

Skate Ontario Anti-Doping Policy

Skate Ontario is unequivocally opposed to the practice of doping in sport. It is an attempt to gain an advantage by cheating and brings dishonour to the individual, to the sport of skating, and to sport in general.

1. Skate Canada has adopted the 2015 Canadian Anti-Doping Program (CADP) as its primary domestic anti-doping policy. As a Section of Skate Canada, the CADP also applies to Skate Ontario. Administered on behalf of Skate Canada by the Canadian Centre for Ethics in Sport (CCES), the 2015 CADP is fully compliant with the 2015 World Anti-Doping Code, International Standards and Guidelines as they may exist from time to time. To view or download the 2015 CADP, please visit <http://cces.ca/2015-cadp>.
2. In addition, Skate Canada, as a member federation of the International Skating Union (ISU), must also be fully compliant with the International Skating Union anti-doping rules. The ISU anti-doping rules may apply to certain members of Skate Ontario in certain situations. The ISU anti-doping rules are fully compliant with the 2015 World Anti-Doping Code, International Standards and Guidelines as they may exist from time to time. To view or download the ISU anti-doping rules, please visit <https://www.isu.org/communications/352-1922-isu-anti-doping-rules/file>.
3. In the event of a conflict between the 2015 CADP and/or the ISU anti-doping rules and (i) any other anti-doping policies established by Skate Ontario or (ii) any other anti-doping policies established by Skate Canada the 2015 CADP or the ISU anti-doping rules shall prevail, as applicable.

Every athlete and other person participating in the sport shall reasonably cooperate with the Canadian Centre for Ethics in Sport (CCES) or another anti-doping organization investigating anti-doping rule violations and a failure to do so may be the basis for disciplinary action within the sport.

Note: The Skate Ontario policy above is based on a template provided by the CCES for all Provincial Sport Organizations who wish to clearly state their anti-doping policy.

