

NJ COED SPORTS INDOOR SOFTBALL RULES

- ISP has a game clock that starts on time.
- 55 Minute or 7 inning game
- Infield is regulation size
- Balls are made for indoor play. No other ball is allowed on the field.
- 6 - 10 arc. Anything else is an illegal pitch
- 9 players on the field with 3 outfielders
- 3 females minimum on the field
- If a team has two females, a male cannot fill in for missing female. Team must play with 8.
- Showing up to play with only 1 female is a forfeit.
- Batting order is 3 males then a female
- Start at 1 - 1 count - no courtesy foul
- Max 3 walks per inning
- 10 run mercy after 5 - 7 run after 6
- 5 run max per inning except last inning
- If time runs out, score reverts to last full inning
- No halo for pitcher
- 1 base allow for overthrow
- Head first sliding is an out
- Sliding is allowed at 2nd and 3rd base but it's also highly discouraged.
- All balls in play caught off the ceiling and wall before it hits turf are outs
- If ball goes out of play, ball is dead. Umpire decision as to where players go. Half way rule applies
- Balls hit over net into other field are a home run
- Balls hit into black net and stuck is a single
- Balls hit into white net and stuck is a double
- All players have to be in the batting order
- Infield fly rule in effect, including balls that hit roof
- Re touch off 3rd base is allowed
- In order to maximize playing time, absolutely no between inning warm ups
- A rule can be modified in the event it poses a safety risk. Changes if any, will be announced

BASIC LEAGUE RULES

- Everyone must wear their NJ Coed Sports shirt. No other shirts are allowed.
- The balls are made for indoor play. You don't want to be hit by them, but they also will not kill you.
- For safety reasons, pitchers and catchers are responsible for making sure NJ Coed Sports approved balls and no other, are used in a game.
- Captain must announce all guest players if any, prior to a game to Jay or a field manager. A team will risk forfeiting if a guest is not announced and is found to be playing
- In order to maximize registered players' playing time, guest players can only be used to replace a player who is absent.
- \$15 cash or Venmo payment to league for all guest players before stepping onto the field. We are too busy to do it any other way
- A single guest player can only participate in 3 games in a season
- Guest players are not eligible to participate in the playoffs or finals.

Teams will be allowed to play the playoffs and finals with 1 female without forfeiting in the event they are missing females. The team must take an out where that female bats.