



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 and accredited in 2018.

PARTICIPANTS (per the 2018 census):

Registered athletes and Unified teammates:	41
Coaches:	45
Competitions:	2

SUPPORT:

N/A

INTERNATIONAL EVENTS:

- 2019 Special Olympics World Games, Abu Dhabi (4 athletes)

3 OFFICIAL SPORTS:

Athletics	Basketball	Football
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OTHER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS:

Athlete Leadership, Healthy Athletes, Family Health Forums and Young Athletes

OFFICIAL LANGUAGES:

Portuguese

EXECUTIVE STAFF:

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