



## **BIG 12 CONFERENCE Sports Gambling**

1. Do not bet on a game – with anyone. All kinds of tactics will be used by gamblers to encourage your involvement.
2. Do not associate with known or suspected betterers.
3. Do not offer any opinions about any game to anyone – before or after the game.
4. Do not put yourself in a compromising position through any personal misconduct.
5. Do not accept favors or gifts from suspected or known betterers.
6. Do not furnish any information about a game, players, coaches, or officials to anyone except when following the Conference's procedures.
7. Do not hesitate to discuss any suspicious person(s) with the Coordinator who will notify investigative authorities. If necessary, a confidential investigation can be conducted. Always inform your coordinator and law enforcement officials any time an individual suggests (even apparently in fun) that you accept money to affect the outcome of a game.

Gambling not only is a big business – it is dangerous. Your cooperation in the fight to combat it not only will protect intercollegiate competition from its harmful influences, but also will place one of your most important assets – your personal integrity – above reproach.

NOTE: Umpires are prohibited from being in any kind of wager or “pools” related to length of games, number of balls/strikes called in a game and/or the potential ejection of a coach from a contest. Umpires are hereby notified that gambling in any form, including but not limited to the instances reference herein, will result in the immediate dismissal from the Conference roster.