

Case Management Thresholds

Advice / Lower-Level Concerns	Level 1 Safeguarding	Level 2 Safeguarding
<p>More general welfare concern or minor breach of the code of conduct.</p> <p>More likely to be managed locally by Club or Regional Welfare Officer</p>	<p>Breach of a code of conduct, or other behaviour, or other information that may identify a safeguarding issues or concern.</p>	<p>Breach of a code of conduct, other behaviour, or other information that raises concerns about the safety of a child or adult at risk of harm or the suitability of a person to be involved in the sport.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Child protection concerns that meet the statutory threshold for referral to social care or the police.</p>
<p>Examples <i>This list is not exhaustive</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complaint from a parent or coach or another parent about minor behaviour concerns. • Disagreement between adults that can be resolved through mediation • A single incident of bad language • Minor breaches of the code of conduct • Low-level bullying of a child by a peer, such as an incident of name calling • Child attending a session unwell • Parent late collecting a child after a session • Minor wellbeing concerns that require a conversation with a parent or carer • Child lacks social skills and has few friends • Peer-on-peer quarrel that can be resolved through mediation 	<p>Examples <i>This list is not exhaustive</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coaching whilst under the influence of drugs or alcohol • A single incident of unnecessary physical contact (may move to level 2 depending on severity and impact) • Leaving children/young people unattended • A coach or other person working with a child using inappropriate or intimidating language • Severe or persistent bullying of a child or peer • Sudden change in child's behaviour, such as becoming quiet and withdrawn • Sudden weight loss (child) • Wellbeing concerns remain after already raising minor concerns with parents or carers 	<p>Examples <i>This list is not exhaustive</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Persistent or serious emotional abuse by coaches or other adults • Information accessed through criminal records check (e.g. DBS) indicates a relevant offence that requires risk assessment • Any allegation of assault on a child or young person by a coach, volunteer, official, parent or spectator • Coach is alleged to be in an intimate relationship with a child or young person who is aged between 16 and 17 • Information comes to light that a coach, official, volunteer or participant involved in sport is subject to an allegation, investigation or prosecution for criminal activity involving potential offences of a sexual, violent, or

		<p>drug-related nature</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Report from another sports organisation indicating that an individual is subject to a safeguarding investigation or sanction • Young person displays violent or sexualised behaviour towards other children • Sexual abuse, physical abuse, emotional abuse, neglect • Child indicates abuse at home • Concerns about radicalisation, child sexual exploitation, child criminal exploitation, female genital mutilation, forced marriage • Repeated minor concerns for the wellbeing of a child that aren't being addressed by parent or carer

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