



# ANSSACC DRUG POLICY

Version 2015

The Organising Committee condemns the use of classified substances for the purpose of performance enhancement. Not only these substances are dangerous to the well-being of the concerned person, the act of consuming such substances is unfair on other competitors and is contrary to the ethic of sport and incompatible with the Sikh philosophy. Any individual who is found/caught handling such substances risks ban for LIFE for participation in the Australian Sikh Games. Such individuals and any such events will be reported to the National Games Committee for further disciplinary action as well as to the relevant police and legal authorities. This ban is also for any officials and players who do not cooperate with the Drug policy, as it is against rules of the Australian Sikh Games and unsportsmanlike like. Participating clubs and players must be aware of the following protocols regarding the drug policy of ANSSACC.

1. Like any other sports organisation, Sikh Games are dealt as drug free games. Team members entered automatically are subject to drug test at any time during the tournament.
  - 1(a). Random tests can be done in Half-time break.
2. It is clubs responsibility to educate their players regarding zero drug policy. Any player /s do not cooperate with drug test team, is automatically suspended from playing and participating into the tournament.
3. Drug Policy Co-ordinators selected by Organizing Committee and ANNSACC can check any player for drug test on random basis.
4. Tests for certain drugs can be added to the list with 24 hour notice. The full list of prohibited drugs can be found on ANSSACC website or ASADA website. Possession of illicit drugs will be immediately reported to the police.

## Drug Tests for 28th Annual Sikh Games:

1. Test for.. THC , Cocaine, Meth, Amphetamine, Opioids, Benzo (valium type of drugs). We will also test for K2 (synthetic cannabis). More drugs maybe added priors to the games with 24hour notice.
2. Urine, saliva or breath test. If need arises blood samples may be taken
3. Urine test takes about 3 mins ( provided they can pee) Saliva around 10 minute mark. If they need to go to the lab they usually take 3 working days. Samples will not be sent off to the lab without prior approval.
4. Paper work is filled out as each person has their test, they receive a copy.
5. United front from management, this is really important. Putting a positive aspect and image on D&A screening is the key.

## Procedure:

### Choosing Player, Official or Team representative for Test:

- If player is randomly chosen by the local committee or ANSSACC, then cost of test will be paid by local committee however in test is positive, club(player's) will pay \$200/test + \$500 as fine. Player will be banned for 15 months(effective immediately) which means he/she will miss next games.
- Player or club cannot refuse test. Only five minutes will be given to make up mind. Then \$500 as fine will apply. Player will be banned for 15 months(effective immediately) which means he/she will miss next games.
- If more than 3 players of same club are tested positive, then club will be put on notice and it will be compulsory to test all player participating and will pay test cost of all players.
- In case of serious dosage, blood samples will be taken and sent to the laboratory and club shall bear the cost.
- Names of players found positive may be disclosed to the public and media upon written request.
- Team officials, managers, referees, ANSSACC committee, Local committee, commentators and players are subject to the tests.
- 0.05 is the legal limit for alcohol. Persons found above limits will be immediately expelled and ejected from the venue.

### Objectionary Tests:

- Test on player maybe initiated by other teams
- Objectors will deposit \$200/test with objection form
- If player is found positive, \$200 will be refunded to the objector and fines will apply to the player
- Objectors will bear the cost of test if found negative.
- Objections cannot be filed during the match.
- Objections can be filed at least 20mins prior or 5mins after the match or any other time when that team is not playing.

## ANSSACC Registered Clubs 2014-15

Azaad Club Melbourne	Azaad Club	Melbourne, VIC
Azad Kabaddi Club	Azad Kabbadi	Melbourne, VIC
Brisbane Punjabi Community Club	BPCC Calamvale	Brisbane, QLD
Brisbane Sikhs United	BSU	Brisbane, QLD
Brisbane Warriors	Brisbane Warriors	Brisbane, QLD
Canberra Sikh Association	Canberra	Canberra, ACT
Dashmesh Sports Club Sydney	Dashmesh Sydney	Sydney, NSW
Dashmesh Sports Club Melbourne	Dashmesh Melb	Melbourne, VIC
Fateh Sports Club Brisbane Inc.	Fateh Brisbane	Brisbane, QLD
Guru Nanak Society of Australia	GNSA	Adelaide, SA
Kalgidhar Sports & Cultural Association, Victoria	Kalgidhar	Melbourne, VIC
Khalsa Lions Inc.	Khalsa Lions	Melbourne, VIC
Melbourne Kabaddi Academy	MKA	Melbourne, VIC
Murwillumbah Punjabi United	MPU	Murwillumbah, NSW
Northern Queensland Indian Cultural & Sports Association Inc	NQIC&SA	QLD
NSW Singhs	NSW Singhs	Sydney, NSW
Panjab Warriors Sports & Cultural Club	Panjab Warriors	Melbourne, VIC
Punjab Lions Soccer Club	Punjab Lions	Adelaide, SA
Punjabi Cultural and Sports Club Inc WA	PCSC	Perth, WA
Punjabi Cultural Association of Queensland	PCAQ	QLD
Punjabi Sports Club Brisbane	New Farm	Brisbane, QLD
Punjabi Sports Club Melbourne	PSC	Melbourne, VIC
Riverland Sikh Sports & Cultural Club	SSCC	Renmark, SA
Sarbat Khalsa	Sarbat Khalsa	Adelaide, SA
Sikh Association of Western Australia	SAWA	Perth, WA
Sikh United Melbourne	Sikh Utd	Melbourne, VIC
Sikh Warriors Cricket	Sikh Warriors	Sydney, NSW
Singh Sabha Sports Club	SSSC	Melbourne, VIC
Sports & Cultural Sikh Association Sydney	SCSAS	Sydney, NSW
Super Sikhs Sports & Cultural Association	Super Sikhs	Sydney, NSW
Sydney Khalsa Sports Club Inc.	Sydney Khalsa	Sydney, NSW
Sydney Punjabi Lions Club Inc.	Sydney Lions	Sydney, NSW
Sydney Sikhs Sports Club	Sydney Sikhs	Sydney, NSW
Vic Girls United	Vic Girls	Melbourne, VIC
Victorian Sikh Association	VSA	Melbourne, VIC
Virsa Club (WA) Inc	Virsa	Perth, WA
West Sydney United	West Sydney	Sydney, NSW
Woolgoolga - Coffs Harbour Sikh Sports Club	WCSSC	Woolgoolga, NSW
Young Kabaddi Club, Melbourne	YKC	Melbourne, VIC