

## A Mixed Study on Doping Behaviour Amongst Malaysian Athletes in Individual Sports

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Information on doping behaviour and motivation are sources from countries with more successful sporting culture. There are currently minimal information on doping behaviour in athletes based within Malaysia, a Low-middle Income Country (LMIC). There is a need to explore this within a LMIC context as the factors that drive doping behaviour and motivation could be related to different cultural and social perspective about sports from more developed countries. This study aims to achieve that via a mixed-method study that includes a quantitative knowledge, attitude and perspective survey (KAP) of athletes from bodybuilding, cycling, weightlifting, athletics, aquatics and also qualitative study involving interviewing past athletes that were sanctioned in the past in these sports. The data collected from the study will be analysed and interpreted for future doping interventions within the country.

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