## **Codes of Conduct**





Basketball Australia has developed Codes of Conduct to guide the behaviour of all people involved in the sport and ensure that basketball remains a safe, inclusive and enjoyable activity.

## **Parent's Code of Conduct**

- Encourage your children to participate for their own interest and enjoyment, not yours.
- Encourage children to always play by the rules.
- Teach children that an honest effort is always as important as a victory.
- Focus on developing skills and playing the game. Reduce the emphasis on winning.
- Children learn best by example. Applaud good play by all teams.
- Do not criticise your children or other participants.
- Accept the referee's decision as being fair and called to the best of their ability.
- Set a good example by your own conduct, behaviour and appearance.
- Support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from sporting activities.
- Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every person.
- Show appreciation for volunteer coaches, officials and administrators.
- Keep children in your care under control.
- Always treat the facilities and equipment provided with respect.