Durham County Rugby Football Union Referees' Society Referees' Grades – Season 2022-23 Jan 2023

NPMOT	Former RFU Panel	RFU - ARs	Level 5
Nathan Howarth Gavin Jones Women's International Panel Nikki O'Donnell	John M. Pearson Alan Hughes Will Halford	Paul Fincken L6 Brendan Fitzmaurice L6 John Meredith Adam Morrison	James Gray Adam Tweddle * Simon Williams *
Level 6 Kevin Allison * Matt Arrowsmith * James Burchell * Louis Dinsdale * (Carl Hall) Lewis Lacey * Will Lacey * Revis Phillips	Level 7 Peter Ashman Michael Brace Shaun Cox Mark Harrington Mark Jude Phill Jukes (Cameron Patterson) * Andrew Purves Tony Rutherford Andrew Scott Matthew Seager-Rooke *	Level 8 Trevor Alley Colin Davison Andrew Flisher (John Forester) David Hines Mark Hirst Tim Lang Mark Piert Sam Plyming Gareth Richards Joe Riddle Lewis Simon Mark Smith Ray Sutherland David Swainson Nigel Thompson Michael Tonra Philip Walton Mark Wise	Level 9 Jason Ashman Helen Ashman Maciej Byles Derek English Jonathan Fincken Alan Irvin Stuart Major Gary McKay Richard Morrison Derek Muirhead Steve Pounder Gary Strong Doug Wardle
Level 10 Jenny Carter Ian McGeorge Wilf How Olivia Hunter Laura Lines Upul Kumarapeli Nick Steel	Level 11 Imandi Kumarapeli Daniel Addison Nick Evans		Young Match Officials' (Under 18 and below) George Townsley

* Federation Development Squad.

() indicates NOT available due to injury/other circumstances

Relative positions determined from reports to date.

Names within the grade are in alphabetical order.

Fitness requirements – **Season 2022-23** Every referee is encouraged to pass the fitness test. Those wishing to be considered for appointment at Levels 5 and 6 must pass the appropriate fitness test

Anyone at level 6 or above who has not passed their fitness test will not be appointed to level 6 or above games unless no qualified level 6 or above referee is available. If they do not successfully complete their fitness test by the mid-season grading meeting, they will be automatically be moved to level 7. After this point the normal Grading Promotion/Relegation process will be followed.