

14. Drugs, Alcohol and Tobacco Advertising

Advertising imprinted with logos, slogans, pictures or writing which condones, promotes or encourages student use of tobacco, alcohol or drug products may not be used in connection with any UHSAA sponsored activity.

15. State Tournament Advertising/Awards/Protocol

- A. Selling advertisement or distribution of materials at state tournament events can only be done through sponsorship of the UHSAA.
- B. Awards other than those made by the UHSAA will not be allowed without prior approval. This includes extra team trophies, all-state teams, outstanding coach, etc.
- C. No hats or head coverings may be worn during awards ceremony at State Championships.

16. Banners and Signs

There are to be no banners or signs of any kind, except those of corporate sponsors or signs of welcome, displayed at any state meet or tournament.

17. Cheerleaders

Cheerleaders and song leader groups are recognized as performing groups at high school activities and will be subject to regulations and safety guidelines as outlined for state tournaments or meets.

18. Duplicate Trophies

In activities where a tie breaker can be established, team ties will be broken. In activities where team titles end in ties, duplicate trophies will be awarded for second place ties. First place ties will be given duplicate trophies but no second place trophy will be awarded.

19. Blood Pathogens & Communicable Disease Precautions

A player or coach who is bleeding, who has an open wound or who has blood on his/her uniform shall be prohibited from participating further in the game until appropriate treatment has been administered. If medical care or treatment can be administered in a reasonable amount of time, the individual will not have to leave the game. The length of time that is considered reasonable is up to the judgment of the referee/umpire.

20. Lost or Stolen Articles

The UHSAA is not responsible for lost or stolen articles. Teams and spectators must secure their own valuables.

21. 150 Mile Contest Approval Procedure

All practice games over 150 miles one way in any sport must be approved by the local board of education. The approval form must be completed and kept on file at the school and/or district office.

22. Catastrophic Insurance Procedures