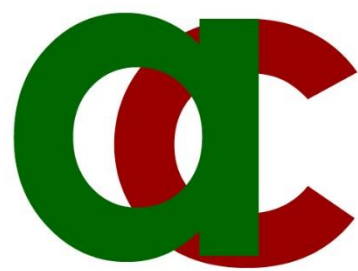


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# Anti-Doping policy



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### Introduction

Angling Cymru (AC) does not allow at any time the consumption of any banned substances, as listed by the Olympic Committee's Commission, by its membership.

### Alcohol

With the exception of social occasions, e.g., presentation evenings, dinners, etc., AC does not allow the consumption of alcohol during its activities, e.g., fishing competitions or other events organised by AC, its NGBs, and their member clubs and neither does AC condone the consumption of alcohol before such activities.

### Drug Testing

Drug testing of AC members may take place when AC event organisers have strong grounds for suspicion, or following an incident where the use of drugs or alcohol could be found to be contributory. The AC membership may also be subjected to random drug testing as part of the policy against drugs in sport.

Testing will be carried out by an outside firm skilled in this particular field. Such a company will test to the relevant banned substance list and will monitor body levels when asked to do so. This firm must be independent of AC and medically certificated to carry out sample collection and subsequent screening.

### Discipline

Any person affiliated to AC, e.g, through its own committees, coaches, NGBs, etc, found to be in contravention of the anti-drugs policy will be subject to disciplinary action.

### Monitoring and review

This policy is reviewed annually by the AC Board of Directors.

