



ANNOUNCEMENT

To: State Directors of Referee Instruction
National Referee Instructors
National Instructor Trainers

From: Alfred Kleinaitis
Manager of Referee Development & Education

**Re: State Referee Instructor Course Module: Increasing Instructor Effectiveness (IIE)
October 30 - November 2, 2003**

Date: September 4, 2003

The United States Soccer Federation National Program for Referee Development is pleased to announce that we have scheduled a State Referee Instructor Course Module, Increasing Instructor Effectiveness (IIE), from October 30 – November 2, 2003., at the Olympic Training Center in Colorado Springs.

Completion of the INCREASING INSTRUCTOR EFFECTIVENESS module is one-half of the required course work to obtain the grade of State Referee Instructor - Provisional. TRAIN THE TRAINER is the other module required.

The State Director of Instruction has the responsibility to forward course announcements such as this one to qualified and eligible candidates from your respective state associations.

Actual course work will begin promptly at 8:00 AM on Friday, so students should plan to arrive in the evening on Thursday, October 30. The course will conclude by 12:00 Noon, Sunday, November 2.

The attached registration form must be completed and returned to the National Office. Attendance is limited to the first ten (10) registrations received from qualified candidates. All other applicants will be placed on a waiting list and will be notified if space becomes available.

cc: State Association Presidents
State Referee Administrators
Chair, State Referee Committee



**APPLICATION
STATE REFEREE INSTRUCTOR COURSE
INCREASING INSTRUCTOR EFFECTIVENESS (IIE) MODULE
October 30 - November 2, 2003**

***CLINIC APPLICATION FEE: \$25**

NAME: _____ SOCIAL SECURITY # _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ E-Mail Address: _____

STATE ASSOCIATION: _____ REFEREE GRADE: _____

INSTRUCTOR GRADE: _____ ASSESSOR GRADE: _____

OCCUPATION: _____

LOCATION OF ITIP COURSE COMPLETED: _____

DATE: _____ LEAD INSTRUCTOR: _____

Your course application must be approved and endorsed by your State Director of Instruction (or the SRA, if there is no SDI).

Signature of SDI (or SRA): _____

ARRIVAL FLIGHT INFORMATION - Please plan to arrive after 4:00 PM on Thursday, October 30 and depart after 12:00 Noon on Sunday, November 2, 2003.

Date: _____ Time: _____

Airline: _____ Flight No: _____

Departure Flight Information

Date: _____ Time: _____

Airline: _____ Flight No: _____

Emergency Contact:

Name: _____

Phone: _____ (home) _____ (work)

Limited enrollment - register early

***Please make checks payable to the United States Soccer Federation (fee is non refundable after acceptance to course)**



State Referee Instructor Course Increasing Instructor Effectiveness

ABOUT THE COURSE

This module is one-half of the course work required for applicants interested in obtaining State Referee status. During this module, participants will gain experience in observing and evaluating an instructor in a classroom setting, will learn a conferencing style and have an opportunity to practice in role-playing situations.

PREPARING FOR THE COURSE

Please review and study all ITIP materials from previous courses prior to arrival at the OTC.

TESTING

You will be tested on the *Laws of the Game*. The test given will be at a higher level than the State Referee Test. An ITIP review test will also be given.

PRESENTATIONS

There are no student presentations in this course, however, role-playing sessions will be observed and evaluated.

MATERIALS NEEDED

It would be very helpful if you were able to bring with you some or all of the following:

- ! Notepaper, Pencils/Pens
- ! Three ring binder
- ! Clipboard
- ! Watch (chronograph style)

DRESS

National Program for Referee Development polo shirts.