Any Non-paid members of the Board of Directors; Education Staff; Coaching Education Staff; ODP Coaches and Scouts; Affiliate Member's Officers and Board Members; and Program Directors, Team Managers, Athletic Trainers, Coaches, Assistant Coaches and Substitute Coaches, and any other individual over the age of 18 seeking affiliation with NSSA who has direct or indirect contact or influence on a youth player shall be known collectively as “Adult Participant” for the purposes of this policy. An Adult Participant is any adult (18 years of age or older) who is:

1. A member or license holder of an NGB, PSO, LAO, or USOPC;
2. An employee or board member of an NGB, PSO, LAO, or USOPC;
3. Within the governance or disciplinary jurisdiction of an NGB, PSO, LAO, or USOPC;
4. Authorized, approved, or appointed by an NGB, PSO, LAO, or USOPC to have regular contact with or authority over Minor Athletes.

Any NSSA player registered for the current season with an affiliated NSSA member will be known as “Minor Athlete” or “Player” for the purposes of this Policy. A Minor Athlete is an amateur athlete under 18 years of age who participates in, or participated within the previous 12 months in, an event, program, activity, or competition that is part of, or partially or fully under the jurisdiction of, an NGB, PSO, USOPC, or LAO

A. Background Screening

1. Overview

Consistent with the goals of the PROTECT Act of 2003 and the SafeSport Act, NSSA requires background screen on all Adult Participant, 18 and older. Every Adult Participant is required by NSSA to apply for Risk Management (RM) prior to regular contact with a Minor Athlete, every year by using the state's online Risk Management system.

A nation-wide criminal history background check is performed on every Risk Management Applicant submitted every year. Each Risk Management Application is subject to a processing fee. The Nebraska State Soccer Board will determine the costs and billing each yearly registration cycle no later than the AGM. (Apr 17) Every Adult Participant must provide his or her Social Security Number, which will be kept confidential by the Risk Management Committee. Those applicants who do not have a Social Security Number (International Applicants) may be required to have an additional background check with an additional processing fee. Any applicant who has been disqualified or declared by another sport organization to be temporarily or permanently ineligible is required to self-disclose this information at the time of application. Failure to disclose is a basis for discipline/disqualification.

2. Disqualification Criteria

The Nebraska State Soccer Risk Management (RM) Committee will make all initial decisions pertaining to an individual’s eligibility to participate with the Nebraska State Soccer Association. The Risk Management Committee has the authority to immediately disqualify an individual based on the results of any criminal history background check(s). The Risk Management Committee also has the authority to attain more information on questionable or serious offenses & convictions based on the results of any criminal history background check(s).
The Risk Management Committee Consists of:

Operations Manager/Executive Director, the President and the Past President. The President may appoint a replacement if any of these positions is vacant.

Nebraska State Soccer reserves the right to modify or change the make-up of the RM Committee with or without notice and for any reason it deems appropriate and/or sees fit.

Upon reviewing the results of any background check conducted, the RM offenses and/or convictions listed below, in whole or in part, may cause the Risk Management Applicant to be immediately disqualified from participation with the NSSA all NSSA related activities and events, all NSSA affiliated league activities and events, and all US Youth Soccer related activities and events. NSSA reserves the right to contact the applicant regarding their criminal history in an attempt to gather more information. Information provided by the applicant is taken into consideration by the RM Committee in determining the eligibility of the applicant to participate with NSSA.

