

Colorado Storm Travel Policy

Travel Arrangements and Planning:

1. Storm families are responsible for all player travel. This includes purchasing and booking flights, securing a hotel room at the team hotel, transportation and meals. If a parent cannot attend a tournament with their player, they must arrange adult supervision, lodging, transportation to and from games and provide them with money for meals.
 - a. Players and Coaches are expected to be at the team location hotel by 7pm the day before their first tournament game.
2. For "Stay to Play" tournaments, the Colorado Storm requires all players to stay in the team hotel unless prior arrangement have been made.
3. For travel requiring flights, the Team Manager / Coach will notify the team of flight options so that the players, if possible can fly together. We understand that there are circumstances and situations, such as the use of airline miles, where flying together is not always possible.
 - a. In the event a player is flying alone, please coordinate with a team coach or coordinate with another family.
4. It is recommended players budget \$30/day for food.
5. In order for Storm players to attend travel tournaments, their Storm account must be in good standing. Should a player have any outstanding balances, the player will not be allowed to attend the tournament without prior arrangement.

Safety and Security

1. The safety and security of our athletes is our first priority when traveling.
2. Coaches will establish a **LIGHTS OUT/CURFEW** and **WAKE UP** time daily.
 - a. Curfew will never be later than 11:00pm; the rule is enforced for all players even those staying with parents or friends.
3. No coaches or chaperones are allowed in player rooms at any time, unless other players are present (e.g. taping of ankles, wardrobe issue).
 - a. Failure to respect this rule will result in immediate expulsion from the club.
 - b. Non-Team members are NOT ALLOWED in any player room at any time.
4. Hotel room doors are not to be propped open.
5. Players are not to be running in hallway and creating unnecessary noise.
6. Alcohol or Tobacco products are not to be consumed during team travel functions.
 - a. If this rule is violated, player discipline will be enforced.
7. We will operate using a buddy system. Players are NEVER TO BE ALONE when outside of their hotel room, including game facilities. Players must have a teammate or parent/guardian with them at all times.
 - a. Players should always tell a parent/guardian, coach or another teammate where they are going.