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Friends:

The Jacksonville Sports Medicine Program, a non-for-profit community health care coalition is a regional leader in sports injury prevention and safety programs throughout north Florida. We are committed our community as a resource of sport safety education and best practice models.

We are supportive of the efforts of the National Athletic Trainers association and the Youth Sports Safety Alliance in addressing the importance of sports injury prevention.

As participation in athletics continues to increase, the demands and risks we place upon our children will increase; thereby, promoting the greater need for educational strategies for injury prevention and the increased presence of health care professionals supporting these prevention and care practices.

Together with our partners we intend to make north Florida a safer place to play and our goal will be for the Alliance to help guide some of these action steps we will take in our region.

Sincerely.

Robert R. Sefcik, ATC Executive Director