Offenses not listed here are still susceptible to Disqualification at the RM Committee’s discretion:

1. Any felony.

2. Any misdemeanor involving:
   a) Any conviction or adjudication of guilt for all sexual crimes, criminal offenses of a sexual nature to include but not limited to; rape, child molestation, sexual battery, lewd conduct, possession and distribution of child pornography, possession and distribution of obscene material, prostitution, indecent exposure, public indecency, and any sex offender registrant.
   b) Any conviction or adjudication of guilt for a crime against a person (including domestic violence and crimes involving firearms).
   c) Any conviction or adjudication of guilt for Harm to a minor and vulnerable person, including, but not limited to, offenses such as child abandonment, child endangerment/neglect/abuse, contributing to the delinquency of a minor, and DUI with a minor.
   d) Any conviction or adjudication of guilt for stalking, harassment, blackmail, violation of a protection order and/or threats.
   e) Any conviction or adjudication of guilt for animal abuse or neglect.
   f) Any conviction or adjudication of guilt for sale, manufacture, or intent to deliver drugs.
   g) Any conviction or adjudication of guilt for crimes involving controlled substances (not paraphernalia or alcohol).

3. Intentionally falsifying information or refusal to fully complete the Disclosure Form.

4. Any conduct which discriminates against any individual on the basis of race, color, ancestry, national origin, religion, age, marital status, sex, and sexual orientation which includes sexual harassment, which may consist of a request for sexual favors, unwanted or illegal sexual advances or propositions, verbal, physical and visual harassment, stalking, and unwanted or illegal sexual contact.

5. Any person who becomes involved as a defendant in litigation detrimental to the welfare of youth players, or litigation based on activities or conduct that reasonably may be deemed to be detrimental to the welfare of youth players shall be suspended by the RMC or State Risk Management Coordinator from all soccer-related activities until completion of the litigation. Upon written request of the suspended person, the status of such
person shall be reviewed by the RMC at the completion of the litigation. Matters detrimental to the welfare of youth players shall include but not be limited to crimes of moral turpitude, felonies and any of the crimes or activities referred to above. The person has a right to appeal whether the matter that is the substance of the accusation, if true, is detrimental to the welfare of youth players. Privileges may be reinstated at the conclusion of the litigation process by the RMC.

NSS, the NSSA RM Committee and NSS Legal Counsel have the right at any time to add additional offenses and convictions to the list as outlined above. NSS reserves the right to disqualify an individual when presented with evidence of inappropriate communication, contact, or contact with children or other individuals even if not charged, convicted, or tried in a court of law. NSS also reserves the right to disqualify an individual if that individual’s behavior and/or conduct are considered detrimental to NSS, the NSS membership, or NSS member leagues.

The RM Committee analyzes RM offenses and/or convictions acquired from criminal history background check(s) with a general incident date ten (10) years prior to the application date. The RM Committee also reserves the right to review incidents that date back further than ten (10) years and disqualify the individual, if that individual’s criminal history indicates a possible serious threat to the well-being and safety of children.

The RM Committee also reserves the right to perform criminal history background check(s) at random time periods on any Adult Participant who has previously applied for Risk Management and who may or may not have a criminal history.

3. Disqualification Procedure

The NSS RM Administrator will send written notification to every Adult Applicant who has been disqualified by the RM Committee with instructions on how to appeal the decision made by the NSS RM Committee. The disqualified individual has ten (10) calendar days from the receipt of the notice of disqualification to submit an appeal in writing to the NSS State Office.

The NSS RM Administrator will send written notification to every Adult Applicant who is asked to provide more information by the RM Committee pertaining to offenses and/or convictions found as a result of criminal history background check(s). The NSS RM Committee may request additional information if it becomes aware of information about an individual that could have a negative impact on NSS. If the Adult Applicant fails to respond to the NSS RM Administrator within 10 calendar days of the receipt of the written notification for more information, then the individual will be considered disqualified from participation with the NSS. A reversal of the disqualification will not be considered until the requested information is received from the applicant.

(a) If an Adult Applicant has any pending charge in matters stated in this policy, the Risk Management Committee may disqualify the individual after a preliminary review. The individual will receive a letter of disqualification which will stand until a determination has been made by the appropriate legal court system and/or the NSS RM committee determines that the matter has been resolved. After this determination is made, the individual has the right to appeal his/her disqualification within 30 calendar days. The individual forfeits all rights to appeal if a written request of appeal is not received by NSS within the allotted time period.

