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Know Your SafeSport and MAAPP Tools.

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As we prepare for the 2025-26 Youth, LDR and track seasons, it is vital for all Pacific Association adult and youth members to be familiar with the US Center For Safe Sport's policies. These policies are designed to address physical, sexual, and emotional abuse. Victims can be children or adults.

All members should be familiar with the contents of the [USATF Safe Sport Handbook](#), the [Safe Sport Code](#), and the [USATF'S Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policies](#) (MAAPP). At the top of the right side columns of the [pausatf.org](#)'s front page and all the subpages, there is a link to a dedicated [SafeSport webpage](#) with all the MAAPP and SafeSport policies.

The Pacific Association also wants to call your attention to the [USATF's Safe Sport July Newsletter](#), posted on the SafeSport webpage. The Newsletter has valuable information on maintaining a safe environment when traveling with youth, tips for parents, a reminder that 18-year-old athletes must be Safe Sport certified in the Sport80 database, and information on how to report a Safe Sport violation. You can also find a link to reporting information on the new [Safe Sport webpage](#) at the PAUSATF website.

Feel free to contact PAUSATF's Safe Sport Coordinator with any questions. You can find the Safe Sport Coordinator's contact information on the Association's contact information page and on the Safe Sport webpage.