Performance Enhancing Drug Use in Professional Sports

**Summary:**

There are many scenarios involving athletes being caught using performance enhancing drugs in competitive sports. These include:

* Ben Johnson - Canadian Sprinter
* Lance Armstrong - American Cyclist
* Floyd Landis - American Cyclist
* Shawn Merriman - National Football League
* Marion Jones - American Sprinter
* Alex Rodriguez, Roger Clemens, Barry Bonds - Major League Baseball
* Russia with a total of 41 athletes stripped of their Olympic medals for positive blood doping results.

**Project Timing:**

This project should take the average student 2-3 hours to complete.

**Materials:**

* Computer and internet access
* Power Point or a web based presentation.

**Criteria**

Chose a competitive athlete who has tested positive for performance enhancing drugs and create an electronic presentation that includes the following information:

* + Their history and accomplishments in the sport
  + The performance enhancing drug(s) they tested positive for
  + The health risks associated with the drug(s)
  + The consequence of testing positive to their athletic career

**Project Submission:**

Once you have completed your project, upload it to TEAMS.