4. Appeal Process

The Board of Directors shall hear appeals arising from Risk Management suspensions or revocations. The decisions of Board of Directors shall be appealed to USSF pursuant to USSF Rule 705. The appeal process will be as follows:

1. All appeals shall be subject to normal appeal fees.
2. Upon receipt of the notice of suspension, or revocation the applicant has fifteen (15) business days to notify the RMC of intent to appeal such action. This notification shall be in writing and sent to the RMC in care of the Nebraska State Soccer Office.

3. The applicant will be notified, in writing, of the time, date and place of the appeal hearing. Such notification shall be sent by regular mail, e-mail or via facsimile transmission.

At the time of the hearing, all evidence on behalf of Nebraska State Soccer shall be presented to the appeal board by the RMC. The appellant may present any supporting documentation for the appeal.

**B. Education & Training**

Amateur Organization Members must implement and enforce a policy (1) requiring education and training designed to meet the Amateur Organization Member’s obligations under the this Policy, the SafeSport Act, and the MAAPP for (a) Amateur Organization Member employees and board members and (b) Adult Participants who have Regular Contact with or authority over amateur athletes who are minors, in each case as a condition to participation, and (2) subject to parental consent, offer and provide training to Minor Athletes.

Nebraska State Soccer Mandates the minimum training requirements provided in the chart below:

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### C. Reporting

Nebraska State Soccer requires all representatives, members and participants to immediately report any violations or suspected violations of the Nebraska State Soccer Risk Management Policy during any sanctioned programs, events, activities and competitions to a team official, sanctioned program, event, activity or competition official or Nebraska State Soccer representative. The following chart can be used as a guide for reporting.

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### D. Monitoring & Enforcement: No Retaliation

(a) Nebraska State Soccer prohibits reprisal or retaliation against a representative, member or participant for filing a good faith complaint of misconduct, for supporting or assisting, in good faith, another member in pursuing a complaint or in assisting in the investigation of a complaint.

(b) Members must report incidents of retaliation on the same basis as they are to report incidents of harassment. Nebraska State Soccer will not retaliate or discriminate against any member for exercising, in good faith, any rights under this Policy. Retaliation is a violation of this Policy.

### E. Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policies

This policy shall apply to all In-Program Contact between Adult Participants and Minor Athletes.

All athletes turning 18 who still meet the threshold for Regular Contact or authority must complete the SafeSport Core training, and must comply with the Prevention Policies herein, absent the Close-In-Age exception which may apply to the enforcement of Prevention Policies only.
I. One-on-One Interactions
   a. Observable and interruptible
      • One-on-one In-Program Contact between an Adult Participant and a Minor Athlete must be observable and interruptible.
      • Isolated, one-on-one interactions between Minor Athletes and Adult Participants are prohibited, except under emergency circumstances, unless:
        o A Dual Relationship Exists; or
        o The Close-in-Age Exception applies; or
        o A Minor Athlete needs an Adult Participant Personal Care Assistant (“PCA”), and:
          ▪ The Minor Athlete’s parent/guardian has provided written consent to the Amateur Organization Member for the Adult Participant PCA to work with the Minor Athlete; and
          ▪ The Adult Participant PCA has complied with the Amateur Organization Member’s education and training policy; and
          ▪ The Adult Participant PCA has complied with the Amateur Organization Member’s screening policy.

   b. Meetings and training sessions
      Adult Participants must follow the one-on-one interaction policy in all meetings and training sessions where Minor Athletes are present.

   c. Meetings with mental health care professionals
      If a mental health care professional meets with a Minor Athlete at a sanctioned event or a facility, which is partially or fully under our jurisdiction, the meeting must be observable and interruptible except if: (1) the door remains unlocked, (2) another adult is present at the facility, (3) the other adult is advised that a closed-door meeting is occurring, although the minor’s identity need not be disclosed; (4) the organization is notified that the provide will be meeting with a Minor Athlete, and (4) written legal guardian consent consistent with applicable laws and ethical standards is obtained by the mental health care professional, with a copy provided to our organization.

