

# Fantasy Contests

**Q: What types of games will be available?**

All of the normal sports games offered by firms in the daily and season-long Fantasy Contest business.

**Q: I already play fantasy sports. What will be different?**

Very little will be different if the fantasy sports provider applies and obtains a license from the PA Gaming Control Board. Licensing of the fantasy sports providers allows for the calculation of revenue and determining of taxes owed to the Commonwealth based upon entries made while the player is within Pennsylvania.

Additionally, the Pennsylvania law requires licensed fantasy sports operators to offer contests to “beginners”, thus excluding highly experienced players in this level of contests, and prohibits the use of scripts by participants which can impart unfairness in the play of fantasy contests.

**Q: Who will receive tax revenues from Fantasy Contests?**

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania assesses a tax of 15% of the adjusted revenue of fantasy contests with that revenue going into the General Fund.

**Q: What is the minimum age to participate?**

Generally, a participant in Fantasy Contests must be at least 18-years-old. If an individual is participating in a Fantasy Contest being offered within a Pennsylvania casino, they must be at least 21 years old.

**Q: Do I have to be playing while in PA as with Internet Gaming?**

No, but you must be in a state where fantasy contests are

legal. **Q: Will there be tools in place to restrict excessive spending?**

Yes. An individual may self-exclude from participating in any Fantasy Contest. The companies licensed in Pennsylvania to offer fantasy games must also allow a person to establish limits or restrictions on his or her account, such as on the amounts of deposits accepted, the amount spent per day on Fantasy Contest entries, and the number of entries in a day.

**If your question was not answered, please e-mail us at**  
[gamingexpansion@pa.gov](mailto:gamingexpansion@pa.gov)