

MANHATTAN MAKOS SWIM TEAM
CODE OF CONDUCT & TRAVEL POLICY

PURPOSE:

The purpose of this code is to promote the best possible individual, team, and program responsibility, which supports the development of first class citizens at all, times.

GENERAL CODE OF CONDUCT & TRAVEL POLICY:

I, _____, as an authorized representative of the MANHATTAN MAKOS SWIM TEAM, Metropolitan Swimming LSC, and USA Swimming, I will comply with the following guidelines.

1. The possession or use of alcohol, tobacco products or controlled substances by any athlete is prohibited.
2. Team members will wear designated team suits, t-shirts and gear during all competition.
3. Team members will attend all team functions including meetings, warm-ups, practices, competitions, meals, etc., unless otherwise excused or instructed by the Coach of record.
4. Disrespectful, indiscreet or destructive behavior will not be tolerated. Team members will refrain from any illegal or inappropriate behavior that would detract from a positive image of the MANHATTAN MAKOS SWIM TEAM, Metropolitan Swimming LSC, or USA Swimming or be detrimental to its performance objectives.
5. No male athletes in female athletes' rooms, and no female athletes in male athletes' rooms with no exceptions.
6. A nightly curfew will be established and must be reserved. Extension will only be granted by the Coach.
7. Team members may not leave the pool/hotel/meet without prior permission of the Coach. Swimmers are expected to remain with the Team at all times during the meet/function.
8. Team members will display proper respect and sportsmanship toward coaches, teammates, officials, administrators, competitors and the public.
9. Team members must respect the equipment, locker rooms, room, travel vehicles and facilities.

IMPLEMENTATION:

Your signature of the document constitutes unconditional agreement to comply with the MANHATTAN MAKOS SWIM TEAM Code of Conduct & Travel Policy. Failure to comply with the Code of Conduct & Travel Policy as set forth in this document may result in disciplinary action.

Such discipline may include, but not be limited to:

1. Disqualification from one or more events, or all events of competition;
2. Suspension of participation of MANHATTAN MAKOS SWIM TEAM
3. Dismissal from the team

The undersigned has read and understands the terms of this agreement.

Athlete Name (please print) _____ **Date** _____

Athlete Signature _____ **Parent Signature** _____