

Huntsville High School Soccer Drug and Alcohol Policy

Experience and research has proven that even small amounts of narcotics or alcohol can impair judgment and physical responses which can create unsafe conditions for students. These substances also cause adverse effect on athletic performance. Drug using athletes are a threat to themselves, other students and co-participants. HHS Soccer has a policy that all student-athletes must remain substance free.

I All student-athletes are prohibited from using, possessing or distributing controlled substances. Improperly used medications and mood/mind altering substances are also prohibited.

II All student-athletes are prohibited from possessing, drinking or being impaired by alcohol.

III After school hour use of drugs, alcohol or any other prohibited substances is prohibited. Student-athletes should realize that these regulations prohibit all illicit drug use during and away from school.

First Violation: The student-athlete will be suspended from the team for at least 25% of the remaining season. He/she must test negative on a drug test before reinstatement to the team and must run 50 miles in the presence of the Head Coach.

Second Violation: The student-athlete will be dismissed from the team for the remainder of the season. He/she may try-out the next year if he/she (1) test negative for all prohibited substances before the tryout and (2) has had no other alcohol/drug incidents since being dismissed from the team.

***** I have read and understand the HHS Soccer policy on drug and alcohol use. I understand that use or possession of prohibited substances will affect participation in the Soccer program.**

Parent: _____ Date: _____

Student: _____ Date: _____

HHS SOCCER DRUG TESTING PROGRAM

All test results will be confidential. Urinalysis will be used and collection will be on site (HHS). All specimens will be confirmed by gas-chromatography/mass spectrometry (gc/ms). Parents will be notified on all positive results by teacher liaison. HHS Soccer may conduct unannounced testing. Positive results will have the same penalties as listed above for first and second violations.

*****I give my consent for my son/daughter, _____, to give urine samples to participate in the drug testing program. I understand that positive results will affect my son/daughter's participation in the Soccer program at HHS.**

Parent: _____ Date: _____

Student: _____ Date: _____