

Choosing Facilities

Facilities at NCAA-certified events and leagues must meet certain legislated requirements. ECAG also encourages event/league operators to remember the health and welfare of the participating athletes when selecting facilities.

- Choose a safe/clean environment.
- Make sure that the facility can accommodate expected numbers.
- Take into account whether the facility is temperature controlled (air conditioned, etc.).
- Consider whether the facility has satisfactory bathrooms (number and quality).
- Etc.

Events

Event Certification legislation states:

The event shall not be conducted in a venue where sports wagering on intercollegiate athletics is permitted, or on property sponsored by an establishment that permits sports wagering on intercollegiate athletics or is branded with signage for such an establishment.

It is also necessary under ECAG guidelines relating to non-certification legislation that the event operator meet certain Minimum Precautions. Therefore, you should choose facilities that allow for separation of NCAA coaches.

- Separate seating for NCAA coaches is required.
- Separate entrances, bathrooms, bracket postings, etc. are suggested.

Leagues

League Certification legislation states:

A certified league shall not be conducted in a venue where sports wagering on intercollegiate athletics is permitted or on property sponsored by an establishment that permits sports wagering on intercollegiate athletics or is branded with signage for such an establishment.

Related Legislation

13.18-(g)

17.31.4.1-(b) Geographical Limitation.

17.31.4.1-(h) Venue.

Related Guidelines

Minimum Precautions