

Eastern Harps GAA Club

GAA Injury Benefit Fund (All Male Players & Girls Under Age 10 Playing In Mixed Girls & Boys Teams Only)

A Guide For Players, Team Managers/Coaches/Parents

- **The GAA Injury Benefit Fund covers all male members from underage to adult and girls playing in mixed girls & boys teams under age 6, 8 and 10.**
- **The fund is administered by Willis Towers Watson.**
- **All players must be fully registered to avail of the fund.**
- **Players/parents are advised to ensure that they have appropriate private insurance in place also.**
- **Under no circumstance should any players take part in training sessions or matches without being registered.**
- **Insurance claims can only be made in respect of injuries sustained during official Club training sessions and official Club matches.**
- **All players *must* wear a mouthguard and are *not covered* under the GAA injury scheme if they are not. Mouthguard information in “Downloads” section of our Club website.**
- **Injuries which may result in physio treatment or insurance claim must be notified to Team Management and Insurance Officer immediately.**
- **Club Physio (Shane Gallagher) should be consulted in relation to appropriate treatment.**
- **Only injuries sustained during official club training sessions and official club games, will be covered by the club physio.**
- **All claims to the Injury Fund have to be submitted electronically by me within 60 days of player incurring injury.**
- **Any claims submitted outside the 60 day deadline will *not* be processed.**
- **Any injury related receipts or invoices submitted by players to the club outside the 60 days will *not be reimbursed or paid*. This position was ratified by the Executive Committee at the January 2018 meeting.**
- **Injury Claim forms are available in the “Downloads” section of the Club website.**
- **The GAA Injury Benefit Fund Summary Document 2018 is also available in the “Downloads” section of the website.**
- **Players, Parents (in the case of underage players) and Management Teams should read the document.**
- **The Ladies Insurance Scheme for teams under age 12 upwards is dealt with by Annette Henry.**

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