



Soccer Goal Safety Recommendations

- Movable goals must be properly anchored or secured at ALL TIMES.
- Do not set-up, use or store a goal on a slope or hill.
- Check that all fastenings are tightened securely
- Consistently check to ensure that no one has tampered with fasteners.
- Regularly inspect the structural integrity of the goal. Check for broken welds or parts. Do not use a goal with broken parts.
- NEVER climb on, or hang from, the framework of a goal. This message should be repeatedly told to kids, coaches and parents!
- Regularly check to insure warning labels are visible on all movable soccer goals.
- For free replacement warning labels for Keeper Goals call 800-594-5126.
- Goals should only be moved by trained adults.
- Have adequate manpower when moving goals.
- Use caution when moving goals.
- Goals should be re-anchored after each move.
- Remove nets when goals are not in use.
- Never leave children unsupervised with soccer nets.
- Make sure goals are secured before leaving the field by anchoring them to the ground or locking them together
- Make sure the goals you buy meet ASTM and CPSC standards.

What about soccer goal safety on artificial turf?

If possible, the anchoring system should be installed before the final surface is in place, (sleeves for our P-Series Goals or our S80 Stadium Cup Goals or a duckbill system with a plastic cap are the most commonly used anchors for artificial turf). If that is not possible, please check with the artificial turf company to see how cutting would affect the turf and any accompanying warranties. If necessary, sand bags and steel anchor weights may be used, but are not ideal; it is too easy for these items to be removed. If goals are not anchored, goals should be secured when not in use by chaining the goals face to face after game or practice on all artificial turf fields.