

Pierce County Soccer Association

Air Quality Policy

PCSA follows the guidelines set by the state using information from the Department of Ecology for the state of Washington. Click on the below link for the different categories and their descriptions. If the air quality reaches 151, all play should stop immediately. When the air quality is 150 or lower, it is at the parent's discretion if their player participates.

<https://ecology.wa.gov/Research-Data/Monitoring-assessment/Air-Quality-Index>

To monitor current air quality, click on the below link and enter the zip code for the location of your game/activity. Scroll down, you will also see the forecast for the air quality for the zip code entered.

<https://www.airnow.gov/>

The Association will not make a blanket call for all PCSA Home League games. Air quality can vary greatly within the county. Team staff members should monitor the location of where the game/activity is to be held. The staff members of the teams playing should connect and make a decision early enough that it can be communicated to the team's families so they can plan accordingly.

PCSA home league will not re-schedule games cancelled based on conditions outside of the Association's control. It will be left to the clubs and teams of the cancelled games to determine if a friendly game can be accommodated.

The Association will review the impact of any cancelled games to the U11 and U12 team standings. Points earned based on game results determine which teams qualify for the Dave Painton and Leann Ehnat Cups at the end of the year. The Association Home League Committee will make the final determination and communicate their decisions to the teams playing in the U11 and U12 age groups.