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Wellbeing Attendant Policy

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SJSU Wellbeing Attendant Policy at a glance

- You can request a Wellbeing Attendant at any time for any medical examination, therapy or procedure.
- Any Sports Medicine Encounter that involves a Sensitive Area must be explained and discussed in full with you prior to the start of the Sports Medicine Encounter. You will be asked to provide Informed Consent or decline the treatment.
- A Wellbeing Attendant must be present for any Sports Medicine Encounter involving a Sensitive Area unless explicitly declined.
- You may stop the treatment at any time.
- You may choose any trained Student-Athlete or Athletics employee to serve as your Wellbeing Attendant.

Key Definitions:

- A Wellbeing Attendant is a person who serves as an objective observer for a student-athlete and/or sports medicine staff during a Sports Medicine Encounter. Depending on the circumstances, a Wellbeing Attendant may be a sports medicine staff member, coach, or student-athlete.
- A Sensitive Area is defined as the areas of and regions surrounding the buttocks, pelvis, and female breasts.
- A Sports Medicine Encounter is any medical examination, therapy or procedure.
- Informed Consent is a clear explanation of the Sports Medicine Encounter to be administered, the expected benefits and potential risks of the Sports Medicine Encounter and a clear verbal agreement from the student-athlete to proceed with the Sports Medicine Encounter.