

Overview

The protection of personal information is important to Indoor Beach Volleyball Federation (IBVF) and the Federation respects the right to privacy and the protection of personal information. This Privacy Policy explains in general terms how IBVF collects and manages personal information. This policy is to be read in conjunction with the following documents:

- IBVF Complaint Management Policy
- IBVF Constitution
- IBVF Information Communication Technology Policy
- Privacy Act 1988¹
- Working with Children (Criminal Record Checking) Act 2004²
- IBVF Privacy Policy³

Definitions

- Express consent is given openly and obviously, either verbally or in writing (for example a signature or electronic signature). Express consent must be given before handling sensitive information⁴
- Implied consent means an assumption that consent has been given through a person's actions. Implied consent is required by an organisation to handle non-sensitive personal information. For example, "it's not sufficient for an organisation or agency simply to tell you of their collection, use or disclosure of your personal information. Unless they presented you with an opt-out option they cannot assume your implied consent."⁵
- On-line users refers to anyone that accesses the IBVF website (<u>www.indoorbeachvolleyball.com</u>)
 or our social media platforms
- **Personal information** includes a "broad range of information or opinion that could identify an individual".⁶ For example:
 - An individual's name, signature, phone number or date of birth
 - Sensitive information

- o Employee record information
- Photographs
- **Sensitive information** means 'personal information that includes information or an opinion about an individual's:
 - Racial or ethnic origin
 - Political opinions or Federations
 - o Religious or philosophical beliefs
 - Trade union memberships or Federations
- Sexual orientation or practices
- o Criminal record
- Health or genetic information
- Some aspects of biometric information
- Services means all activities conducted by IBVF in the operations of its core business processes

Background

As an Incorporated Federation, IBVF needs to ensure that the Federation complies with its legal requirements regarding the collection, use and disclosure of personal information of employees, volunteers, Centres and customers. Any personal information collected will be kept private and confidential and individuals have a right to:⁷

- have their privacy rights respected;
- be assured their information will not be passed onto a third person unless it is authorised by law or they have given their consent;

¹ https://www.legislation.gov.au/Search/privacy%20act%201988

² https://www.legislation.wa.gov.au/legislation/statutes.nsf/main_mrtitle_1095_homepage.html

³ file:///C:/Users/OM/Downloads/VA Privacy Policy 20160330.pdf

⁴ https://www.oaic.gov.au/privacy/your-privacy-rights/your-personal-information/consent-to-the-handling-of-personal-information/

⁵ https://www.oaic.gov.au/privacy/your-privacy-rights/your-personal-information/consent-to-the-handling-of-personal-information/

https://www.oaic.gov.au/privacy/your-privacy-rights/your-personal-information/what-is-personal-information/

⁷ https://www.commerce.wa.gov.au/books/inc-guide-incorporated-associations-western-australia/privacy-and-confidentiality-records

- know what information will be kept and why; and
- be assured that information will only be used for the purpose it was supplied.

Collection of information

IBVF collects non sensitive and sensitive personal information if it is necessary for the provision of one of our services. Information will be collected from a person when they:

- Are employed by IBVF or are engaged as a volunteer or contractor;
- Become a member of a Centre that is federated with IBVF;
- Are elected / appointed to the Board or a committee position with IBVF or an affiliate of IBVF;
- Enter into a IBVF competition or event;
- Participate in a IBVF program or activity;
- Subscribe to any publications of IBVF;
- Participate in research; however research outcomes and reports will not identify an individual, unless consent for this purpose has been obtained; and
- Make a general enquiry to IBVF.

Where possible, IBVF will collect personal information directly from the individual. However, there may also be occasions when IBVF will collect information from / or on behalf of third parties, for example, from centres. In these instances, IBVF will take all reasonable steps to ensure that the individual is aware of the purposes for which the information is being collected.

The nature and extent of personal information collected by IBVF varies depending on an individual's interaction with IBVF. In general, the information collected may include:

- Personal Information / Non-Sensitive Personal Information
 - A person's name
 - o Email address
 - Postal address, post code and region
 - Contact telephone number
 - Emergency contact details
 - Date of birth
 - Gender
 - Occupation
- Sensitive Personal Information
 - Country of birth and ancestry
 - Primary language
 - Disability, impairment and medical information

- Club / school
- o Volleyball specific qualifications
- Roles performed at volleyball events, activities and / or programs
- Communication history with IBVF
- o IBVF service history
- Credit card details
- Creditor, Employee and Contractor bank details
 - Citizenship
 - Aboriginal / Torres Strait Island descent
 - Working with Children Check number and Expiry
- Other information IBVF may also collect other information from online users, including visitor
 navigation and statistics, server address, browser type, date and time of visit. This information will
 be used to analyse website and social platform usage and identify online user behaviours to make
 improvements and maintain the platforms. IBVF will not match this information with personal
 information collected from online users.

