

Icanwin First Aid and Accident Procedures Policy

Minor Injuries

Coaches, members of staff or volunteers that are First Aid qualified will treat minor injuries such as superficial bumps, cuts, abrasions, etc using a designated First Aid Kit. Particulars should be noted on the Icanwin Medical Report form as appropriate and shared with Parents/Carers at the end of the coaching sessions/day.

Injuries that might require professional medical treatment

Injuries, such as fractures, severe sprains, dislocations, and cuts requiring stitches will be cause for parents to be notified immediately. The First Aid qualified coach, member of staff or volunteer will exercise appropriate interim first aid care and refer further treatment through the parent to the appropriated doctor/hospital. Icanwin will take the child for medical assistance where it is not possible either to contact the parent/carer. A member of the Senior Management will accompany the coach, member of staff or volunteer along with child.

Serious Injuries that might require immediate professional medical attention

Serious injuries that might require immediate professional medical attention in order to safeguard the child will be referred immediately to a member of the Senior Management Team who will immediately take this child to the local Accident and Emergency Department, along with a second person, preferably the original First Aider. Where the injury is too severe to remove the child, an ambulance shall be called. Parents will be notified immediately. They will be advised that their child will be taken to the aforementioned medical establishment. When a child suffers a serious injury such as a compound fracture, a severe head wound, injuries resulting in substantial loss of blood, concussions, etc., Icanwin staff will use their best judgment in determining the appropriate course of action. Appropriate emergency contact information is to be taken to the hospital with the child, where treatment may be administered.

I have read and understood the first aid and accident procedures established for Icanwin.

Name of child:.....

Parent/carer signature:.....

Date:.....