



# BECOME A U.S. SOCCER REFEREE FOR THE FIRST TIME!

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## Create a profile.

Create your profile in the Learning Center at <https://learning.ussoccer.com>.

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## Register for your course.

Register for a FIRST TIME GRASSROOTS referee course with your State Referee Committee (SRC). Find your SRC contact information at <https://learning.ussoccer.com/referee/hosts>.

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## Complete all coursework.

Complete all online coursework AND attend the in-person/virtual session with your SRC.

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## Receive your license!

Your state will issue your license. View your license and license history in the Learning Center on your profile page.

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## Check the mail for your badge.

Badges are mailed by the SRC who hosted your course. Reach out to them directly if you have questions on when you will receive the badge!

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## Purchase a referee uniform!

Official Sports International (OSI) is one of U.S. Soccer's Technical Partners and the Official Referee Uniform Supplier of U.S. Soccer. Your support of OSI directly supports the U.S. Soccer Referee Program and the local referee community. <https://officialsports.com>

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## Connect with local assignors!

Ask your SRC for information on your local assignors. Reach out to them and sign up for their assignment platform. <https://ussoccerfederation.force.com/lcsupport/s/article/Game-Assignments>

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## Referee your first match!

You may request a Referee Mentor to observe one of your matches to provide feedback and support. Ask your SRC for more information!