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Indiana Soccer Proudly Presents: The 5 STAR CLUB Program



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RISK MANAGEMENT BY LAW:

The Protecting Young Victims from Sexual Abuse and Safe Sport Authorization Act was passed in January 2018 and was signed into law by President Trump on February 14, 2018.

A new law passed by Congress is aimed at preventing child sexual abuse. The Protecting Young Victims from Sexual Abuse and Safe Sport Authorization Act introduces new standards that all youth sport organizations must meet, including programs offered by local leagues, churches, schools, camps, and non-profits.

The Act introduces three new requirements:

1. Mandatory Reporting
2. Prevention Training
3. Prevention Policies

All organizations that provide services to children — including youth sports — must implement an effective safety system to protect children. MinistrySafe and Abuse Prevention Systems (APS) are recognized industry leaders regarding resources designed to prevent child sexual abuse. Philadelphia Insurance Companies (PHLY) is also a recognized industry leader regarding risk management efforts.

MinistrySafe/APS and PHLY have coordinated to provide guidance for organizations seeking to better understand the new federal legislation — *who* is impacted, *what* is required, and *how* to comply.

Indiana Soccer Responsibilities:

- **Ensure all Indiana Soccer staff, volunteers, board, etc., are in compliance with the law.**
- **To provide member organizations with the tools necessary to comply with the law.**
- **Ensure Member Organization Compliance with the law.**

Member Organization Responsibilities:

- **Appoint a Risk Management Champion to oversee this project.**
- **Ensure all club staff, volunteers, board, etc., are in compliance with the law.**
- **Use tools provided by Indiana Soccer/MinistrySafe to achieve compliance.**

Indiana Soccer has committed to working with MinistrySafe to ensure that all member clubs/leagues are compliant with the new law. Please contact ANGEL HALL to learn more and receive your exclusive access to the MinistrySafe program for this mandatory risk management safety program. angel@soccerindiana.org



Completion of the MinistrySafe course by all adults in your club is required by law, and is one of the requirements to earn the RISK MANAGEMENT star for the 5 STAR CLUB program.

