

OVERNIGHT & TEAM TRAVEL



OVERNIGHT TRAVEL consists of travel to training, practice, camp, competition or other fencing-related activity that includes overnight stay(s).

Except in an emergency, an Applicable Adult shall not travel overnight, alone with an unrelated minor athlete, i.e., one for whom the adult is not a parent or legal guardian.

In addition to the unrelated minor, the Applicable Adult and unrelated minor must be accompanied by at least one other minor athlete or another adult at all times, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by the unrelated minor athlete's parent/legal guardian in advance of each overnight and team travel. The parent waiver can be in the form of text, email or written document, transmitted in advance of each such overnight travel.

Parents/legal guardians must receive education concerning child abuse prevention before providing consent for their minor athlete to travel alone with an Applicable Adult who is subject to these policies.

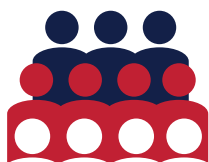


HOTEL ROOMS

Applicable Adults shall not share a hotel room or other sleeping quarters with an unrelated minor athlete (unless the Applicable Adult is a parent, legal guardian, sibling, or other family member of the minor athlete).

OTHER INTERACTIONS

In traveling overnight with one or more minor athletes, Applicable Adults shall abide by SafeSport policies on one-on-one interactions, medical treatment, locker rooms and changing, and electronic communications.



CLUB OR TEAM TRAVEL

Applicable Adults who travel overnight with minor athletes in conjunction with a USA Fencing affiliated club, team or other organization must first successfully pass the screening and training (e.g., SafeSport) requirements of USA Fencing and the relevant club or team.



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