

## **Safety and Education in Shooting Sports**

### **Code of Ethics**

**A Complete 4-H Shooting Sports Program must convey life skills development and be presented in a way that is safe, technically competent, and helps instill 4-H values in participants through teaching and example. Certified shooting sports instructors and volunteers must be cognizant of their role as a moral and ethical mentor, as well as teacher, to youth and adults in their state and community.**

**As a 4-H Shooting Sports instructor or volunteer:**

- I will respect the participants, volunteers and property associated with the 4-H Shooting Sports Program**
- I will set a good example as a mentor and role model for 4-H Shooting Sports youth and volunteer leaders.**
- I will conduct myself and my 4-H Shooting Sports Program in a professional and ethical manner.**
- I will strive to be knowledgeable of the life skills embodied in the 4-H Shooting Sports Program and aid positively in the development of youth through adherence to those principles.**
- I will strive to be technically competent in the subject matter I teach and adhere to the national 4-H Shooting Sports guidelines and curriculum.**
- I will respect the dignity of each participant in the 4-H Shooting Sports Program regardless of gender, origin, ability, or achievement.**