

AVHA SafeSport Policy

Apple Valley Hockey Association (“AVHA”) in conjunction with USA Hockey is committed to creating a safe and positive environment for its participants’ physical, emotional, and social development and ensuring it promotes an environment free from abuse and misconduct. As part of this program, AVHA and USA Hockey has implemented policies addressing certain types of abuse and misconduct, and certain policies intended to reduce, monitor and govern the areas where potential abuse and misconduct might occur.

The Policies below intend to reduce the following types of abuse and misconduct which are strictly prohibited by AVHA:

- Sexual Abuse
- Physical Abuse
- Emotional Abuse
- Bullying, Threats and Harassment
- Hazing

(For definitions of each of the above types of prohibited misconduct and other information concerning SafeSport, please see USA Hockey’s SafeSport webpage and Handbook, both of which are available at www.usahockey.com/page/show/908023-usa-hockey-safesport-program)

The Policies below are implemented by AVHA to reduce the risks of potential abuse:

- Locker Room Policy
- Electronic Communications Policy
- Travel Policy

The SafeSport Coordinator for AVHA is:

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If you suspect any abuse or misconduct, or, a violation of any of the policies contained within this packet, please inform the SafeSport Coordinator.