## Policy 23. Alcohol and Drugs

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Alcohol and drugs are strictly forbidden from all Dorchester Minor Hockey Association team activities, including tryouts, training, practices, games and any transportation to or from such activities. No member may be under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs during the course of any team activity. Any Dorchester Minor Hockey Association member, including, but not limited to, any player, bench staff, parent/guardian or other volunteer who is present at any team activity under the influence or seemingly under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs and/or with alcohol or drugs in his/her possession, will immediately be removed from the activity, asked to leave the facility and the proper authorities may be contacted. The matter shall be reported to the team's bench staff, the DMHA league representative and the executive. The team bench staff and the Dorchester Minor Hockey Association's Discipline Committee will review/investigate in order to determine whether there should be discipline.

Any involvement of alcohol or drugs during a DMHA team activity will be reviewed by the Discipline Committee, which shall report to the executive and make a recommendation regarding discipline. If discipline is considered, the person has a right to be heard by the Discipline Committee. Discipline may include suspension from DMHA activities.

## **No Changes**

Board and Membership Feedback:	