



## Miracle League of Frisco (MLF) Coaches Code of Conduct

1. Coaches are expected to treat children of all races, religions, cultures, and physical or mental challenges with equal respect and consideration.
2. Coaches will portray a positive role model for youth by maintaining an attitude of fun, respect, loyalty, patience, integrity, courtesy, tact and maturity.
3. Smoking or use of tobacco products in the presence of children is prohibited.
4. Using, possessing, or being under the influence of alcohol or illegal drugs is prohibited.
5. Coaches shall not abuse children including:
  - a. Physical abuse – strike, spank, shake, slap
  - b. Verbal abuse – humiliate, degrade, threaten
  - c. Sexual abuse – including inappropriate touching and exposure
6. Coaches must use positive techniques of guidance, including positive reinforcement and encouragement rather than competition, comparison or criticism.
7. Coaches shall not use profanity in the presence of children or parents.
8. Coaches must be free of physical conditions that might adversely affect children's health, including fever or contagious conditions.
9. Coaches will exemplify good sportsmanship and shall not permit any unsportsmanlike conduct from players or spectators representing the teams he/she coaches.
10. I will place the emotional and physical well-being of my players ahead of a personal desire to win.
11. **All coaches, as volunteers for the MLF, are subject to a background check.**

I have read the above and fully agree to the conditions set forth therein. I fully understand that the team I am coaching is not my team, but is an MLF team, and I understand that I will be relieved of my duties as a coach/volunteer if found guilty of any major violation of the above conditions.

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Coach's Signature

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Date