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Rockhampton Junior Tennis Assoc Inc SunSmart Policy

Purpose

This SunSmart policy provides guidelines to:

- ensure all children, educators and staff are protected from over-exposure to UV radiation;
- ensure the outdoor environment provides shade for children, educators and staff;
- ensure children are encouraged and supported to develop independent sun protection skills;
- support duty of care and regulatory requirements; and support appropriate OHS strategies to minimise UV risk and associated harms for educators, staff and visitors

Application:

These policies are applicable all year round.

Policies

- Children are required to wear SunSmart clothing which as a minimum includes tops with collars and sleeves (preferably elbow length) as well shorts reaching down close to the knees
- Children are required to use broadbrimmed hats are required to cover, face, neck and ears
- Sunscreen must be applied prior to entering courts when UV rating is high. Sunscreen of at least UHF 30+ to be available at centre.
- Wearing of sunglasses to be encouraged
- Posters displaying SunSmart information to be prominently displayed
- SunSmart policy to be readily available on the TRL website
- Major SunSmart policies to be included in membership form
- TRL staff to be role models by
 - Wearing suitable clothing, hat and sunglasses
 - Seeking out shade whenever possible
- Sun/smart policy to be reviewed each 3 years