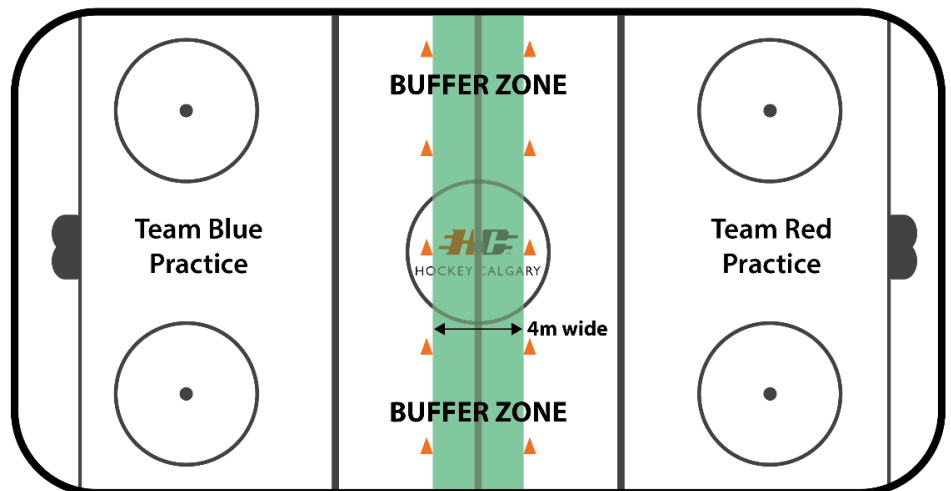
- Maximum 2 teams
- Hockey Calgary strongly recommends that associations limit the number of teams each team shares the ice with to 2-3 teams (ex. U11 Team 3 and U13 Team only share with each other)
- These groupings of teams will be referred to as a 'Practice Partner Teams'
- Physical distancing between the two teams is mandatory on and off the ice
- Total number of participants on ice cannot exceed 50 (**see notes**)
- **No interaction between cohorts while entering or exiting the ice surface.**
- Adhere to PPE requirements
- Players and coaches are not permitted to cross the barrier/buffer zone to retrieve pucks. A coach from the other side can use their stick to return any pucks that inadvertently cross half.

### Notes:

- Facility restrictions supersede all other restrictions
- During the Team Training Phase (Nov 16 – Dec 1) if a team is made up of players from multiple 'development season' cohorts, they are required to run physically distanced practices. As per Hockey Alberta, **maximum 30 on-ice participants for a physically distanced session.** Therefore, if a team is made up of players from multiple 'development season' cohorts, they must be the only team scheduled until December 1.

### Physical Buffer Zone

Each team will set up at least 5 cones on their side of the ice, 2 metres away from the red line



### Physical Barrier (Boards or Bumpers)

Set up foam bumpers or hard

