



Leading the way with ASA Individual Registration: Best Practices for Teams and Leagues

- **Why Individual Registration?** As the National Governing Body for Softball, ASA/USA Softball is committed to the goal of providing accident and liability insurance to all participants in the Junior Olympic (youth) program. This is especially important as more and more American families do not have their own medical insurance.

To ensure that our JO players receive the insurance protection they need, ASA/USA Softball has been converting to Individual Registration (as opposed to team registration) for the JO Program. Individual Registration is also available to Adult leagues in certain areas.

- **How is the insurance plan for Individual Registration different from Team Insurance?** There is no difference in the limits of coverage under the Individual Registration or Team Insurance plans. The program is still administered by Bollinger and underwritten by Markel Insurance Company.
- **What are the benefits to everyone from Individual Registration?**
 - **Players:** All players are insured with a \$5,000,000 limit of liability and \$250,000 of Excess Accident Medical Insurance. The insurance coverage follows the player when they play on *any* ASA team.
 - **Teams/Leagues:** The team/league is insured as an entity if all team members Individually Register. If all teams in a league Individually Register, then liability coverage is extended to league officials.
 - **ASA:** Individual Registration helps the ASA achieve its goal to provide insurance to every player.
- **How to get started?** Contact your local ASA Commissioner or JO Commissioner for details on how to Individually Register. To find the contact information for your Commissioner, go to the ASA/USA Softball web site at www.ASASoftball.com.
- **For answers to Frequently Asked Questions on Individual Registration,** please visit Bollinger's ASA web site, www.BollingerASA.com and click on "Individual Registration."