Consent8

IBVF will take reasonable steps to ensure that persons are aware of, and consent, to the purpose for which personal information is collected and the organisations or types of organisations to which IBVF usually discloses information of that kind. IBVF will ensure that consent (express consent and implied consent) is:

- Consent is informed IBVF will explain how personal information is handled and outline the consequences of giving or not giving consent at the time of the decision.
- Consent is voluntary IBVF will not apply force or pressure to obtain consent; and
- Consent is current and specific IBVF will seek consent annually.
- The individual has the capacity to give consent IBVF will liaise with a Parent / Guardian or 'responsible person'

Use and Disclosure of Personal Information

All information collected by IBVF is only available to those authorised individuals who need to handle that information for the purpose of its collection. IBVF will use personal information to:

- Provide IBVF services
- Conduct assessment processes to ascertain eligibility for certain programs
- Process payments / donations and provide accurate receipts
- Market new and additional IBVF / partner services (every individual whose data is collected by IBVF will have the option to refuse e-mail or posted offers from IBVF).
- Run promotional campaigns / develop promotional material and publications, including but not limited to: photographs in the print media; the IBVF Annual Report, the use of video footage and sound recordings in electronic media; external publications such as newspapers and magazines; IBVF publications such as posters, flyers, brochures, displays, websites, social media; television or radio segments or advertisements. Consent will be obtained from individuals prior to the use of any photographs or video and from Parent/Guardian's to use an image of a child.
- Meet any requirements of government / partner funding for programs
- Monitor and evaluate existing services and plan for future services
- Comply with legal obligations.

IBVF may also disclose non-sensitive and sensitive personal information to other agencies and organisations in certain circumstances. For example:

- When required by law;
- To an enforcement body when reasonably necessary;
- To lessen or prevent a threat to an individual or public health or safety;
- To emergency Services such as ambulance, police, fire brigade etc., who may be called upon to assist during an accident or fire;
- To Volleyball WA and other reporting agencies
- To the relevant centres (if collected on behalf of them)
- If a person has an outstanding debt for more than six months to IBVF or Centre, the amount of that debt and the name of the indebted person may be placed on an 'Unfinancial' Register maintained by IBVF. If a person listed on that register applies for membership of a different Centre, the circumstances of the debt may be disclosed from one Centre to another.
- To suppliers, sponsors and / or contractors who may manage some of the services IBVF offer. In such circumstances, IBVF will require such parties to keep the information confidential and not to use the information other than the purpose for which it is disclosed to them. IBVF guarantees that personal information will not be sold to any third party.

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⁸ https://www.oaic.gov.au/privacy/your-privacy-rights/your-personal-information/consent-to-the-handling-of-personal-information/

Keeping Personal Information Accurate and Up-to-date

IBVF will take all reasonable steps to ensure that the personal information it collects, uses or discloses is accurate, complete and up-to-date. Personal information can be corrected or updated by submitting a request in writing to IBVF.

Access to Information

Access to an individual's own personal information held by IBVF is permitted, except as otherwise provided under law. If an individual wishes to access information held by IBVF, they can make a request in writing to the IBVF President, as directed by the IBVF Constitution.

Protecting Personal Information

IBVF stores information in different ways, including the IBVF Customer Relationship Management (CRM) system, hard copy files and in electronic. The security of personal information is of the utmost importance to IBVF and reasonable steps to protect it from misuse, loss, unauthorised access, modification or disclosure will be taken. Some of the security measures used include (but are not limited to):

- Confidentiality requirements of our employees, volunteers and service providers
- Security measures for CRM system access including restricted access
- Security measures on the IBVF website

Policy Application

- 1. This policy applies to all IBVF employees, contractors, volunteers, sponsors / partners, centres and all other people or organisations which by agreement or otherwise, are bound to comply with this policy.
- 2. This policy applies to IBVF business, activities, competitions and events.
- 3. This policy also applies to all IBVF data collection methods.
- 4. Websites linked to the IBVF website (www.indoorbeachvolleyball.com) are not subject to this policy. These individual websites would need to be contacted or reviewed directly to determine their privacy standards, policies and procedures.

Responsibilities

IBVF's role and contribution in making this policy work is to:

- 1. Take all reasonable steps necessary to ensure that everyone in the organisation knows:
 - a) What the policy is.
 - b) Their roles and responsibilities.

This will be achieved by:

- a) Distributing the policy to all centres and sponsors / partners.
- b) Commitment to educating IBVF employees, contractors, volunteers, centres and customers in regards to this policy.
 - I. Including a copy of the Policy in the Policy and Procedures Manual / Induction Handbook;
 - II. Displaying a Privacy Policy / Notification and Consent summary on the IBVF website, CRM / webforms and any other online data collection platforms;
 - III. Including a copy of the full policy on the IBVF website;
 - IV. Ensuring all data collection forms and methods obtain consent (express and informed), provide an opt out option and detail how information is handled and used;
 - V. Providing policy information sessions at meetings, workshops and forums; and
 - VI. Reference the policy in all other relevant policies and documents.
- c) Reviewing the policy and updating as required every 3 years, unless required earlier ensuring it reflects both community expectations and legal requirements.

IBVF employees, contractors, volunteers, sponsors / partners, centres and customer roles are to:

- 1. Comply with this policy and ensure information is made available.
- 2. Ensure information is correct and up to date.
- 3. Distribute the policy via their networks.
- 4. Collaborate with IBVF personnel to implement best practice.
- 5. Report any areas of concern to IBVF in a timely manner.

Policy Statement

IBVF will take all breaches of the policy seriously and will ensure they are dealt with promptly, sensitively and confidentially. Disciplinary action may be taken against a person who is found in breach of this policy, in accordance with the Complaints Management Procedure.