

## South Charleston Youth Association (SCYA) Policy on Bullying 2025

The SCYA is committed to creating and maintaining programs, facilities and a community in which players, parents of players, and volunteers can organize, conduct and supervise a recreational baseball and softball program in an atmosphere free from all forms of bullying.

All persons associated with the SCYA shall be aware that the SCYA is strongly opposed to bullying and that such behavior is prohibited by this policy. It is the intention of the SCYA to take action in an attempt to prevent and correct behavior that is contrary to this policy and, if necessary, to discipline those persons who violate this policy.

If bullying is determined by the SCYA Board to have occurred, the Board may take disciplinary action against the offending player, parent of a player, or volunteer that may include suspension from participating in or attending any team or SCYA activities (practices, games, functions) for a period of time up to a permanent suspension.