

### REQUIRED PREVENTION POLICY APPLICATION

In 2019, the U.S. Center for SafeSport published the Model MAAPP with mandatory components that NGBs/HPMOs/USOPC were required to adopt. As a participant of \_\_\_\_\_ you are required to follow these policies.

This flyer provides you an overview of the policy. For access to our complete policy please follow this link:

### WHERE DO REQUIRED PREVENTION POLICIES APPLY?

One-on-One Interactions, Massages and Rubdowns/Athletic Training Modalities, and Locker Room and Changing Area policies apply at all facilities that are partially or fully under the jurisdiction of the NGB/HPMO/USOPC.

Partial or full jurisdiction shall include the following:

- > **Any sanctioned event/competition by the NGB/HPMO/USOPC.**
- > **Any facility that the NGB/HPMO/USOPC owns leases or rents for competition, training or practices.**
- > **Any hotel or lodging that the team is using when traveling to a sanctioned NGB/HPMO/USOPC event/competition.**

### WHO DOES EACH REQUIRED PREVENTION POLICY APPLY TO?

All six of the Required Prevention Policies (One-on-One Interactions, Massages and Rubdowns/Athletic Training Modalities, Locker Rooms and Changing Areas, Social Media and Electronic Communication, Local Travel, and Team Travel) must be followed by the following:

- > **Adult members of the NGB/HPMO/USOPC who have regular contact with minor athletes**  
*(i.e., coaches, officials, adult athletes, etc.)*
- > **Adults authorized by NGB/HPMO/USOPC to have regular contact with minor athletes**  
*(i.e., coaches, officials, adult athletes, volunteers, etc.)*
- > **Adults authorized by NGB/HPMO/USOPC to have authority over minor athletes**  
*(i.e., coaches, officials, adult athletes, volunteers, chaperones, medical personnel, etc.)*
- > **Adult staff and board members at the NGB/HPMO/USOPC**

One-on-One Interactions, Massages and Rubdowns/Athletic Training Modalities, and Locker Rooms and Changing Areas **ALSO** need to be followed by:

- > **Any Adult member at a facility that is partially or fully under the jurisdiction of the NGB/HPMO/USOPC**  
*(i.e., coaches, officials, adult athletes, volunteers, etc.)*

## REQUIRED PREVENTION POLICIES KEY POINTS OVERVIEW

### ONE-ON-ONE INTERACTIONS

#### MINOR/ADULT INTERACTIONS:

- > Must be **observable and interruptible**

#### HEALTH PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS:

- > Need legal guardian consent
- > Door can be closed but must be unlocked
- > Another adult must be present at the facility and aware of the meeting

#### INDIVIDUAL TRAINING SESSIONS:

- > Consent needed if not **observable and interruptible**
- > Parent, legal guardian, or another caretaker must be permitted to attend

### MASSAGES AND RUBDOWNS/ATHLETIC TRAINING MODALITIES

#### OPEN AND INTERRUPTIBLE

All massages and rubdowns/athletic training modalities must take place in a location where individuals can walk by and observe what is occurring and interrupt if necessary.

#### TWO ADULTS PRESENT

A second adult must be present in the room. An adult located outside of the room or in an adjacent room does not meet this standard.

### LOCKER ROOMS AND CHANGING AREAS

#### RECORDING DEVICES

Recording devices are not allowed in locker rooms without NGB/HPMO/USOPC prior approval and only in specific circumstances and when all athletes are fully clothed.

#### MONITORING

The NGB/HPMO/USOPC must complete regular and random monitoring of locker rooms and changing areas.

#### UNDRESS

Unrelated Applicable Adults must not intentionally expose his/her breast, buttocks, groin, or genitals to a minor athlete.

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### SOCIAL MEDIA AND ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATIONS

**ALL** electronic communication from Applicable Adults to minor athletes must be professional in nature.

A second Applicable Adult or parent/legal guardian must be copied on all communication between minor athletes and Applicable Adults with authority over minor athletes.

Parents/legal guardians can request to discontinue communication to their minor athlete except in emergency circumstances.

### LOCAL TRAVEL

Applicable Adults not acting as a legal guardian may not ride alone in a vehicle with an unrelated minor athlete without prior consent.

Unrelated Applicable Adults must always have at least two minor athletes or another adult in a vehicle.

Written legal guardian consent must be obtained prior to each local travel for an Applicable Adult to travel one-on-one in a vehicle with an unrelated minor athlete.

### TEAM TRAVEL

#### **COMPETITION TRAVEL**

Legal consent is needed for any one-on-one travel involving an Applicable Adult and one minor athlete.

#### **HOTEL ROOMS**

An unrelated Applicable Adult and minor athlete may not share a hotel room without prior written legal guardian consent.

#### **MEETINGS**

Meetings during travel must be observable and interruptible.