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WORKING WITH CHILDREN POLICY

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Introduction

The Committee of Management of the Australian Floorball Association Inc (known in this document as the AFA) is committed to ensuring that floorball is at all times a safe and positive environment for children and juniors to enjoy whether during games or training, or any associated activities. The AFA has a responsibility to ensure those who work with us are suitable for child related positions whether voluntary or paid. For the purpose of this policy a "child" is defined as any person under the age of 18 years.

Purpose

The purpose of this document is to outline AFA requirements additional to those already stated in our Member Protection Policy, which may vary from state to state according to individual state government laws.

This Policy should be read in conjunction with the AFA Member Protection Policy 2008

Authorisation

Executive Committee
Committee of Management
Australian Floorball Association Inc.

Policy

A Working With Children (WWC) check will be required for the following individuals whether required by state law or not.

In addition to producing a current WWC check, members wishing to take on one of these roles may be asked to complete a Prohibited Employment Declaration form.

In NSW where volunteers are not able to obtain a full WWC check, the Prohibited Employment Declaration MUST be completed instead. Paid employees in NSW will be required to obtain a full WWC check.

- Any person who is a coach, assistant coach, team official or regular untitled helper on any club or team with junior members whether it be state based or a national team
- Any person who is a member of the committee of management of any club with junior members
- Any person who accompanies a team where there are junior members, on tour nationally or internationally in any official capacity
- Any person who assists or participates in a training camp attended by junior members
- Any person who assists or participates in programs involving children, including but not limited to;
 - * School holiday programs or similar
 - * Introductory programs or similar
 - * Demonstrations

Responsibility

The Committee of Management of the AFA is responsible for adopting & implementing this policy. State Associations will be responsible for ensuring that the policy is followed by clubs in their state jurisdiction.
