



USA Hockey SafeSport Training FAQ



1. Do I need to take the SafeSport Training every season?

No, SafeSport Training is valid for 2 seasons. If you are taking the training now for the 2018-19 season, you will not need to take the training again until the 2020-21 season (at which time a shorter “refresher” course will be available). *NOTE: There will be new requirements for training due to the legislation in the SafeSport Act of 2017; this time frame and the contents of the courses will change in the coming months.*

2. I am a coach and a referee. Do I need to take SafeSport Training twice?

No, the SafeSport Training is exactly the same for coaches and referees; there is no need to take the training twice. When you register for SafeSport training you enter your USA Hockey registration number (or referee number). Once you have completed the training, that data is downloaded into your record in the USA Hockey database, which shows information for you as a referee, coach, or both.

3. How do I register for SafeSport Training?

Instructions on how to register and access the training can be found here:

www.usahockey.com/safesporttraining

Important! You must register for your annual membership in USA Hockey before you can take SafeSport. Your registration number is required to log in.

4. How come I didn't receive an email after I completed the SafeSport Training?

You will not receive an email notification once you complete the training. Your SafeSport Completion certificate is proof that you have completed the course. When you are done with your training, follow the instructions to obtain your certificate.



USA Hockey SafeSport Training FAQ



5. How do I obtain a copy of my SafeSport Completion certificate?

- Log in on website: <https://www.usahockey.com/trainingfaqs>
- Click on "Your Courses"
- Click on USA Hockey SafeSport Course
- Click on "download certificate" (underneath the "launch course" button)
- Save and print certificate

6. How will my program know that I completed SafeSport Training?

You will provide a copy of your SafeSport Completion certificate to your program registrar. Additionally, registrars for each association can check for completion through the USA Hockey Registry. If you are a referee, SafeSport Training will be indicated on your referee profile, though it can take up to a week for this to appear on your profile.

7. Who do I contact if my questions are not answered here?

CAHA members are not administrators of the SafeSport program. For assistance with SafeSport, contact USA Hockey SafeSport: joycek@usahockey.org

Updated: 7/22/2018