

## Policy and Procedures Eligibility

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**Wales Lacrosse Executive Board** 

These criteria will take effect from 1 September 2025.

Players shall be qualified to play for Wales (including entry into Wales Academy) if they are a member of Wales Lacrosse and:

- (a) they were born in Wales; and/or
- (b) one of their parents, step-parents, adoptive parents, grandparents or great-grandparents is Welsh; and/or
- (c) their husband, wife or civil partner is Welsh; and/or
- (d) they reside in Wales; and/or
- (e) they are enrolled in or attended (for a minimum period of 12 months) a college, university or school in Wales; and/or
- (f) they have been capped by Wales at any level.

For the avoidance of doubt, being "Welsh" means that any such person was born in Wales albeit that such person may no longer reside in Wales, and "capped", in relation to any player, means that that player has represented Wales at a national level (either senior or junior) and has been officially "capped".

## **Notes**

- Should a player, that has been capped undergo a change in circumstances (e.g. they no longer live in Wales or have divorced) that player will be deemed to have qualified for Wales regardless of their new circumstances.
- Any player currently in a Wales Lacrosse academy, national squad or that has represented Wales in any capacity prior to 1 September 2025 and has qualified under the old eligibility criteria (that no longer exists), will be "Grandfathered" and allowed to continue to represent Wales at all levels academy through to National squads.

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