

# HOCKEY AT-LARGE & SEEDING CRITERIA

## Division II Hockey

### At-Large:

The pool will be comprised of the fourth and fifth place team from each conference. This will be determined by the conference bylaws and could be based on the conference tournament or regular season results.

Each team in the “pool” will be given a point value of .5 or one against each other team being considered. Points will be assigned using the following ranked criteria (**Endowment games are not considered**). If there is a tie, the same criteria will be used to break the tie, disregarding the other teams. If the tie still exists, there will be coin toss by ASAA staff to determine who advances

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2. Record against common opponents at all classifications.
3. Record against common state qualifiers at that classification.
4. Record against common opponents at that classification.

### Seeding:

Once the two at-large teams are selected, then the tournament will be seeded using the same criteria with a “new pool” made up of the eight teams.

## Division I Hockey

### Berths:

The top five (5) teams from the Cook Inlet Conference and top two (2) teams from the Mid-Alaska Conference and the Division II Hockey Champion. In the event the Division II Champions were to choose not to accept the berth, then the final berth would be chosen from a pool including the 6<sup>th</sup> place CIC team, 3<sup>rd</sup> place Mid-Alaska team and the Division II runner-up, using seeding criteria.

### Seeding:

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