   d. Individual training sessions
      One-on-one, In-Program, individual training sessions must be observable and interruptible except if:
      o A Dual Relationship Exists; or
      o The Close-in-Age Exception applies; or
      o A Minor Athlete needs an Adult Participant Personal Care Assistant (“PCA”), and:
        ▪ The Minor Athlete’s parent/guardian has provided written consent to the Amateur Organization Member for the Adult Participant PCA to work with the Minor Athlete; and
        ▪ The Adult Participant PCA has complied with the Amateur Organization Member’s education and training policy; and
        ▪ The Adult Participant PCA has complied with the Amateur Organization Member’s screening policy.

      The Adult Participant providing the individual training must obtain the written permission of the minor’s legal guardian at least annually, which may be withdrawn at any time. Parents, guardians, and other caretakers must be allowed to observe the training session.

   e. Monitoring
      When one-on-one interactions between Adult Participants and Minor Athletes occur at a facility partially or fully under the organization’s jurisdiction, another Adult Participant will monitor each
meeting or training session. Monitoring includes reviewing the parent/guardian consent form, knowing that the meeting or training session is occurring, knowing the approximate planned duration of the interaction, and dropping in on the meeting or training session.

f. Parent Training
Parents/guardians receive the U.S. Center for SafeSport’s education and training on child abuse prevention before providing consent for their Minor Athlete to have a meeting or training session with an Adult Participant subject to these policies.

II. Athletic Training Modalities, Massages and Rubdowns

a. Application
This policy shall apply to all In-Program training athletic training modalities, massages, or rubdowns of Minor Athletes.

b. Licensed, certified professional
- Any athletic training modality, massage or rubdown performed by an Adult on a minor athlete at our facilities or a training or competition venue is prohibited unless such Adult is a licensed massage therapist.
- Any athletic training modality, massage or rubdown performed at our facilities or a training or competition venue by a licensed professional must be observable and interruptible. Any massage of a minor athlete must be done with at least one other adult present and must never be done with only the minor athlete and licensed massage therapist in the room.
- Even if a coach is a licensed massage therapist, the coach shall not perform a rubdown or massage of an athlete under any circumstances.

c. Written consent
Written consent by a legal guardian shall be obtained at least annually before providing any athletic modality, massage, or rubdown on a minor athlete. Parents must be permitted to be in the room as an observer.

d. Parent Training
Parents/guardians receive the U.S. Center for SafeSport’s education and training on child abuse prevention before providing consent for their Minor Athlete to have a meeting or training session with an Adult Participant subject to these policies.

e. The provider should narrate the steps in the massage, rubdown, or athletic training modality before taking them, seeking assent of the Minor Athlete throughout the process.

III. Locker Rooms and Changing Areas

a. Application
This policy shall apply to:
1) All In-Program Contact between Adult Participants and Minor Athlete(s) in a locker room, changing area, or similar space.
2) Staff and board members of Nebraska State Soccer.
b. Use of recording devices
Use of any device’s (including a cell phone’s) recording capabilities, including voice recording, still cameras, and video cameras in locker rooms, rest rooms, changing areas, or similar spaces at a facility under our organization’s jurisdiction is prohibited. Exceptions may be made for media and championship celebrations, provided that: parent/legal guardian consent has been obtained, such exceptions are approved by Nebraska State Soccer, everyone is fully clothed, and two or more Adult Participants are present.

c. Undress
Under no circumstances shall an Adult Participant shower with Minor Athletes or otherwise be undressed (disrobed or partially or fully unclothed where private body parts are exposed) in front of minor athletes unless: a Dual Relationship exists, the Close-In-Age Exception applies, or a minor athlete requires a Personal Care Assistant (“PCA”) and the PCA requirements set forth in above have been fulfilled.

