STICKS AND STONES
NAMES MIGHT ACTUALLY HURT ME

BULLYING IN YOUTH SPORTS IS PERVERSIVE

71% have been bullied
74% have bullied others

71% & 74%

feel bullying is a widespread issue.

ANTI-BULLYING POLICIES SHOULD BE ENFORCED

67% of 13-20 year olds
80% of 21-54 year olds

feel youth sports environments should have strict and enforced anti-bullying policies.

3RD PARTY MONITORING SHOULD BE USED TO PREVENT BULLYING

62% say that to prevent bullying, youth sports locker rooms, playing fields and other sports settings should be monitored by a third party.

SOME FEEL BULLYING & HAZING HAVE A PLACE IN YOUTH SPORTS

Nearly one in four (22%) see a need for some bullying in youth sports to build character and teamwork.

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54% Bullied someone
15% Not bullied someone

MANY FAIL TO STOP BULLYING

While 76% feel bullying in youth sports can be reduced if proper training is enforced, 52% admit to not doing anything to stop someone from bullying another person in a sports setting while playing or coaching a sport.

ARE YOUTH SPORTS LEAGUES DOING ENOUGH TO CURB BULLYING?

Only one-third believe youth sports leagues are properly addressing bullying.

33%

42% Parents
27% Non-parents

60% Bulled someone
15% Not bullied someone

have not done anything to stop someone from bullying another person

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