



Brantford City Soccer Code of Conduct



Our Code of Conduct acts in conjunction with our Club's "Zero Tolerance Policy" and is structured to identify and address behavior that is deemed to be irreconcilable with this policy and resultantly is unacceptable and will result in disciplinary actions. The Brantford City Soccer Club code is formulated from the Ontario Soccer policies and procedures. A listing of all behaviour and conduct that will result in disciplinary actions can be viewed on the Ontario Soccer website (<https://www.ontariosoccer.net>).

-All affiliated Game Officials are required to enforce Ontario Soccer game rules.

-All affiliated Team Officials are required to ensure their players, parents, spectators and other team officials are compliant with the BCSC with the code of conduct.

-The Brantford City Soccer Club Disciplinary Committee is responsible for dealing with all non-compliance issues in accordance with the Ontario Soccer guidelines. Appeals of decisions rendered by the Disciplinary Committee are handled by the Hamilton and District Soccer Association.

-Violation of municipal and provincial laws will be referred to the proper authorities (police, by-law officers, etc.), as required.

Players, Team Officials, Game Officials, Spectators and Patrons must observe the following:

-No one shall assault, attack or physically abuse any other player, team official, game official, spectator, league official or patron. Assault includes but is not limited to punching, kicking, slapping, biting, shoving, spitting, throwing of an object.

-No one shall threaten any other player, team official, game official, spectator, league official or patron.

-No one shall swear at, make rude, vulgar, offensive or insulting gestures at any other player, team official, game official, spectator, league official or patron.

-No one shall verbally insult, abuse or offend another player, team official, game official, spectator, league official or patron

-No one shall touch, fondle or in any way make physical contact with any other player, team official, game official, spectator, league official or patron that may be construed as inappropriate, offensive, or illegal.

-No one shall instruct, incite or encourage any other player, team official, game official, spectator, league official or patron to violate game rules or code of conduct measures.