# **SOCCER UNIFORMS - CRITERIA**

# **MANDATORY EQUIPMENT**

REFEREES (Matching Uniforms)

**Shirt - All Game Officials Must Wear Same Color** 

Gold Short Sleeve - Standard

**Shorts - All Black (No White Stripes or White Trim)** 

Socks - Black

Black w/ 3 White Stripes - Standard

**Shoes - Predominantly Black (White Trim Only)** 

**USSF** Referee Badge

### PLAYERS (Matching Uniforms)

**Shirt - Must be Same Color as Teammates** 

**Goalkeepers - Must Wear Different Colors** 

**Shorts - Same Color as Teammates** 

**Socks - Same Color as Teammates** 

**Both Socks Must be Same Color - Knee Length** 

**Shoes - Any Color (Need Not Match Teammates)** 

**Shinguards - Appropriate Length** 

### STANDARD UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS

#### **REFEREES**

**Shirt - Must be Tucked In** 

**Shirt Sleeve Length - Need Not Match** 

**Socks - Knee Length** 

Visible Undergarments - Must be Black

### **PLAYERS**

**Shirt - Must be Tucked In** 

**Shirt Sleeve Length - Need Not Match** 

**Socks - Knee Length & Cover Shinguards** 

Visible Undergarments - Same as Uniform Colors

## **ACCEPTABLE APPARREL**

#### **REFEREES**

**Eyeglasses** 

Tinted Glasses - Only as Medically Prescribed

**Nristwatch** 

Hat (or Visor) with Bill .... All Black Only

#### **PLAYERS**

Eyeglasses - With or Without Restraining Straps
Tinted Glasses - Only as Medically Prescribed
Medical (or Religious) Medal - Taped to Uniform
Soft Protective Headband - Referee's Decision

## ACCEPTABLE WEATHER-RELATED APPARREL

#### REFEREES

**Black Hat or Soft Black Caps** 

**Individual Referee's Choice** 

**Headwear Need Not Match** 

**Uniform Shirts** 

Must be Worn Over Weather Gear

**Shirts Still Must be Tucked-In** 

**Black Trousers or Black Sweatpants** 

**Individual Referee's Choice** 

Must be Black in Color

White Stripes Acceptable --- But Not Preferred

**Exposed Undergarments** 

**Black - Other Colors Unacceptable** 

#### **PLAYERS**

**Soft Caps** 

**Individual Player's Choice** 

Colors Do Not Need to Match

**Uniform Shirts** 

**Must be Worn Over Other Clothing** 

**Shirts Still Must be Tucked-In** 

**Sweatpants** 

**Individual Player's Choice** 

**Color Should Match Teammates' Shorts** 

**Any Color - If Shorts Worn Over Sweatpants** 

**Exposed Undergarments** 

**Any Color - If Worn Under Uniform** 

# **UNACCEPTABLE EQUIPMENT**

### **REFEREES**

**Jewelry** 

No Earrings, No Necklaces, No Rings, etc.

**No Visible Piercings** 

Hats (or Caps)

No Hats with Logos

No Colored Hats

**No Hats Worn Backwards** 

Socks Not Pulled Up to Just Below the Knee

**Ankle Socks Not Acceptable** 

#### **PLAYERS**

**Jewelry** 

No Earrings, No Necklaces, No Rings, etc.

**No Visible Piercings** 

Hats

No Hats Worn by Field Players

**GK Hat OK .... Not Worn Backwards** 

**GK Helmet OK - No Hard Material** 

Sunglasses

Socks Not Pulled Up to Just Below the Knee

**Covering Over Shinguards is Mandatory**