

NVSL Swim and Dive SafeSport Approach – Summer 2026



Protecting Athletes
Building Safe Communities

Protecting Young Victims from Sexual Abuse & Safe Sport Authorization Act of 2017
Federal law requiring youth sports organizations to implement abuse prevention training, reporting policies, and safety reviews.

1. SAFESPORT IN NVSL

FOUR KEY LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

- 1. Limit 1-on-1 Contact:** Observable & Interruptible adult-minor interactions required.
- 2. Abuse Prevention Training:** Consistent training for all adults in regular contact with youth.
- 3. Increased Standard of Care:** Training, reporting policies & periodic safety system reviews.
- 4. Guidelines:** Multiple adults per activity, pick-up policies, appropriate touching boundaries, no outside socialization.

TEAM RESPONSIBILITIES

RECORD KEEPING

- Track & maintain all completed training records for coaches and team reps.
- Acknowledge completion of SafeSport requirements and similar programs.

COMPLAINT HANDLING

- Establish internal procedure to receive and examine complaints.
- Teams address issues internally — do not file directly with SafeSport or NVSL.

2. TRAINING FOCUS AND COST

WHO MUST COMPLETE TRAINING

REQUIRED (Core or Refresher Courses)

Div. Coord.

NVSL Board

Team Reps

Coaches 18+

Teams cover cost for
Team Reps and Coaches

RECOMMENDED (Awareness Courses)

Parents

Officials

Coaches <18*

Athletes*

* With parent's approval

TRAINING COST

SWIMMERS

Ages 5–12 Awareness Course

FREE

Ages 13+ Awareness Course

FREE

PARENTS & VOLUNTEERS

Parents Awareness Course

FREE

Volunteers Awareness Course

FREE

TEAM REPS, COACHES, DCs, NVSL BOARD

SafeSport Training: Four Year Curriculum



Year 1
Core Training
\$20 pp



Year 2
Refresher 1
\$10 pp



Year 3
Refresher 2
Free



Year 4
Refresher 3
\$13 pp

3. ACCESS TO SAFESPORT

NVSL ORGANIZATION MEMBER ID

14926812681

Enter the ID during initial registration – required field

PORTAL REGISTRATION STEPS (NEW LEARNERS)

- Go to the [SafeSport portal link](#) on the NVSL website to begin — do not use the general SafeSport site if you have no existing account.
- A "Sign Up" page will appear. Enter your name, email, and personal details, then click Sign Up.
- Enter **14926812681** in the Organization Member ID field. This is required to link your account to NVSL.
- Enter your **pool name** in the "Name of Sport or Community Organization" field, then complete registration.
- You'll be taken to your **dashboard** where you can browse free and self-purchase courses for your role.

i **Already have a SafeSport account?** Do not use the new learner link. Contact the SafeSport help portal directly to sign in and then link to the NVSL organization.

! Full instructions for portal access and course selection are available on the **NVSL website**. Teams are responsible for tracking completed training for their staff.