

# SMOKING MANAGEMENT POLICY



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# INTRODUCTION

Queensland Lacrosse Association Inc recognises the harmful effects of tobacco smoke. Smoking and passive smoking is hazardous to health and can cause or contribute to many diseases. Everyone has the right to a safe environment and to enjoy the sport of lacrosse.

### **SCOPE**

To ensure that the use of tobacco and e-cigarettes is managed responsibly, the following policy requirements will apply to all players, coaches, officials, members, supporters and spectators at endorsed Queensland Lacrosse Association Inc competitions, tournaments and trainings.

### **PURPOSE**

This policy will help to ensure that Queensland Lacrosse Association Inc meets its duty of care in relation to the health and safety of our players, coaches, officials, members, supporters and spectators who attend our competitions, tournaments and trainings and upholds the reputation of Queensland Lacrosse Association Inc and sponsors.

# **POLICY**

Smoking in this policy includes the use of any form of e-cigarette device.

- Coaches, players, officials and volunteers will refrain from smoking while involved in an official capacity for the club, on and off the field.
- Spectators and supporters will refrain from smoking within the designated areas
- To foster our club's reputation as a healthy environment, no images of club volunteers, members, officials, coaches and players smoking at club-related activities will be placed on social media.

Queensland Lacrosse Association Inc requires the following areas of the each club's venue to be smoke free:

- All indoor areas
- All outdoor playing/training areas
- All spectator areas (standing and seated, covered and uncovered)
- All canteen, catering, eating and drinking areas.

Smoke free areas will be signed (where possible) and promoted in club materials. A designated smoking permitted area will be signed and located within a suitable area.

# **RELATED POLICIES**

This smoking management policy should be read in conjunction with the Queensland Lacrosse Association Inc

- Member Protection Policy
- Code of Conduct