

VQ Player Transfer Process

Player Timelines

Players wishing to change Affiliates (clubs) must now apply within a specific timeframe. All other requests outside this timeframe will not be accepted.

As well as the Pre-Season Transfer Window, the Mid-Season Transfer Window is a two-week period after Round 3 of PVL where transfers will be allowed.

<u> 2024 Timelines:</u>

- Monday, 1 January 2024: Preseason Transfer Window Opens
- Monday, 11 March 2024 (5pm): Preseason Transfer Window Closes
- Saturday, 23 March 2024: VQ Country Championships
- Sunday, 14 April 2024: PVL Round 1
- Sunday, 21 April 2024: PVL Round 2
- Sunday, 28 April 2024: PVL Round 3
- Sunday, 28 April 2024 (5pm): Mid-Season Transfer Window Opens
- Friday, 10 May 2024 (5pm): Mid-Season Transfer Window Closes

Transfer requests outside this timeframe will be treated on its merits, and exemptions will apply to transfer requests outside of the Greater Brisbane Area (regional athletes).



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Transfer Request Process

- 1. Player submits a transfer request to their current club using the Transfer Form on the VQ Website.
- 2. A club will have seven (7) days to respond.
 - a) A response may be 'Accept', 'Reject' or 'Defer'.
 - b) If a club has not responded after seven (7) days, they will be sent a final reminder. If they have not responded to the final reminder within 24 hours, the player will automatically be released. The Affiliate will be charged a \$50.00 processing fee if an automatic release is required.
- 3. If a club <u>defers or rejects</u> a transfer request, the player will have five (5) days to provide payment, information, or evidence to their current club. In this time, a player may lodge an appeal if they believe the club's deferral reason is invalid.
 - Once the player has shown evidence to the club or appealed to VQ, the club will have two
 (2) days to complete the Transfer request or provide evidence as to why the player cannot be transferred.

The deadline for the Player Transfer Window refers to when the transfer process must be <u>lodged</u>; completion of this process may occur outside the window, a player will not be eligible to take court for their new Affiliate until the transfer process is completed.