



Player Safety Post

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Back to School and Back to the Rink!



What's new?

GET EDUCATED!

Pacific District Concussion Protocol

With USA Hockey's new national protocol acknowledgement as part of the membership registration process, we no longer need to sign the parent and coach concussion forms.

However, each of our state affiliates have different legislation that may require additional forms or compliance in regard to concussion diagnosis and return to participation.

Want to learn more? Watch the Pacific District Concussion page for a series of Concussion Protocol Webinars; the schedule will be posted by 8/18. Parents, Managers, Coaches, Boards – all will benefit from this 30-minute presentation about our District's protocol and laws.

Check out the Pacific District Concussion page for information on the Protocol, any forms and educational materials you want to share, and how your state's legislation affects your members:

<http://pacificdistricthockey.com/view.pl?p=concussion/concussion.htm>

Coming Soon!

The "Concussion Champion" program

- what is a concussion champion?
- How can I help?
- How can they help me?

More on this program in the next issue!

USA Hockey has special pricing with "One Beat" to provide defibrillators to rinks.

ONE BEAT
CPR + AED
SAVING LIVES, ONE HEART AT A TIME

USA HOCKEY EXCLUSIVE MEMBER PRICING
AED Packages Starting At
\$895

"Sudden Cardiac Arrest can happen at the ice hockey rink to a player, coach, parent, official, or spectator. The single most important determinant for survival is the time from collapse to the application of an automated external defibrillator (AED). Shock within one minute of collapse raises the survival rate to 90% and within three minutes increases the chance of survival to 70%. Make sure you have an AED in your rink, know where it is located, and learn how to use it."

- Dr. Michael J. Stuart, Chief Medical and Safety Officer, USA Hockey

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PLAYER'S HEALTH

Players Health is an Injury Management app that can help organizations track an athlete's injuries, health and wellness across a season or a career. Special pricing for Pacific District members! From one team to an entire affiliate – email pdconcussion@gmail.com if you're interested!

HEADS UP!

TEAM UP SPEAK UP TO FIGHT CONCUSSIONS

In the Fall of 2018, USA Hockey will partner with Team Up Speak Up to educate athletes about concussions through their coaches. This is a great learning experience for everyone! More information when it becomes available.