



YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIPS

The official interpretation of “Impacted Players” - Playing Condition 28.4(b) and 28.5(b)

40 Over Cricket

40 Overs a side cricket (Under 11,12 and 13 competitions. Also, Under 14 Female)

Segment 1 - Overs 1 to 8 – There must be 2 fielders on the boundary. No more, No Less.

Segment 2 – Overs 9 to 36 – There must be 4 fielders in total, either on the boundary or in the slips or gully. No More, No Less.

Segment 3 – Overs 37 to 40 – A maximum of 4 fielders can be outside the inner fielding circle. All other positions are left to the discretion of the fielding team.

In Reduced Over Matches refer to the table listed at Playing Condition 28.5(b).

During Segment 2 the only acceptable fielding combinations are:

1. 4 fielders (excluding the WK) who are in a catching position behind the stumps on the offside & none on the boundary **OR**
 2. 3 fielders (excluding the WK) who are in a catching position behind the stumps on the offside and 1 on the boundary **OR**
 3. 2 fielders (excluding the WK) who are in a catching position behind the stumps on the offside and 2 on the boundary **OR**
 4. 1 fielder (excluding the WK) who is in a catching position behind the stumps on the offside and 3 on the boundary **OR**
 5. No fielders (excluding the WK) in a catching position behind the stumps on the offside and 4 on the boundary **OR**
- “On the boundary” – At point of delivery fielders should be no more than four (4) metres from the boundary line/fence.
 - “Catching Position behind the stumps” – Impacted Players in these positions at point of delivery must not be the wicket keeper, must be on the offside of the batter and within 10 meters of the batter.

* Application During Segment 2

The point at which the bowler releases the ball, the five (5) fielders who are not “impacted players” must be positioned in what would normally be considered as the inner fielding circle: 27.43 metres for male cricket, 23 metres for female.

* Application During Segment 3

The only restriction in segment three is that no more than four fielders at anytime can be outside of the fielding restriction circle