

**OWATONNA PARK AND RECREATION
DEPARTMENT
BLOOD RULE**

A player, coach, or official who is bleeding or who has blood on his/her uniform shall be prohibited from participating further in a game until appropriate treatment can be administered. If medical care or treatment is administered in a reasonable length of time, the individual will not have to leave the game. The length of time that is considered reasonable is left to the official's judgment. If the uniform is soiled with blood, the uniform must be changed or treated before a player can continue to play. The game official shall:

1. Stop the game and allow treatment if the injured player would affect the continuation of the game.
2. Immediately call the coach or manager to the injured player.