

2026 University World Cup Cheerleading Championships

16-18 January 2026

Safeguarding Compliance Required Policy Checklist

As part of the ICU UWCC 2026 safeguarding requirements, all participants must complete the Safeguarding Compliance Required Policy by providing a criminal record check and Identification verification for everyone accompanying the team to the Warm-Up Room/Backstage – Athlete Areas. (Coaches, Assistants, Directors, Medical Staff, Federation Officials, etc.)

Please follow the steps below carefully.

1. Required Documentation (These documents will be used solely for safeguarding verification purposes).

To verify your criminal history and confirm your identity, you must provide all of the following:

- Criminal Record Check
 - OR, for non-U.S. residents: a valid Visa or ESTA
 - OR a National Federation Membership Card that confirms a completed criminal record check
- Legal government-issued photo identification
- Passport-style headshot

2. File Upload Instructions

1. Create a shared folder for your documents.
2. Upload the following items together:
 - Passport or government-issued photo ID
 - Passport-style headshot
 - Criminal Record Check (or approved alternative listed above)
3. Ensure the folder is shareable and grant access to uwcc@cheerunion.org.
4. Your digital event safeguarding cards will also be uploaded into this folder.

3. GDPR Compliance

- All personal data will be stored securely and accessed only by authorized personnel.
- Your information will be used solely for safeguarding and verification purposes.
- Data will not be shared for any other reason and will comply fully with GDPR regulations.

4. Upload your FINAL Registration Invoice

Important Notes

- Ensure all documents are clear, current, and legible.
- Delays in providing proper documents may result in delayed verification.

Thank you for your cooperation in maintaining a safe and compliant environment for all ICU UWCC 2026 participants.