

Code of Conduct for Coaches

Physical safety and health of athletes

- Ensure that training or competition site is always safe.
- Be prepared to act quickly and appropriately in case of emergency.
- Avoid placing athletes in situations presenting unnecessary risk or that are beyond their level.
- Strive to preserve the present and future health and well-being of Athletes.

Coaching responsibly

- Make wise use of the authority of the position and make decisions in the interest of athletes.
- Foster self-esteem among athletes.
- Avoid deriving personal advantage for a situation or decision.
- Know one's limitations in terms of knowledge and skills when making decisions, giving instructions, or acting.
- Honour commitments, word given, and agreed objectives.
- Maintain confidentiality and privacy of personal information and use it appropriately.

Integrity in relations with others

- Avoid situations that may affect objectivity or impartiality of coaching duties.
- Abstain from all behaviours considered to be harassment or inappropriate relations with an athlete.
- Always ensure decisions are taken equitably.

Respect

- Ensure that everyone is treated equally, regardless of age, ancestry, colour, race, citizenship, ethnic origin, place of origin, language, creed, religion, athletic potential, disability, family status, marital status, gender identity, gender expression, sex, and sexual orientation.
- Preserve the dignity of each person in interacting with others.
- Respect the principles, rules, and policies in force.

Honouring sport

- Strictly observe and ensure observance of all regulations.
- Aim to compete fairly.
- Maintain dignity in all circumstances and exercise self-control.
- Respect officials and accept their decisions without questioning their integrity.

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