

## Big League Travel Baseball Policy on Abuse & Molestation

## BIG LEAGUE TRAVEL BASEBALL ABUSE/MOLESTATION POLICY

BLT Baseball will not tolerate the abuse/molestation of any minor participant in a BLT Baseball sanctioned activity. BLT Baseball sanctions athletic events in which it provides rules for play and a tournament structure that leads to season ending tournament opportunities for teams that register to play in BLT Baseball sanctioned events.

Because BLT Baseball is not an organizer, it does not, in any way take responsibility for the creation, management or any other activity of the teams (customers) that register to play in BLT Baseball sanctioned leagues and/or tournaments. As such, we encourage parents of youth team participants, the adult team participants, the community organizations who are involved in the organization, creation or management of such teams to investigate and screen the background and character of the individuals who coach, manage, volunteer or otherwise come into contact with such teams and their minor participants.

BLT Baseball is not responsible for conducting background checks on each of customer (including coaches for the teams that play in BLT Baseball sanctioned events), those convicted or charge with a violent felony of sex offense with a minor will be automatically suspended from all BLT Baseball sanctioned activities. If you are aware of any one who has committed a violent felony or committed sexual acts with a minor that has not been charged, you are obligated to report those crimes to the proper authorities immediately.