

<i>Coach's Code of Ethics</i>	
1 Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every human being	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Within the context of the activity, treat everyone equally regardless of sex, disability, ethnic origin or religion
2 Ensure the athlete's time spent with you is a positive experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> All athletes are deserving of equal attention and opportunities
3 Treat each athlete as an individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Respect the talent, developmental stage and goals of each athlete <input type="checkbox"/> Help each athlete reach their full potential
4 Be fair, considerate and honest with athletes	
5 Be professional and accept responsibility for your actions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Display high standards in your language, manner, punctuality, preparation and presentation <input type="checkbox"/> Display control, respect, dignity and professionalism to all involved with the sport — this includes opponents, coaches, officials, administrators, the media, parents and spectators <input type="checkbox"/> Encourage your athletes to demonstrate the same qualities
6 Make a commitment to providing a quality service to your athletes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Maintain or improve your current NCAS accreditation <input type="checkbox"/> Seek continual improvement through performance appraisal and ongoing coach education <input type="checkbox"/> Provide a training program which is planned and sequential <input type="checkbox"/> Maintain appropriate records
7 Operate within the rules and spirit of your sport	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> The guidelines of national and international bodies governing your sport should be followed. Please contact your sport for a copy of its rule book, constitution, bylaws, relevant policies, for example anti-doping policy, selection procedures, etc <input type="checkbox"/> Coaches should educate their athletes on doping in sport issues in consultation with the Australian Sports Drug Agency
8 Ensure appropriate physical contact	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Any physical contact with athletes should be: <input type="checkbox"/> appropriate to the situation <input type="checkbox"/> necessary for the athlete's skill development*
9 Refrain from any form of personal abuse towards your athletes*	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> This includes verbal, physical and emotional abuse <input type="checkbox"/> Be alert to any forms of abuse directed toward your athletes from other sources while they are in your care
10 Refrain from any form of harassment towards your athletes*	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> This includes sexual and racial harassment, racial vilification and harassment on the grounds of disability <input type="checkbox"/> You should not only refrain from initiating a relationship with an athlete, but should also discourage any attempt by an athlete to initiate a sexual relationship with you, explaining the ethical basis of your refusal
11 Provide a safe environment for training and competition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Ensure equipment and facilities meet safety standards <input type="checkbox"/> Ensure equipment, rules, training and the environment are appropriate for the age and ability of the athletes
12 Show concern and caution toward sick and injured athletes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Provide a modified training program where appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Allow further participation in training and competition only when appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Encourage athletes to seek medical advice when required <input type="checkbox"/> Maintain the same interest and support toward sick and injured athletes
13 Be a positive role model for your sport and athletes	



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14 Adhere to the Australian Sports Commission's / your sport's anti-doping policy**	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Be knowledgeable of, and comply with, all applicable anti-doping policies and rules<input type="checkbox"/> Use your influence to foster positive anti-doping attitudes<input type="checkbox"/> Support the initiatives of the Australian Sports Commission/your sport and other applicable organisations to stop doping in sport<input type="checkbox"/> Cooperate with the Australian Sports Commission/your sport and other applicable organisations in relation to the conduct of any investigation or hearing into an alleged anti-doping policy breach<input type="checkbox"/> Understand the process for reporting, investigating and determining breaches as set out in the Australian Sports Commission/your sport's anti-doping policy<input type="checkbox"/> Give due and proper consideration as to whether you also have a responsibility to act under the Australian Sports Commission's /your sport's code of conduct<input type="checkbox"/> Act in a discreet and confidential manner in discharging your obligations
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