

OHIO LINDSAY'S LAW: SUDDEN CARDIAC ARREST IN YOUTH ATHLETES

Lindsay's Law, Ohio Revised Code 3313.5310, 3707.58 and 3707.59 went into effect in 2017. In accordance with this law, the Ohio Department of Health, the Ohio Department of Education, the Ohio High School Athletic Association, the Ohio Chapter of the American College of Cardiology and other stakeholders jointly developed guidelines and other relevant materials to inform and educate students and youth athletes participating in or desiring to participate in an athletic activity, their parents, and their coaches about the nature and warning signs of sudden cardiac arrest.

Lindsay's Law information can be located by the clicking the following link:

[LINDSAY'S LAW - GENERAL INFORMATION](#)

[LINDSAY'S LAW - FAQ](#)

Parent/Guardian and youth athlete requirements for Lindsay's Law can be located by clicking the following links:

[REQUIRED VIDEO FOR PARENTS](#)

[REQUIRED SCA INFORMATIONAL HANDOUT PARENTS-GUARDIANS](#)

[REQUIRED SIGNATURE FORM FOR PARENT & ATHLETE](#)

Coaching information for Lindsay's Law can be located by clicking on the following links:

[REQUIRED VIDEO FOR COACHES](#)

[REQUIRED SCA INFORMATIONAL HANDOUT FOR COACHES](#)

Ohio Travel Soccer League Compliance:

In order to verify that each Ohio Travel Soccer League community has attained compliance with the parent/guardian, youth athlete and coaching requirements regarding Lindsay's Law, a member representative from each community (president, representative or alternate representative) must go to www.OHTSL.com and click on LEAGUE, then COMMUNITY WAIVERS and then your community. You will then see *Cardiac Arrest Legislation Waiver*. Click on VIEW, read the documents and then click the box that states, "I accept and provide my electronic signature agreeing to the conditions of this waiver for my community." Then click SUBMIT. The waivers reflect that all parents/guardians and youth athletes have watched the required video, have read the required informational handout, that a parent/guardian and youth athlete have signed the required signature form and that each community is in possession of the Required Signature Form for Parents/Guardians and Youth Athletes. Please note that the that the signature forms are to be maintained at the community level and do not need to be sent to the Ohio Travel Soccer League. Additionally, the waiver reflects that all coaches have watched the required video and that all coaches have read the required informational handout