## RIGHT ATHLETE [RARE] RIGHT ENVIRONMENT



## QUESTIONS THAT COULD SUPPORT A RARE ASSESSMENT...

Matching the environment to a player's physical, mental and social needs at any point in time is critical to ensuring they can thrive, develop and enjoy their time playing hockey.



What combination of club, school, county, Talent Academy, National programme environments are best for me/my child?



How does this session/activity/game impact on a player's hockey programme and overall 'load'?



Is it the right time for my child to move to a different club?

RARE ASSESSMENT FACTORS What are the financial implications?

Does the player's commitment to hockey versus other activities match their aspirations and stage of development?

What is the players biological age and stage of development?

IS THIS IN THE BEST INTERESTS OF THIS PLAYER AT THIS TIME?

Is the travel time and overall life-load appropriate for the age/stage of the player?

Will the new environment provide more frequent and high-quality training and competition environments?

What will be the sociological impact of the move on the player?