

Risk Management Policy

Purpose:

To ensure all players, coaches, managers, volunteers, referees, administrators, and parents are provided with the tools and resources to make the player's participation and experience safe, healthy, and free from all forms of abuse, including, but not limited to, emotional, mental, physical, and sexual.

Scope:

This policy applies to all Jim Thorpe Youth Soccer Association Inc. activities, including practices, games, and tournaments hosted by Jim Thorpe Youth Soccer Association Inc.

Policy Statements:

1. Overview
 - a. The Eastern Pennsylvania Youth Soccer Athlete and Participant Safety Policy sets the standards for all organization members, including Jim Thorpe Youth Soccer Association Inc. This policy is posted and available on the Eastern Pennsylvania Youth Soccer Association's website, [Eastern Pennsylvania Youth Soccer Athlete and Participant Safety Policy](#).
 - b. The primary location where this policy resides is in the [Risk Management section](#) under Membership Services on the EPYSA [website](#).
2. Policies
 - a. The [Eastern Pennsylvania Youth Soccer Athlete and Participant Safety Policy](#) and [Eastern Pennsylvania Youth Soccer Risk Management Policy](#) form the basis of the Jim Thorpe Youth Soccer Association Inc. risk management policy.
 - b. Additional policies can be created to further ensure the players' safety on and off the field.
3. Responsibilities
 - a. All persons involved with Jim Thorpe Youth Soccer Association Inc. activities must be aware of this policy and all related policies.
4. Review and Amendments
 - a. This policy will be reviewed yearly to ensure completeness and compliance.
 - b. This policy can be amended at any time with approval from the Board and/or Risk Management Coordinator.

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