



SURF LIFE SAVING AUSTRALIA POLICY

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Authority	This Policy is made under clause 39 of the SLSA Constitution. It is binding on SLSA and all its member or affiliate organisations, as well as all Surf Sport Athletes and other Persons. This Policy is to be interpreted in accordance with the SLSA Constitution.

1 INTRODUCTION

Surf Life Saving Australia (SLSA) has adopted and implemented the Australian National Anti-Doping Policy (ANADP) which reflects the 2021 World Anti-Doping Code and amendments to Australian anti-doping legislation. The purpose of the Australian National Anti-Doping Policy is to have a single and consistent set of anti-doping rules across all sports in Australia.

2 POLICY

Under clause 39 of the SLSA Constitution the SLSA Board adopts the Australian National Anti-Doping Policy, effective from 1 January 2021, which applies to SLSA, and all its member or affiliate organisations (SLSA Entities), Surf Sport Athletes and all Relevant Persons outlined in Section three of this policy. The Australian National Anti-Doping Policy can be found on the Sport Integrity Australia [website](#) and is endorsed as the anti-doping policy for surf sport.

The Australian National Anti-Doping Policy definition of Application to Persons is varied to align with Surf Life Saving Australia Policy (SLSA Policy 5.02) definition as follows:

Article 1.3 of the ANADP (Application of Anti-Doping Policy to Persons) is varied with/to the effect that the ANADP does not apply to those persons who only undertake surf lifesaving volunteer patrols as a community service and do not participate in surf sports.

3 APPLICATION

- a. This Policy applies to SLSA as well as all Surf Sport Athletes, SLSA Entities and Relevant Persons.
- b. Relevant Persons shall include but not be limited to:
 - i. persons who hold governance positions with SLSA or SLSA Entities; such as Board Members, Directors, Officers, Selectors, Staff and Personnel
 - ii. Delegated Third Parties and their employees
 - iii. Athlete Support Persons, such as Coaches; Officials Managers, Agents, Team and Squad Support Staff
 - iv. Competition Organisers.
- c. The ANADP does not apply to those persons who only undertake surf lifesaving volunteer patrols as a community service and do not participate in surf sports.