

GBR FIE REFEREE DAILY PAYMENTS POLICY

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1. POLICY STATEMENT

As part of British Fencing's commitment to improving the quality of refereeing within the UK, and increasing the numbers of active FIE referees, British Fencing will pay eligible FIE qualified referees in certain circumstances

Payments will be made by BF to FIE qualified referees when they are selected to officially represent BF as GBR FIE referees (or other official duty as allocated by the BF Events Manager) at nominated Individual Events or nominated Team Events at Junior World Cups where the squad is organised by British Fencing and the Eden Cup.

If a referee is accompanying a trip that has been privately organised (including all EFC events, satellite events) then BF will **not** be making any payment.

Referees may charge BF a fee of up to £80 (gross) per day of refereeing.

Referees that opt to be paid this fee will not be entitled to claim any available additional subsistence for the days that they charge this fee.

To be eligible to charge this fee referees are required to

- a) officiate at a minimum of 3 BF domestic competitions.
- b) complete a self-employment declaration
- c) complete a GBR FIE Referee Agreement Form
- d) submit a claim within 3 weeks of the event for which the fee is applicable
- e) for all foreign Junior World Cups invoices should be made out and sent to Sport80 (acting as an agent for BF).

Declarations and agreements must be completed each season and returned to the British Fencing Referee Manager via email refereeing@britishfencing.com

For more information please read the FIE tendering process explains this in detail.