

Anti-Doping Rule Violations

Doping is defined as the occurrence of one or more of the following Anti-Doping Rule Violations (ADRVs) in line with Code Art. 2 (Anti-Doping Rule Violations):

- 1. **Presence** of a prohibited substance in an Athlete's sample
- 2. Use or attempted use of a prohibited substance or method
- 3. Refusal to submit to sample collection after being notified
- 4. Failure to file Athlete Whereabouts information & missed tests
- 5. **Tampering** with any part of the doping control process
- 6. **Possession** of a prohibited substance or method
- 7. **Trafficking** a prohibited substance or method
- 8. Administering or attempting to administer a prohibited substance or method to an Athlete
- 9. Complicity in an ADRV
- 10. **Prohibited association** with sanctioned Athlete Support Personnel
- 11. **Discourage or Retaliate** other Persons from reporting relevant Anti-Doping information to the authorities.

The first four Anti-Doping Rule Violations apply only to athletes since they refer to the obligation not to take banned substances and the obligation to submit to testing.

The remaining seven Anti-Doping Rules apply to both the athletes and the Athlete Support Personnel including coaches, medical professionals, or anyone else working with the athlete or involved in anti-doping activities. National and International Federation administrators, officials and sample collection staff may also be liable for their conduct under the World Anti-Doping Code.