

MISSION:

To provide year–round sports training and athletic competition in a variety of Olympic–type sports for children and adults with an intellectual disability, giving them continuing opportunities to develop physical fitness, demonstrate courage, experience joy and participate in the sharing of gifts, skills and friendship with their families, other Special Olympics athletes and the community.

HISTORY:

Founded in 2000

PARTICIPANTS (per the 2014 census):

Registered athletes: 144
Coaches: 18
Competitions: 21

INTERNATIONAL EVENTS:

- 2015 Special Olympics World Summer Games, Los Angeles, USA (18 athletes)
- 2011 Special Olympics World Summer Games, Athens, Greece (12 athletes)
- 2007 Special Olympics World Summer Games, Shanghai, China (10 athletes)

6 OFFICIAL SPORTS:

Aquatics	Athletics	Bocce
Football (Soccer)	Gymnastics (Artistic)	Table Tennis

OTHER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS:

Athlete Leadership

EXECUTIVE STAFF:

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