



# PACIFICSPORT FRASER VALLEY ("PSFV") DRUG FREE SPORT POLICY

Reviewed and Approved by PSFV Board – [September 2023]

### Definitions

- 1. Terms have the following meanings in this Policy:
  - a) **Canadian Centre for Ethics in Sport (CCES)** The CCES is an independent, national, not-forprofit organization responsible for administering Canada's Anti-Doping Program and the World Anti-Doping Code in Canada.
  - b) Canadian Anti-Doping Program (CADP) The CADP is a set of rules that govern doping control in Canada. The CADP can be viewed <u>here</u>. The 2021 CADP came into effect on January 1, 2021.
  - c) *Clients* Users of PSFV services, including on-site services, such as athletes, coaches, medical staff, and other personnel connected to a team or athlete.
  - d) **World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA)** An independent, international, not-for-profit organization responsible for administering the World Anti-Doping Code and the promotion of clean sport internationally.
  - e) **World Anti-Doping Code (WADC)** Set of rules that govern doping control internationally. The full policy can be viewed <u>here</u>.

#### Purpose

2. The purpose of this policy is to confirm that PSFV has adopted the 2021 CADP as its primary domestic anti-doping policy.

#### **Scope and Authority**

- 3. This policy applied to all Clients.
- 4. In the event of a conflict between this Policy and the 2021 CADP, the 2021 CADP shall prevail.

#### Commitment, Adoption and Cooperation

- 5. PSFV is committed to clean sport in Canada and endorses the 2021 CADP and the WADC.
- 6. PSFV has adopted and agrees to abide by the CADP as it may be amended from time to time.
- 7. PSFV is unequivocally opposed to the practice of doping in sport on ethical, medical and legal grounds.
- 8. PSFV's Board of Directors has approved and accepted the adoption of the CADP.
- 9. PSFV shall cooperate with the CCES's investigations regarding potential anti-doping rule violations.

#### **Athletes and Athlete Support Personnel**

10. Per the CADP, an 'athlete' is any person who competes in the sport at the international level or the national level. The CCES also has discretion to apply anti-doping rules to an athlete who is neither an







international level athlete or a national level athlete and bring them within the definition of 'athlete'.

- 11. Per the CADP, 'athlete support personnel' are defined as any coach, trainer, manager, agent, team staff, official, medical, paramedical personnel, parent or any other person working with, treating or assisting an athlete participating in or preparing for sports competition.
- 12. Per the CADP, *designated* athlete support personnel are specifically identified by PSFV as those individuals who are:
  - a) Working as athlete support personnel under contract with or under the direct control and/or supervision of PSFV; and
  - b) Providing training, treatment and assistance to athletes preparing for sports competition at the elite level, which includes athletes, development teams and national team members

### **Sanctions and Reciprocity**

- 13. PSFV will comply with the CADP with respect to public announcements of positive test results.
- 14. PSFV will respect any penalty enacted pursuant to the breach of the CADP whether imposed by WADA or the CCES.
- 15. PSFV will respect the sanctions applied to a Client due to an anti-doping rule violation, whether imposed by WADA, the CCES, or any national or provincial sport organization.
- 16. All Clients sanctioned for an anti-doping rule violation will be ineligible to participate in any role with PSFV or in any competition or activity organized, convened, held, or sanctioned by PSFV as per the penalties imposed.







## Appendix A – Anti-Doping Links and Resources

Anti-Doping and Values-Based Sport Information:

- CCES website: www.cces.ca
- True Sport website: www.truesport.ca
- CCES E-Learning: contact the CCES for additional information
- CCES Advisory Notes and Media Releases: www.cces.ca/subscribe

Substance Information:

- Global DRO: www.globaldro.com
- Contacting the CCES: 1-800-672-7775 or substances@cces.ca

Therapeutic Use Exemptions (TUEs):

- CCES Medical Exemption Wizard: www.cces.ca/mewizard
- Contacting the CCES: 1-800-672-7775 or tue-aut@cces.ca

Report Doping:

• Report Doping Hotline: 1-800-710-CCES or www.cces.ca/reportdoping

Note: Various printed resources are available.

Contact the CCES for more information (education@cces.ca or 1-800-672-7775).

