

## ABUSE AND NEGLECT POLICY

One of the responsibilities of staff members working at a licensed sports camp in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts is to be aware of any possible signs of abuse with campers. Lazer Lax takes this responsibility very seriously and consequently includes a “Lazer Lax Suspected Abuse Policy Statement of Understanding” sign-off sheet with our application packet for employees.

Any staff member who suspects an incidence of child abuse or neglect must notify the camp administration (Coach Puglisi, Coach Pirani, Coach James, Health Care Supervisor) immediately. Any member of the staff who suspects abuse or neglect must produce a written report stating:

- Child’s name
- Date and time of suspected abuse

This report (51A) MUST be given to Coach Puglisi, Coach Pirani, Coach James, or Health Care Supervisor and sent to the Department of Social Services within 48 hours. A copy of the report will also be kept in the camp files.

Staff Signature \_\_\_\_\_