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Coach Emergency Action Plan

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North East United Soccer Club's (NEUSC) Coach Emergency Action Plan has been implemented to ensure that all coaches, team officials and program coordinators understand what is required of them in the event of an incident or injury during a NEUSC sanctioned game or practice.

What is considered an incident or injury:

- Any and all injuries, whether minor or major
- Verbal and/or physical altercations between any parties associated with the game/practice (coaches, players, parents, referees, spectators, etc.)
- Any instance in which Emergency Services (Police, Fire, Ambulance) are notified/required to attend the scene

Minor vs. Major Incidents/Injuries:

A minor incident would be a situation which was solved/rectified on the spot by the parties involved and did not consist of violent or aggressive behaviour. A minor injury would include but is not limited to an injury that did not require medical attention immediately or after the event.

A major incident would include but is not limited to a situation which involved a physical altercation, verbal abuse or harassment, bullying, etc. and required further resolution and/or required the notification of Emergency Services. A major injury would include but is not limited to an injury that required first aid and/or medical attention immediately or in the days following the occurrence. Any time Emergency Services or medical attention is required (EMS attending the scene or parental transport to a hospital, urgent care centre or doctor's office), it is considered a major injury.

Reporting:

In the event of a **minor** incident or injury then an Injury/Incident Report must be completed by the coach or team official and sent to the NEUSC Board of Directors.

In the event of a **major** incident or injury then notification by phone to the President/Vice president is required followed by the completion of an Injury/Incident Report by the coach or team official and submission to the NEUSC Board of Directors.