

## NATIONAL FRAMEWORK FOR ETHICAL BEHAVIOUR AND INTEGRITY IN BASKETBALL KEY MESSAGES FOR ALL PARTICIPANTS

Basketball Australia has developed a national framework to promote and maintain integrity in basketball. The Framework sets out a robust set of reporting, investigatory and sanctioning provisions to deal with Prohibited Conduct.

- **The Integrity Framework applies to all Participants and Clubs across all levels of basketball:**
  - Although some provisions are limited to specific levels or groups of Participants.
- **The Integrity Framework incorporates the following seven (7) policies:**
  - Code of Conduct for Directors, Staff and Volunteers
  - Gambling and Match-Fixing Policy
  - Illicit Drugs Policy
  - Whistleblowing Policy
  - Anti-Doping Policy
  - Member Protection Policy
  - Whistleblowing Policy
- **Each Policy defines conduct that is specifically prohibited:**
  - The Framework sets out consistent reporting, investigatory and sanctioning procedures.
- **Different procedures apply for Anti-Doping and Member Protections matters.**
- **Basketball Australia has developed an Integrity Education Strategy:**
  - This will include education on each of the policies within the Framework where relevant.
- **Basketball Australia has an Integrity Unit and may conduct investigations:**
  - The Integrity Unit will manage the implementation of the Framework, monitor the conduct of Participants and Clubs and initiate and coordinate investigations.
  - Participants and Clubs are required to cooperate with investigations and may be required to provide any relevant information, including but not limited to documents and personal records, such as telephone and banking records.
- **Basketball Australia has implemented an Independent Reporting Hotline for Participants to report information:**
  - Reports may be made anonymously.
  - <http://basketball.stoplinereport.com>
  - 1300 30 45 50
- **For more information, please refer to Basketball Australia's National Framework for Ethical Behaviour and Integrity in Basketball: [www.basketball.net.au/integrity/](http://www.basketball.net.au/integrity/)**

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