**Commitment statement template for clubs**

Everyone has a duty to protect clean sport and [name of club] recognises our role in developing, nurturing and reinforcing a culture of clean sport.

[Name of club] agrees with the England Ice Hockey and UK Anti-Doping (UKAD) position that adopting clean sport policies is fundamental to maintaining the integrity of the sport and protecting our athletes.

To protect the reputation of [name of club] and paddling, we commit to support clean sport in the following ways:

* [Name of club] is committed to encouraging fair play, ethical decision making and healthy behaviour in all athlete/participant members
* All athlete/participant members will conduct themselves in line with the spirit of sport and the anti-doping rules
* Volunteers and any associated staff will not condone, assist or in any way support doping behaviour
* All members must abide by all [name of club] policies and procedures and any breaches of these will be acted upon accordingly
* Name of club] recognises the importance of establishing a culture of ‘speaking out’ and encourages club members to do so either to a member of our club, England Ice Hockey, or through the [Protect Your Sport](https://www.ukad.org.uk/protect-your-sport) reporting options.
* [Name of club] will uphold any sanctions placed upon an athlete or athlete support personnel by UKAD or other associated body in accordance with the World Anti-Doping Code
* [Name of club] will pass on any further anti-doping information that is received from England Ice Hockey or UKAD that is relevant to our members
* Providing opportunities for our members to enhance their anti-doping knowledge and their ability to protect the integrity of [name of club] and clean sport

Further details about England Ice Hockey’s anti-doping programme in the UK can be found on the England Ice Hockey website and more general information can be found on UKAD’s website here [www.ukad.org.uk].

**Top tips for Clean Clubs**

1. Create a clean sport commitment statement for your club using the template provided and share this with members.
2. Delegate a club member to be your Clean Sport Champion and ensure they undertake the [Introduction to Clean Sport course.](https://www.ukad.org.uk/cleansporthub)
3. Signpost athletes and athlete support personnel to the free [UKAD eLearning courses](https://www.ukad.org.uk/cleansporthub).
4. Include anti-doping information on your club’s website, including links to the [Global DRO](https://www.globaldro.com/Home) and [Informed Sport](https://sport.wetestyoutrust.com/) websites.
5. Signpost members to the [100% me app](https://apps.apple.com/gb/app/clean-sport/id842611826).
6. Review Codes of Conduct to include reference to competing clean and adhering to anti-doping rules.
7. Review your Duty of Care policy to include reference to protecting the health of your members and how doping behaviour will be managed.
8. Ensure a ‘Speak Out’ culture is promoted and links to [Protect Your Sport](https://www.ukad.org.uk/protect-your-sport) are available to members.
9. Know who the England Ice Hockey anti-doping lead is (information can be found on the England Ice Hockey website).
10. Make new members aware when they join that the club is committed to clean sport and that as a member they are under the jurisdiction of the anti-doping rules.