



Region II Recreational Accreditation Criteria

Region II has established a Recreational Accreditation being awarded by the state association to member organizations in recognition of achievement of quality in education, referee development and risk management.

For 2010-2011, the criterion for recreational club accreditation is:

1. Coach Education
 - a. The recreational program will need to have 30% of the coaches in their program obtain US Youth Soccer Association or Wisconsin Youth Soccer Association approved coaching certificates or licenses. (The minimum percentage will be adjusted in subsequent years) Note: WYSA has established the Y1 as the minimum certification requirement for recreational coaches. This course is free as a benefit to our membership.
2. Referee Development or Mentoring
 - a. The recreational program will certify to Wisconsin Youth Soccer Association that 90% of their referees are USSF certified (Grade 9, 8 or higher).
 - b. If unable to satisfy the 90% level, and prior to attaining that level within 3 years, the recreational program certifies that it is operating the USSF Grade 9 referee program.
3. Full participation in KidSafe (background checks)
 - a. Wisconsin Youth Soccer Association to ensure that its recreational program had complete compliance with US Youth Soccer guidelines
4. Goal Safety (inspections and anchoring)
 - a. The recreational program certifies to Wisconsin Youth Soccer Association that all goals in its possession or use are anchored or secured 100% of the time, whether in use or not.
5. Sideline and Parent Behavior and Education
 - a. The recreational program certifies and provides documentation to the Wisconsin Youth Soccer Association that it has a parent behavior program in place (e.g. distribution of the US Youth Soccer "Positive Parenting for Youth Soccer" DVD to every team).

Wisconsin Youth Soccer Association will award the Region II Accreditation to recreational clubs who are in compliance with the above criteria and have attested to that by submitting the acknowledgements and certifications form along with required documentation to:

Wisconsin Youth Soccer Association
c/o: Melissa Vukovic
10201 W Lincoln Ave, Suite 207
West Allis, WI 53227

Please contact Melissa Vukovic with questions at mvukovic@wiyouthsoccer.com or 414.328.9972 ext 105.



Region II Recreational Accreditation Acknowledgements and Certifications

Please complete the acknowledgements and certifications below and provide the required detail to be considered for recognition by WYSA as a US Youth Soccer - Region II Accredited recreational program.

- We acknowledge that 30% of the coaches in our program must hold an approved coaching certificate of license and certify that we meet that requirement.
- 90% of the referees used in our program are USSF certified (Grade 9, 8 or higher).
- It is understood that participation in Wisconsin Youth Soccer Association's Kid-Safe program is required of anyone associated with our organization.
- We certify that all goals are anchored or secured 100% of the time, whether in use or not.
- We certify that we have a parent behavior program in place.

Coach Education and KidSafe

Complete the Region II Recreational Accreditation Coach Education and KidSafe form. Be sure to list **all** volunteers associated with your recreational program including coaches, assistant coaches, managers, program directors, trainers, etc.

Referee Development or Mentoring

What percentage of the referees used in your program are USSF certified? (Grade 9, 8 or higher) _____
If your program is unable to satisfy the 90% level, and prior to attaining that level within 3 years, please certify that you are operating the USSF Grade 9 referee program and give details.

Goal Safety

See enclosed resources about Goal Safety or visit <http://www.keepergoals.com/safety/index.html> for more information. Indicate the number of goals for which your club is responsible. _____

Sideline and Parent Behavior and Education

Please detail and provide documentation of the parent behavior program your club has in place to include dates and materials supplied.

Signature

Date

Position

Club