



1 Conduct and Discipline

- 1.1 Applies to All Members of the Team Alaska Delegation
- 1.2 All matters of conduct and discipline are covered in the Team Alaska Code of Conduct.
- 1.3 Members of Team Alaska are expected to conduct themselves in a dignified manner, displaying excellent sport conduct and good sportsmanship in accordance with the objectives and principles of the Arctic Winter Games. All members of Team Alaska are expected to conduct themselves in a manner that fellow Alaskans would be proud of.
- 1.4 Coaches, managers, mission staff, and chaperones must be aware of, and adequately discharge, their responsibilities. This includes administering direct discipline for minor infractions and joint discipline with the Chef de Mission for major infractions (gross misconduct and illegal activities).
- 1.5 A minor athlete (under 21) will be disqualified from competition in the Arctic Winter Games for being in possession of, using, or being under the influence of alcohol, inhalants, illegal drugs, or non-prescription drugs.
- 1.6 Also prohibited are the use of ANY anabolic agents within 1 year of the games.
- 1.7 Adult athletes will be disqualified from participation in the Arctic Winter Games for abusing of alcohol (abstinence is suggested during the Games) and/or being in **1.8** the possession of using or being under the influence of inhalant illegal drugs or non-prescribed prescription drugs.
- 1.9 **** IMMEDIATE DISMISSAL FROM THE TEAM WILL RESULT FROM 1.5 and 1.6 ABOVE ****
- 1.10 All participants must participate in the Opening and Closing Ceremonies, as well as other designated ceremonies and presentations in full “walk out dress” uniform.

- 1.11 Disqualification from participation may result from the following: Profanity, obscenity, abusive language, provocation, assault, fighting, theft, larceny or other disciplinary situations.
- 1.12 The time established for curfew means the time for being in bed with lights out.
- 1.13 Gross misconduct will not be tolerated. This may include:
 - 1.13.1 Unjustifiable non-attendance at required ceremonies.
 - 1.13.2 Poor conduct, in or out of competition, such as fighting or otherwise violating the spirit of the Games
 - 1.13.3 Curfew violations;
 - 1.13.4 Not residing in the Athletes village.
- 1.14 Illegal activities will not be tolerated. Any illegal activity will be turned over to the appropriate authorities for investigation and prosecution. This may include:
 - 1.14.1 Use of alcohol for minors and drunk behavior for adults. Minor is defined by the laws of Alaska or the Host Society, whichever has the older age;
 - 1.14.2 Any involvement whatsoever with illicit drugs;
 - 1.14.3 Betting and gambling.
- 1.15 Discipline
 - 1.15.1 Any athlete who violates any of the above conduct rules and regulations will be disciplined in one or more of the following ways depending on the severity of the infraction and the circumstances involved. The decision of the Chef de Mission regarding discipline will be final and there is no provision for appeal.
 - 1.15.2 Disciplinary Action May Include Any or All of These Penalties
 - 1.15.2.1 Exclusion from the remainder of the Games.
 - 1.15.2.2 Withdrawal of identification tag and corresponding privileges of accommodation and meals.
 - 1.15.2.3 Revoking of Ulu 's won.
 - 1.15.2.4 Suspension from the next Arctic Winter Games.
 - 1.15.2.5 Withdrawal of travel privileges with Team Alaska. Return travel will be at the individual's expense.
 - 1.15.2.6 Should any of the above disciplinary measures be applied to a number of team members, the whole team may be disqualified from further participation.

1.16 Disciplinary Procedures

- 1.16.1 Once notified, the Chef de Mission will call a meeting as soon as possible with at least two other Mission Staff members, coaches, or sport coordinator, if available.
- 1.16.2 The accused will have an opportunity to justify or deny the alleged infractions.
- 1.16.3 The Committee will rule as soon as possible with the final decision resting with the Chef de Mission.
- 1.16.4 The decision will take effect immediately and will be final with no appeal.
- 1.16.5 An official letter from the Chef de Mission to the participant, the parent (if the perpetrator is a minor), the Sport Coordinator and the Alaska Sport Association will outline the incident and the resulting decision.
- 1.16.6 Depending on the seriousness of the offense, an athlete may be sent home at his or her own expense.