

2018 Covered Individuals for US Sailing under SafeSport policies include the following:

Group 1: US Sailing Leadership and Management

Mandatory SafeSport training to be successfully completed and Background Check required

- All US Sailing Staff and Interns
- Board of Directors
- Olympic Sailing Committee

Group 2: Staff and contractors who have frequent and direct contact with athletes and are associated with the following US Sailing programs: US Sailing Championships; Olympic Development Program and the US Sailing Team.

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- US Sailing coaches; Contract coaches; US Sailing Coach applicants
- Support persons, as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*, to include but not be limited to medical; therapeutic; boat wrights

Group 3: Other individuals agreed by the SafeSport Entity and an NGB to be within the SafeSport Entity's jurisdiction who may be in a position of authority over an athlete

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- Master Instructor Trainers; Instructor Trainers for all US Sailing Training Programs: Small Boat, Keelboat, Powerboat, Race Officials, etc.

Mandatory SafeSport training to be successfully completed is required.

- All Instructor Candidates in 2018 *must successfully complete SafeSport training as a prerequisite for their course.*
- All Instructors recertifying Instructor certifications in 2018 *must successfully complete SafeSport training prior to renewal.*
- Any certified instructor whose certification is current 2018 *must successfully complete SafeSport training by December 31, 2018*
- US Sailing Certified Race Officials, such as PROs, umpires, judges and measurers, etc., invited to a US Sailing Championship and/or other event for which US Sailing is the Organizing Authority *must have successfully completed SafeSport training at the time of appointment to the Championship event.*
- US Sailing Race Official candidates upon applying in 2018 for initial Race Official certification *must have successfully completed SafeSport training upon application*
- All Race Officials who are renewing Race Official certifications in 2018, *must successfully complete SafeSport training prior to renewal.*



- Any certified US Sailing Race Official whose certification is current in 2018 must *successfully complete SafeSport training before December 31, 2018.*
- Committee Chairs that are responsible for a US Sailing Championship are *required to successfully complete SafeSport training by April 1, 2018.*
- ALL members of the US Sailing Team are *required to successfully complete SafeSport training by April 1, 2018 (for current team members) or within 4 weeks of making the team.*

Recommended SafeSport Training

- Other members of US Sailing Championship Committees are *Strongly Recommended to successfully complete SafeSport Training*
- Members of US Sailing are *encouraged to successfully complete SafeSport Training*

NOTE: For the avoidance of doubt, these policies do not directly apply to US Sailing's organizational members; however, US Sailing strongly encourages its organizational members to adopt similar SafeSport programs and policies.