



Code of Professional Conduct

This Code of Professional Conduct sets out the standards of professional conduct and ethical behaviour by which SoBRA members should abide. This code applies to all SoBRA members, irrespective of their membership grade and their professional role.

1. A member shall uphold the dignity, standing and reputation of the profession and Society.
2. A member shall exercise their professional judgement and responsibilities with diligence and integrity.
3. A member, in their responsibility to their Employer and to the profession, shall have full regard to the public interest, particularly in relation to matters of health and safety.
4. A member shall not allow a conflict of interests to influence the integrity of a risk assessment.
5. A member shall commit to maintaining their professional competence by undertaking and recording appropriate continuing professional development.
6. A member shall recognise the limitations of their own abilities, knowledge and areas of expertise and shall not undertake work that is beyond their professional capabilities.
7. A member shall comply with the standards and legislative requirements of their country of work. A member shall have a duty to put their objection on record if legal requirements are being overlooked,
8. A member shall notify the Society should they or fail to maintain any of the essential Registration eligibility criteria.

If evidence becomes available to the Society that a registered member is in breach of the Code of Professional Conduct, the evidence will be examined by the Society. SoBRA may remove a member from the Register for a serious breach of the Code of Professional Conduct.

If a member is troubled by an ethical problem, particularly if they are worried about breaching the Code of Professional Conduct, they can discuss their concerns with one or more of the SoBRA Executive Committee.