

TOURNAMENT MEDICAL COVERAGE POLICY

Golf and Tennis: It is the responsibility of each participating school to provide for the medical needs of their student-athletes.

Football, Ice Hockey, Rugby and Wrestling: A game will not start unless a licensed physician, licensed athletic trainer or certified EMT is present. The school designated as the home team, or the host site identified with a participating school, must have an AED on site (and accessible) or with their medical person. This coverage will be provided/compensated by the Host School in tournament rounds at the site of the higher seeded team. The MIAA will compensate for the coverage at MIAA designated neutral sites.

Baseball, Basketball, Field Hockey, Lacrosse, Soccer, Softball, and Volleyball: A licensed athletic trainer, licensed physician, physician's assistant, certified EMT, or nurse practitioner will be available at all contests. This coverage will be provided/compensated by the Host School in tournament rounds at the site of the higher seeded team. The MIAA will compensate for the coverage at MIAA designated neutral sites.

Cross Country, Gymnastics, Indoor & Outdoor Track, Ski, and Swim: *MIAA will compensate a licensed athletic trainer, licensed physician, physician's assistant, certified EMT, or nurse practitioner at these Association tournaments. (also see Rules 67.4, 73.3 and 75.3)*

AED Information: The school designated as the home team or the host site identified with a participating school, is recommended to have an AED on-site (and accessible) or with their medical person for all athletic events. New MA Law, effective 7/1/18, will mandate this at all athletic events