

10 Conduct of play: goalkeepers

- 10.1 A goalkeeper must not take part in the match outside the 23 metres area they are defending, except when taking a penalty stroke.

Protective headgear must be worn by a goalkeeper at all times, except when taking a penalty stroke.

- 10.2 When the ball is inside the circle they are defending and they have their stick in their hand:

- a Goalkeepers are permitted to use their stick, feet, kickers, legs or leg guards or any other part of their body to deflect the ball over the back-line or to play the ball in any other direction.

Goalkeepers are not permitted to conduct themselves in a manner which is dangerous to other players by taking advantage of the protective equipment they wear.

- 10.3 Goalkeepers must not lie on the ball.

- 10.4 When the ball is outside the circle they are defending, goalkeepers are only permitted to play the ball with their stick.