



## **Coaches' Code of Ethics**

I hereby pledge to be positive about my coaching experience and accept responsibility for my participation by following this Coaches' Code of Ethics:

- I will lead by example in demonstrating fair play and sportsmanship to all my players, coaches, officials and parents.
- I will treat each player as an individual, remembering the large range of emotional and physical development in the same age group.
- I will treat my players, parents, officials and fans with respect regardless of race, sex, creed or ability.
- I will be knowledgeable in the rules of the game and I will teach these rules to my players.
- I will use coaching techniques appropriate for each of the skills that I teach.
- I will place the emotional and physical well-being of my players ahead of a personal desire to win.
- I will do my best to provide a safe playing situation for my players.
- I will complete my concussion training and keep it up to date online.
- I will notify KCE and fill out an incident report if a player gets hurt and I will call 911 if the injury requires more than simple first aid.
- I will do my best to organize practices that are fun and challenging to all my players.
- I will provide a sports environment for all players that is free of drugs, tobacco, and alcohol, and I will refrain from their use at ALL youth sports events.
- I will remember that I am a youth sports coach, and that the game is for the kids, not the adults.

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Coach Signature

Date

