

Prior to 10 Process

Players who were born outside of the U.S. but entered the country to live prior to their 10th birthday simply need to provide proof in order to be cleared to register with U.S. Soccer. The document being used as proof should have the player's name, a date that is prior to the player's 10th birthday, and show that the player was taking part in day-to-day life in the United States. They also need to submit a copy of their birth certificate.

Acceptable forms of proof documentation include, but are not limited to, the following:

- School report cards
- Doctor/immunization records (cannot be a computer generated form dated after the player has turned 10)
- Certificate of Baptism
- Previous registration history with a different sports program

Unacceptable forms of proof documentation include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Passport/visa entry page
- Class group photo that does not individually identify each student
- Letter from player/parents verifying the date they moved to the country

In order to be cleared via this method, the player should complete the following steps:

1. Complete the [Prior to 10 Submission Form](#)
2. Obtain a copy of some form of official document that proves the player was living in the United States prior to their 10th birthday per examples listed above.
3. Send a copy of both the P10 3-15 Form, players' birth certificate, and proof document to State Association.
4. Once received, the player's documentation is reviewed by U.S. Soccer and approval is sent to State Association. The State Associations will notify whether clearance has been granted.

Please note that children have medical privacy rights and there is no obligation to release any information concerning a child's medical history or identifiers.

Submit completed forms and required documentation via one of the following methods:

Mail

North Texas Soccer
Attn: International Clearance
3803 Parkwood Blvd. #200
Frisco, TX 75034

Email

ICRequest@ntxsoccer.org
Please include player's name in the subject line

Fax

214-297-5030
Attn: International Clearance
Please be sure to include an email address on the cover letter to send notification of the approval