



2011-2012 Request for FIE License

General Information:

The FIE does not issue a license card. Your license number will be emailed to you with directions for printing an official confirmation from the FIE website. The License fee for the 2011-2012 Season is \$60.00

USA Fencing can only fulfill Athlete license requests if the athlete is eligible to represent the USA in competitions (must have a U.S. Passport) and is a USA Fencing member in good standing for the 2011-2012 season. You will also be required to fill out the code of conduct attached. Your application will not be processed without any of these items.

You will be required to submit a copy of the picture page of your passport and current digital headshot photo.

You can email your photo to: international@usfencing.org.

Please PRINT all information – incomplete forms will be returned:

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____
 Address: _____ USFA Member #: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____
 Primary Email: _____ Email 2: _____
 Email 3: _____ Email 4: _____
 Emergency Contact: _____ Relationship: _____
 Phone: _____ Email: _____

FIE required information:

License Type (circle one): Athlete Referee FIE Commission Member
 Date of Birth: DD / MM / YYYY Height: _____ Weight: _____
 Handed (circle one): Right Left
 Marital Status (circle one): Married Divorced Single Widower/Widow
 Profession: _____ Education: _____
 Passport # (enclose copy of picture page of passport): _____ Expiration: _____
 Country Issuing Passport: _____ Country Representing in Competition: USA

Enclose Payment of \$60.00, make checks payable to USA Fencing or:

Circle Card Type: American Express Discover Visa MasterCard
 Credit Exp. Zip Code of
 Card #: _____ Date: _____ Card Holder _____

Name on Credit Card: _____ Signature: _____

For questions contact 719-866-2606 or email: international@usfencing.org

Return Completed Form To:

USA Fencing
Attention: International
1 Olympic Plaza
Colorado Springs, Colorado 80909-5774
Fax: 719-325-8995

For USFA Office Use Only: Membership U.S. Passport Copy Digital Headshot Code of Conduct

USA Fencing Athlete Code of Conduct

Print Name: _____

The following rules of conduct will be strictly applied to all USA Fencing athletes including, but not limited to, members of the delegation at any international or domestic World Cup, World Championship, Pan American or World University Games competition, camp or other fencing activity. Any failure to adhere to this code of conduct may result in disciplinary action.

The following conduct is prohibited while representing the United States of America (USA) during any activity in which the athlete's participation is sanctioned by or entered under the auspices of the USA Fencing or the United States Olympic Committee (USOC), including international and domestic competitions, training camps and other related activities. The duration of any such activity is defined as the period beginning when the participant comes under the supervision of a Team Leader, Team Captain or other person vested with the authority of USA Fencing or USOC until the participant is no longer under such immediate supervision. The following activities are not permitted:

- The illegal possession or use of alcohol or illegal drugs or any banned substance as defined by the World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA)¹ throughout the duration of the trip (until the team has officially disbanded).
- The disregard of curfews and other rules of deportment established by the Team Leader, Team Captain or other person invested with the authority of the USA FENCING for the conduct of that trip including training camps and the competition.
- Absence, tardiness or disruption of any team functions, meetings, practices, and media occasions unless excused by a person in authority for that trip. Such activities must supersede any private, non-team related activities unless excused by a person in authority for that trip. Not appearing promptly as established by the Team Leader, Team Captain or other person invested with the authority of the USA FENCING by the USA FENCING or Federation International d'Esime (FIE) at all competitions.
- Failure to notify in a timely manner the person invested with supervision of the trip, tournament or other activity of any circumstance that would prevent one from being able to compete or participate at optimal level.
- No male athlete may enter the room of a female athlete and no female athlete may enter the room of a male athlete during the course of the trip unless said athletes are married or otherwise related.
- Any sexual contact or advance or any other inappropriate sexually oriented behavior directed toward an athlete by another athlete, including violation of any sexual harassment policy of the USA FENCING that may be in effect.
- Any illegal or inappropriate behavior that would detract from a positive image of the USA, the USA FENCING, or themselves as representatives of the USA. Illegal behavior is defined as conduct that contravenes the stricter of the laws of the United States of America or the host country in which the activity takes place.
- Failure to respect all laws, customs and traditions of the countries in which athletes' are traveling or competing.
- Failure to display proper sportsmanship and respect toward other coaches, officials, administrators, fellow competitors and the public.
- Any activity that will result in the presentation of a black card against the fencer.
- Any additional guidelines for the USA Fencing Team established by the Team Leader, Team Captain, or any other person vested with the authority of the USA FENCING. The Team Leader, Team Captain or other person vested with the authority of the USA FENCING may establish whatever rules of conduct he/she deems appropriate in light of the conditions of the trip or activity.

I acknowledge receipt of the Athlete Code of Conduct for the 2011-2012 Season. I have read and understood the provisions stated therein and agree to abide by them while representing the United States at any official international competition. I also understand that if I am a member of a U.S. Junior/Cadet delegation, I may not possess or consume any alcoholic beverage or substance banned in the United States or by the U.S. Olympic Committee. If I possess or consume any alcoholic beverage or banned substance I will be subject to disciplinary action by the USA FENCING, up to and including expulsion.

Signature of Fencer

Date

Print Name of Parent/Guardian (if fencer is under 18)

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date