

COLD SPRING HARBOR HIGH SCHOOL

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND ATHLETICS

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To:

From: Michael Bongino

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Re: Concussion Management

The NYSPHSAA is excited to announce the NY State Education Department has approved the NFHS Concussion Management course for NY State Coaches. The NFHS course is now approved to be used by coaches in New York as part of the Concussion Management and Awareness Act requirement (every 2 years).

The NFHS course has been successfully completed by over 800,000 coaches nationwide and now coaches in New York will be able to experience the quality course as well. The course allows athletic directors to easily track the completion of their coaches and is specifically designed for coaches at the high school level.

All NFHS courses are accessed at www.nfhslearn.com. The direct link to the Concussion Course is: <http://www.nfhslearn.com/electiveDetail.aspx?courseID=38000>.

This news will be highlighted during the Athletic Director Eligibility Workshops this fall.

Please Note-Physical education teachers still have to complete the Heads Up, Concussion in Youth Sports (every 2 years). It is available at http://www.cdc.gov/concussion/HeadsUp/online_training.html

If you have any questions regarding this information, please let me know.

Thank you.