

Creating the Code of Integrity for Sport and Recreation

Engagement and design journey

PHASE 1

Initial Code engagement
June 2022 – August 2023

- A survey gathers insights into participant's understanding of integrity and their experiences.
- Sector hui with sport and recreation organisations and webinar provide background information and signal future opportunities to engage in the Code development process.
- Public survey commences, over 2,000 people share their views on what they'd like to see in the Code.
- Te Rōpū Māori is formed, and discussions begin about how to support design of the Code through a te ao Māori lens.

PHASE 2

Developing the Code and further engagement
August 2023 – January 2024

- Focussed discussion groups representing a wide range of participants including athletes, rangatahi, Pacific peoples and Māori, and people who work and volunteer in the sector meet online for discussions that on what the code should cover, including rights, values, standards and obligations, access to dispute resolution and sanctions.
- Integrity Code Reference Group formed to deliver expert advice on technical aspects of the Code development.
- Athlete Reference Group formed to provide specialist advice from the perspective of high-performance athletes.
- Testing the working draft of the Code with about six sector organisations (representative of a range of structures) and relevant government agencies. **WE ARE HERE**

2022

2023

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LEGISLATION PASSED

August 2023

The Integrity Sport and Recreation Act becomes law. It requires the Integrity Sport and Recreation Commission to be operating by no later than 1 July 2024.

The Act gives the Commission the power to develop and issue the Code.

CODE ISSUED

Mid to Late 2024

Code finalised and published by the Integrity Sport and Recreation Commission and the Code adoption process begins for sport and recreation organisations.

PHASE 3

Sharing and testing the draft Code
March 2024 – July 2024

- The exposure draft version of the Code is released. Feedback is sought from the entire sector including from sport and recreation organisations, participants, and the public.
- The Integrity Sport and Recreation Commission commences operations on 1 July.
- Feedback on the exposure draft version of the Code is analysed, and changes made to the draft Code.
- Code is prepared for publication and made available for organisations to adopt.