

After registering as a Volunteer through Team Sideline, you will be notified from WSGS when to expect an email from USA Softball inviting you to complete a background check and Safe Sport Certification. If, after being notified by WSGS, you haven't received an email from USA Softball, please check your spam folder as it sometimes goes there. If after checking your spam folder, you still didn't receive an email from USA Softball, please let your Team Parent/Head Coach know and they will inform your WSGS Division Coordinator/Membership Coordinator.

Upon receiving an email, click the link you were sent by Register USA Softball and login to the USA Softball website. You can also go directly to www.registerusasoftball.com and register with the email address you used to sign up as a Volunteer through Team Sideline.

You will need to confirm your information, enter your SSN, and consent to the background check. See screenshot below, area highlighted in purple, to know where to look on the website for the Background Check section.

The screenshot shows the USA Softball website interface. At the top, there is a 'Registration Menu' with sections for 'Umpires' (with a 'Go To My Umpire Page' button), 'Individually Registered Teams' (with 'View My Teams' and 'Add Team' buttons), and 'Individually Registered Leagues' (with 'View My Leagues' and 'Add League' buttons). Below these is a red notice: 'Teams - Please contact your local association to learn about becoming an USA Softball Sanctioned Only Team.'

To the right is the 'Local Association Contact(s)' section, which provides contact information for the 'Registration Contact' (Cassi Ponzio) and the 'Umpire Contact' (Chuck Brabec).

At the bottom, there is a navigation bar with tabs for 'Background Check', 'ACE Education', 'SafeSport', 'Registration Status', 'My Teams', and 'My Leagues'. The 'Background Check' tab is highlighted in purple. Below the navigation bar is the 'Background Checks' section, which includes instructions on how to purchase a background check and a notice about the 2022 season. Below this, the '1915591 Meghann Crane-Russ Background Check Status:' is displayed in three columns:

- Background Check Purchase:** Your association does not currently allow purchasing of Background Checks using a credit card. You must first meet the requirements set by your local association before continuing. A 'Not Available' button is shown.
- Background Check Status:** Status: Your Background Check has **Cleared**. JO season expires on 8/31/2022 and Umpires expire on 12/31/2022. Please check the ACE Education tab for the status of your 2022 ACE test. Invoice: 815691
- ACE Education:** You are now eligible to proceed to the ACE Education Section if you have not already done so. [Click here](#) to go to the ACE Education tab.

After you complete the background check, you will also need to login to SafeSport. See screenshot below on how to access SafeSport from the USA Softball website. Make sure you select USA Softball for their organization so it doesn't charge you.

Background Check ACE Education **SafeSport** Registration Status My Teams My Leagues

SafeSport

SafeSport has moved to a new platform! - Please be sure to review the below help guide before proceeding.

2022 Season Compliancy

Congratulations! You are good for the 2022 season!

2022 Season Compliancy for Umpires Only

Congratulations! You are good for the 2022 season; this applies to umpires only!

[Help Guide: How to Start and Complete SafeSport](#)

Important! In order to be compliant with the SafeSport requirement for the 2022 season, ONLY ONE course must have a completion date between 8/18/2021 and 8/31/2022 prior to registration. Acceptable courses are identified on page 9 of the above Help Guide (indicated by arrows).

Ready to get started?

[SafeSport First Time User Account Creation](#)

[SafeSport Returning User Login](#)

Returning users will need to use the "FORGOT PASSWORD?" link on the new SafeSport site to login for the first time.

If you do not create an account using the "SafeSport First Time User Account Creation" above, you will not be able to sync your completed course.

SafeSport is provided **FREE** to all members of USA Softball. If you are prompted for payment, please stop the process and let us know ASAP.

Once you have logged in Safe Sport, click on Catalog

BEGIN YOUR TRAINING HERE

Welcome, Meghann Crane-Russ
the U.S. Center for SafeSport Training.

My Courses
See courses you are enrolled in

Catalog
See a complete list of available courses

Help Portal
Click here to access the help portal

Inbox
Your priority messages
0
You currently have no messages.

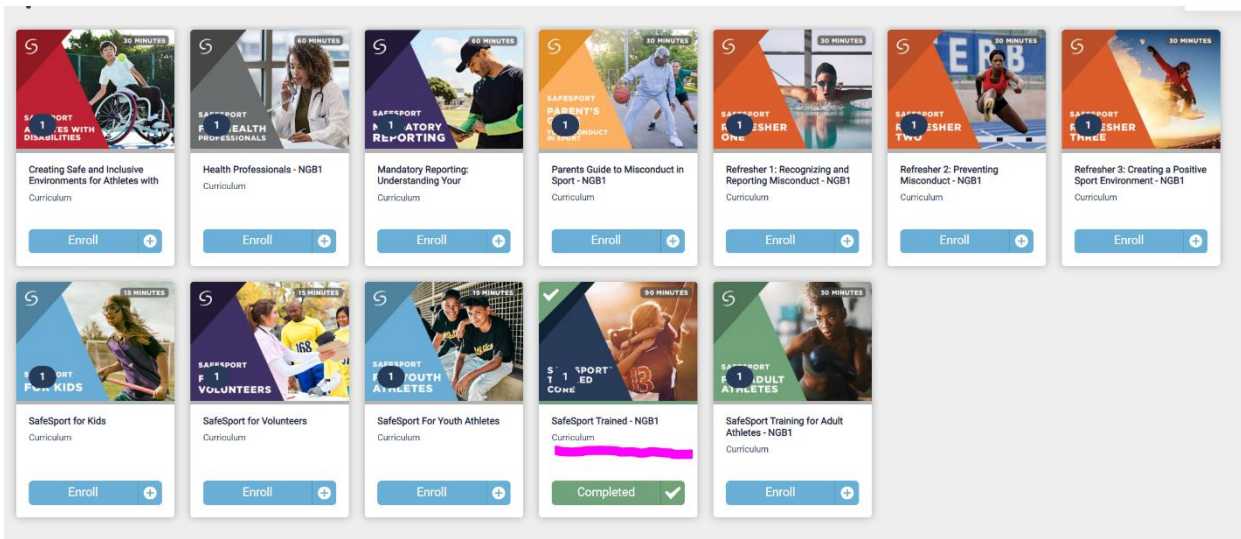
Enrollment Key
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Frequently Asked Questions
The answers to your questions

- How do I access the screen reader friendly version?
- How do I access the Spring 2022 Softball training and update language to:
- ¿Cómo crear una cuenta y cambiar las opciones de idioma?
- What do I do if I can't login with my email address?
- How do I log into Absorb without an Enrollment Key?

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Notice for Youth Courses
19 days ago

If you have never completed SafeSport before, you must complete SafeSport Trained NGB1 (90 minutes). If you have taken SafeSport training within the last 4 years, you can take one of the refresher courses (Refresher 1, 2 or 3 all 30 minutes).



When you complete SafeSport, you must download your certificate and email the certificates to safesport1@usasoftball.com so it can be updated in the USA system.

If you have technical questions or IT issues with SafeSport or USA Softball website please reach to USA Softball IT directly.

Your Coach or Team Parent must confirm your clearance from membership@westsacgirlsoftball.com before you are able to be on the field with girls.