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Anti-Doping Policy

Kingston United Soccer Club fully supports the Anti-Doping initiatives of the **Canadian Centre for Ethics in Sport (CCES)**, the **Canadian Anti-Doping Program (CADP)**, Canada Soccer, Ontario Soccer, and FIFA. Club coaches and staff are encouraged to discuss the topic of Anti-Doping with their team and parents.

The following is taken from Canada Soccer Guide to Safety and Ontario Soccer Governing documents:

The Canadian Anti-Doping Program

The **Canadian Centre for Ethics in Sport (CCES)** is the custodian of the **Canadian Anti-Doping Program (CADP)** set of rules that govern anti-doping in Canada.

The CADP consists of several components such as in- and out-of-competition testing, education, medical exemptions, and the consequences of doping violations. The CADP is compliant with the World Anti-Doping Code and all international standards.

The Canadian Soccer Association has adopted the CADP which means that you can be confident that you are part of a world-class anti-doping program that is designed to protect athletes' rights and ensure a level playing field. The Canadian Soccer Association's anti-doping policy reflects and supports the CADP.

While the CCES administers anti-doping for the Canadian sport community, you may also be subject to the rules of your international federation. Learn more about FIFA's anti-doping policies and procedures.

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Kingston United Soccer Club (KUSC) adheres to Ontario Soccer policies, including their policy and guidelines for Anti-Doping. The following is taken from **Ontario Soccer Policies** document and KUSC athletes are expected to follow the same guidelines:

Ontario Soccer supports Canada Soccer's Integrity in Sport Anti-doping policy and specific to soccer in Ontario:

- i. All athletes abstain from the non-medical use of drugs or the use of performance-enhancing drugs/supplements or methods and adhere to the requirements of the Canadian Anti-Doping Program;
- ii. Respect any penalty enacted pursuant to a breach of the Canadian Anti-Doping Program, whether imposed by Canada Soccer or any other sport organization;
- iii. Refrain from associating with any person for the purpose of coaching,





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training, competition, instruction, administration, management, athletic development, or supervision of the sport, who has violated an anti-doping rule and is serving a sanction involving a period of ineligibility imposed pursuant to the Canadian Anti-Doping Program and/or the World Anti-Doping Code;

- iv. Refrain from consuming alcohol in excess and/or the use of drugs that can impair performance or judgement while participating in Ontario Soccer and/or Canada Soccer programs, activities, competitions, or events;

Anti-Doping As it Pertains to Ontario Soccer Programming:

In addition the policy is further expanded in the Competition Regulations for Team Ontario - Canada Summer Games participation, Canada Soccer National Championships, Canadian Championships, and the FUTSAL National Championship:

1. All athletes and staff representing Team Ontario at the Canada Summer Games must complete the CCES E-learning: 16 True Sport Clean 101 and the Role of Athlete Support Personnel Course located at www.cces.ca
2. All athletes who participate in Canada Soccer's National Championships shall be eligible for unannounced testing. A list of banned substances can be obtained from www.cces.ca
3. Where unannounced testing takes place at a Canada Soccer National Championship competition it will be undertaken in accordance with the CCES protocols. One member of the team staff for all National Championships must have completed the CCES E-learning:

16 True Sport Clean 101 and the Role of Athlete Support Personnel Course.
4. In addition for teams participating in the Canada Soccer U-17 Cup, Challenge Trophy/Jubilee Trophy and Masters and FUTSAL Competitions, the team captain must have completed the CCES E-learning and True Sport Clean 101. The online education session is to be completed on the following website: www.cces.ca
5. A copy of the CCES certificate for each of the above listed courses must be submitted to Ontario Soccer and/or Canada Soccer prior to the start of the competition