d. Isolated one-on-one interactions
   • All one-on-one, In-Program contact between an Adult Participant and a Minor Athlete in a locker room, rest room, or changing area must be observable and interruptible, except if:
      o A Dual Relationship Exists; or
      o The Close-in-Age Exception applies; or
      o A Minor Athlete needs an Adult Participant Personal Care Assistant (“PCA”), and:
         ▪ The Minor Athlete’s parent/guardian has provided written consent to the Amateur Organization Member for the Adult Participant PCA to work with the Minor Athlete; and
         ▪ The Adult Participant PCA has complied with the Amateur Organization Member’s education and training policy; and
         ▪ The Adult Participant PCA has complied with the Amateur Organization Member’s screening policy.

   • If our organization is using a facility that has access to a single set of such facilities, we will designate times for use by Adult Participants, if any.

e. Monitoring
Our organization regularly and randomly monitors the use of locker rooms, rest rooms, and changing areas at facilities under our jurisdiction to ensure compliance with these policies. Our organization will provide a private or semi-private place for minor athletes to change clothes or undress at sanctioned events that include locker rooms and/or changing areas for athlete use.

f. Non-exclusive facility
If our organization uses a facility not under its jurisdiction (for, e.g., training or competition or similar events) and the facility is used by multiple constituents, Adults Participants are nonetheless required to adhere to the rules set forth here.

g. Adults make every effort to recognize when an athlete goes to the locker room or changing area during practice and competition and, if they do not return in a timely fashion, we will check on the athlete’s whereabouts.

h. We discourage parents from entering locker rooms and changing areas unless it is truly necessary. In those instances, it should only be a same-sex parent. If this is necessary, parents should let a coach or administrator know about this in advance.
IV. Electronic Communications

a. Application
This policy shall apply to:
   1) Adult Participants who have regular contact with Minor Athletes
   2) Staff and board members at Nebraska State Soccer

b. Content
All electronic communication originating from Adult Participants to Minor athletes must be open and transparent, and professional in nature.

c. Open and transparent
All electronic communications between an Adult Participant and a Minor Athlete must be open and transparent except if:
   o A Dual Relationship Exists; or
   o The Close-in-Age Exception applies; or
   o A Minor Athlete needs an Adult Participant Personal Care Assistant (“PCA”), and:
     ▪ The Minor Athlete’s parent/guardian has provided written consent to the Amateur Organization Member for the Adult Participant PCA to work with the Minor Athlete; and
     ▪ The Adult Participant PCA has complied with the Amateur Organization Member’s education and training policy; and
     ▪ The Adult Participant PCA has complied with the Amateur Organization Member’s screening policy.

d. Open and transparent means:
   • If an Adult Participant needs to communicate directly with a Minor Athlete via electronic communications, another Adult Participant or the minor's legal guardian will be copied.
   • If a Minor Athlete communicates to the Adult Participant privately first, the Adult Participant should respond to the minor athlete with a copy to another Adult Participant or the minor’s legal guardian.
   • An Adult Participant communicating electronically to the entire team will copy another Adult Participant.
   • Minor Athletes may “friend” the organization’s official page.
   • Only platforms that allow for open and transparent communication may be used to communicate with Minor Athletes.

e. Prohibited electronic communications
   • Adult Participants are not permitted to communicate privately via electronic communications with amateur athletes who are minors, except under emergency circumstances.
   • Adult Participants are not permitted to “private message,” “instant message,” “direct message”, or send photos via Snapchat or Instagram to a minor athlete privately, except under the exceptions above.
   • Adult Participants are not permitted to maintain social media connections with minors; such adults are not permitted to accept new personal page requests on social media platforms from Minor Athletes and existing social media connections with Minor Athletes who are minors shall be discontinued, except under the exceptions above.
f. Legal guardians may request in writing that their child not be contacted through any form of electronic communication by the organization or by the organization’s Adult Participants. The organization will abide by any such request that their child not be contacted via electronic communication, absent emergency circumstances.

g. **Hours**  
Electronic communications will only be sent between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.

h. **Monitoring**  
- The organization monitors its social media pages and removes any posts that violate the organization's policies and practices for appropriate behavior.
- The organization will inform the legal guardian of a minor athlete of any prohibited posts, as well as the organization’s administrator.

i. **Social Media Connections**  
Adult Participants are not permitted to maintain private social media connections with minor athletes and should discontinue existing social media connections with minor athletes.

