

## Coaches Concussion Verification Form

In order to protect young athletes, the State of Ohio has passed a concussion law, commonly called the "Return to Play" law. Therefore, all Ohio Tournaments are responsible to monitor and track compliance with the concussion training requirements of the Return to Play law. See O.R.C. 3707.511 (C)(1). Tournaments are required to collect and maintain certificates of compliance from the coaches. ALL coaches MUST complete the Concussion Training Course from either NFHS (preferred) or CDC. Coaches must submit a copy of the completed certificate to the tournament et either Registration or thru Pre Registration. They are also required per Ohio law, to have distributed a copy of the Parent Concussion Information Sheet to the parents of all the players. **If these items are not satisfied, those coaches will NOT be able to coach at this event.**

Please list below, the Coaches whom have been concussion certified and which method they were certified. Only staff that has been certified are allowed on the player sidelines, and will need to show the certificates prior to game start. (Either certification is accepted -- you do not need both)

\*\*\* All coaches, whether from Ohio, outside of Ohio, or outside of USA, MUST complete the training.\*\*\*

Coach _____	NFHS _____	CDC _____
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Certification can be acquired at the following websites:

NFHS (preferred): <http://www.nfhslearn.com/electiveDetail.aspx?courseID=38000>

CDC: <http://www.cdc.gov/headsup/youthsports/training/index.html>

Upon completion of the above concussion training, EACH coach must (1) submit a copy of their individual certificate to the tournament and (2) submit a certificate copy with their registration materials. A separate copy of the certificate(s) need to be with your player cards and brought to each game.

## Parent Acknowledgement Form

Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_ Age Group: \_\_\_\_\_

This is to certify that every parent on my team has been given the Youth Sports Association Concussion form by the method checked below...

The Youth Sports Organization Concussion form was emailed as an attachment to every parent on my team.

The Youth Sports Organization Concussion form was printed and physically handed to every parent on my team.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Coach/Team Admin Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name of Coach/Team Admin

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date