Atypical Findings (ATF) - ADO

An atypical finding (ATF) is reported by a laboratory through a lab result to indicate that, while there may not be an adverse analytical finding, there may be some suspicion according to the results and that further analysis or investigation should be conducted.

Like the AAF, the ATF is a temporary step in the management of a Lab Result. The support of the ATF in ADAMS is very similar to the AAF. These two entities mostly differ by their status and permit organizations to take action using pages which are similar.

An ATF record is created when a DCF is matched to a submitted lab result with the test result of ATF. The record is then accessible through the athlete's medical tree under the ATF branch. Please refer to the DCF section for more information on the matching process.

Once investigation of the ATF is complete, the final outcome may be one of the following statuses:

- Complete - Investigation Negative
- Complete – Investigation AAF
- Cancelled