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**V. Transportation**

“Transportation” consists of travel to training, practice, and competition that occurs locally and does not include coordinated overnight stay(s).

a. An Adult Participant cannot transport a Minor Athlete on-on-one during In-Program travel, except if:
   - A Dual Relationship Exists; or
   - The Close-in-Age Exception applies; or
   - A Minor Athlete needs an Adult Participant Personal Care Assistant (“PCA”), and:
     - The Minor Athlete’s parent/guardian has provided written consent to the Amateur Organization Member for the Adult Participant PCA to work with the Minor Athlete; and
     - The Adult Participant PCA has complied with the Amateur Organization Member’s education and training policy; and
     - The Adult Participant PCA has complied with the Amateur Organization Member’s screening policy.
   - The Adult Participant has advance, written consent to transport the Minor Athlete one-on-one obtained at least annually from the Minor Athlete’s parent/guardian.

b. Minor Athlete(s) or their parent/guardian can withdraw consent at any time.

c. Adult Participants may transport Minor Athletes if accompanied by at least one other Adult Participant or at least two minors.
d. Written consent from a Minor Athlete’s parent/guardian is required for all transportation arranged by the Amateur Organization Member.

e. **Shared or Carpool Travel Arrangement**  
We encourage parents/legal guardians to pick up their minor athlete first and drop off their minor athlete last in any shared or carpool travel arrangement.
f. Parent Training
Parents/legal guardians receive education concerning child abuse prevention before providing consent for their minor to travel alone with a Participating Adult.

VI. Lodging

Hotel Rooms and Other Sleeping Arrangements: All In-Program Contact at a hotel or lodging site between an Adult Participant and a Minor Athlete must be observable and interruptible, and an Adult Participant cannot share a hotel room or otherwise sleep in the same room with a Minor Athlete(s), except if:

- A Dual Relationship Exists; or
- The Close-in-Age Exception applies; or
- A Minor Athlete needs an Adult Participant Personal Care Assistant (“PCA”), and:
  - The Minor Athlete’s parent/guardian has provided written consent to the Amateur Organization Member for the Adult Participant PCA to work with the Minor Athlete; and
  - The Adult Participant PCA has complied with the Amateur Organization Member’s education and training policy; and
  - The Adult Participant PCA has complied with the Amateur Organization Member’s screening policy.
- The Adult Participant has advance, written consent to transport the Minor Athlete one-on-one obtained at least annually from the Minor Athlete’s parent/guardian.

b. Written consent from a Minor Athlete’s parent/guardian must be obtained for all In-Program lodging at least annually.

c. Monitoring or Room Checks During In-Program Travel
If the Amateur Organization Member, club, or team performs room checks during In-Program lodging, the one-on-one interaction policy must be followed and at least two adults must be present for the room checks.

d. Additional Requirements for Lodging Authorized or Funded by the Amateur Organization Member
- Any Participating Adult traveling with the organization must agree to and sign the organization’s Lodging policy at least annually.
- Adult Participants that travel overnight with Minor Athletes are assumed to have authority of Minor Athletes and thus must comply with the Amateur Organization Member’s education and training policy.

e. Meetings
- Meetings shall be conducted consistent with the organization’s policy for one-on-one interactions – i.e., any such meeting shall be observable and interruptible.
- Meetings shall not be conducted in a hotel room.

f. Adult Participants who travel with the organization must successfully pass a criminal background check and other screening requirements consistent with the organization’s policies.

g. Parents/legal guardians receive education concerning child abuse prevention before providing consent for their minor to travel alone with a Participating Adult.