



Alberta Athlete Development Program (AADP) Funding Policy

The goal of the AADP program, as stated by Athletics Alberta is to identify and assist Alberta athletes with their future individual training and competition expenses by awarding funding based on individual accomplishments at the Provincial and National levels as well as those performance measured against Athletics Alberta standards.

Funds received by the Calgary Spartans will be held for the benefit of the athlete awarded the funds.

Eligible Expenses:

As per Athletics policy, AADP funds may be used to offset any of the following expenses between January 1 and December 31 of the funded year:

- a. Travel to and from training camps and competitions
- b. Accommodations
- c. Meals (not exceeding \$40/day)
- d. Expendable training materials and equipment (e.g. spikes)
- e. Training costs (e.g. facility rental)
- f. Club membership fees
- g. Personal expenses (e.g. specialized or additional coaching costs)
- h. Therapy (e.g. Physiotherapy)

Injury:

If an athlete becomes injured and/or does not train or compete, and therefore does not expend all the AADP funding, then the club will return the unexpended portion of this funding.

Club Transfer:

If an athlete transfers out of the Calgary Spartans in mid-year, the club will apply any AADP expenditures against the outstanding balance. Any remaining balance will be paid to the club that the athlete transfers to.

Athletics Alberta will be notified of athlete transfer through the completion of the Release/Transfer form and confirmation of the amount of AADP funds being transferred.