



## Rider Code of Conduct

Cycling BC is committed to the pursuit of good sport and ensuring that the sport of cycling is practiced in a safe and fair manner.

This Code of Conduct applies to all Cycling BC members, including athletes, coaches, event officials and organizers, volunteers, and others, and articulates what is expected of members

and event participants. While engaging in cycling activities sanctioned by or otherwise affiliated with Cycling BC, riders have the responsibility to:

- Act within the letter and intent of the applicable rules and regulations of competition at all UCI, CCA, or Cycling BC sanctioned events;
- Demonstrate a spirit of good sportsmanship, and strive, wherever possible, to protect the health and safety of fellow athletes, officials, event organizers, coaches, managers, volunteers, and all others;
- Maintain or enhance the dignity and self-esteem of athletes, officials, event organizers, coaches, managers, volunteers, and others by:
  - demonstrating respect to individuals regardless of gender, ethnic or racial origin, sexual orientation, age, marital status, religion, political belief, disability or economic status;
  - communicating about the sport of cycling and other athletes, coaches, officials, team managers, and sport governing bodies in a moderate and constructive manner;
  - consistently demonstrating the spirit of sports leadership.
- When riding outside of sanctioned events, become an ambassador for the sport of cycling, by respecting the rules of the road, and acting in a respectful and courteous manner to other cyclists, motorists, and pedestrians.

I have read and understood the above statements and agree to conduct myself in a manner that abides by the standards established in this code of conduct, Cycling BC policy, and by Cycling BC, Cycling Canada, or UCI regulations, at events sanctioned accordingly. I understand that Cycling BC will not tolerate harassment or abuse of power.