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ANOC MEDICAL COMMISSION REPORT
to the
2014 ANOC GENERAL ASSEMBLY, BANGKOK, THAILAND

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The ANOC Medical Commission (ANOC MC) held its inaugural meeting in Kuwait on the 29th March 2014, a second meeting on the occasion of the Asian Games in Incheon, South Korea on September 22nd and its third review meeting in Bangkok prior to the General Assembly.

ANOC Medical Commission Terms of Reference
Updated in Bangkok, 2014

- 1 To act as an advisory body to ANOC and the NOCs and to complement the role of the IOC Medical Commission.
2. To work with NOCs in evaluating their sports science and medicine needs and make recommendations towards fulfilling these needs.
 - * To establish whether NOCs have a Medical Commission or not.
 - * If yes, who heads the committee and ask for contact details.
 - * If not – do they have an NOC medical advisor and request contact details
 - * If none – then a name of an NOC liason officerall correspondence to be copied President & Secretary of the NOC.

Encourage NOCs to form Medical Commissions

- * Situational analysis to determine the sports medicine capacity within the NOCs; about people, programmes (courses, clinics, research) and services (what you deliver).
- * Evaluate the needs and make recommendations to constitute capacity building (set up structures, facilities and infrastructure) and capability strengthening (gradual training courses to qualify persons who can deliver the programmes).

To work with Olympic Solidarity and NOCs in the delivery of sports science and sports medicine courses throughout the five continents.

To facilitate and mentor development of young clinicians in sports and exercise medicine.



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- 3 To explore avenues of collaboration with recognised sports medicine organisations such as the International Federation of Sports Medicine (FIMS) and its regional groups, as well as other like minded organisations.

To liaise with WADA and regional and national anti-doping organisations regarding anti-doping issues.
- 4 To organise medical and paramedical support for international sports competitions when invited, and to liaise with NOCs for the provision of a standardised level of sports science and medical support at national and international sports tournaments when invited.
- 5 To advise and assist members of ANOC with problems of a sports science and medicine nature in their country, and transmit the views of NOCs to the IOC Medical Commission and the IOC Medical Commission back to NOCs.
- 6 To promote a healthy lifestyle through involvement in sport and physical activities, taking experiences from elite sport and applying them in the wider community.

To liaise with relevant agencies, to reduce the impact of non-communicable diseases in the sporting and wider community throughout the world.
- 7 To utilise the expertise available within the various continents and to work synergistically to continue information exchange.

OUTCOMES TO DATE *with reference to TOR*

1. 4 members of the ANOC MC attended the IOC Medical Commission World Conference held in Monaco (April 10 – 12). Continental Medical Commission Chairpersons were invited to a preconference meeting with the IOC Medical Commission. TOR #5
- 2 The ANOC MC Chairman attended a meeting of the IOC Medical Commission in his role as the IOC MC Vice chairman on the 6th September in Lausanne, and communicated to members the Terms of reference of the newly formed ANOC MC. TOR # 1
- 3 The Olympic Council of Asia (OCA) and its Medical Committee invited members of the ANOC MC to attend the Asian Games in Incheon, Korea. 4 members of the ANOC MC attended daily meetings of the Organising Committee's Medical and Antidoping team for varying periods during their stay in Korea, whilst two members worked for the duration of the Games sharing their experiences with their local counterparts. 3 members of ANOC MC attended the meeting of the OCA Medical Commission held on the 26th September.
The OCA MC has offered to provide its documentation for the organization of Medical support for continental games as well as templates used in the collection of data during sporting events. ANOC MC will carry out surveys at continental events in 2015 and collate data collected over the year. A review will be carried out and the outcome will help prepare guidelines for members of ANOC. TOR # 4
- 3 The ANOC office circulated a questionnaire to NOCs to establish whether NOCs had a Medical Commission or Medical Advisor and Liason person within their organisations.
77 responses were received from NOCs as at the 31st October. TOR #2



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- 4 ANOC MC provided information to the ANOC Secretariat regarding concerns about the Ebola crisis for participants traveling to the ANOC General Assembly in line with the recommendations of WHO and the Thai Medical Authorities. TOR # 1
- 5 ANOC MC contacted the Olympic Solidarity office to get an update on the status of the utilization by NOCs of the World programmes offered for Sport Medicine courses TOR # 2
*Updated Information outlined in tables printed on page 4.
NOCs are urged to consult their Continent's MC Chairman for advice and assistance in preparing applications for Olympic Solidarity programmes. ANOC MC will be seeking resources to enable the Continental MC Chairman to continue to support NOCs as they have in the past.*
- 6 *WADA Antidoping Code 2015.* The ANOC MC were briefed by Mr Rob Koehler, WADA Director for Education & Development during our meeting in Incheon, regarding the process of compliance to the new code by NOCs. NOCs are urged to work with their RADOs where available, to assist NOCs and member NFs in adopting new rules as soon as possible. The Oceania RADO is extending this service to nonmembers of the RADO within Oceania. More information will be made available by WADA at the General Assembly TOR # 3.
- 7 ANOC MC is advising its members to look at the possibility of running parallel programmes for Team Physicians, Physiotherapists during Olympic Solidarity's Regional Olympic Forum for NOCs in 2015 whose theme is "Preparing an Olympic Team Rio 2016". TOR #2

The ANOC MC is planning to hold its next meeting at one of the Continental games scheduled in 2015

European Games, Baku, AZE	June 12 – 28, 2015
Pacific Games, Port Moresby, PNG	July 4 – 18, 2015
Pan American Games, Toronto, CAN	July 10 – 28, 2015
African Games, Congo Brazzaville	Sept 2015 (dates TBA)

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SUMMARY OF SPORTS MEDICINE COURSES (as at October 2014)

Initiatives and Courses

Continent	Initiatives	NOCs	Courses	NOCs	TOTAL
Africa	6	BOT, CMR (2), TUN (3)	4	ALG, TUN, UGA (2)	10
America	5	CUB (2), GUA, MEX, VEN	4	CHI, CUB, ESA, PER	9
Asia	6	CAM, IRI, MDV (2), TPE, YEM	5	HKG, INA (2), SRI, TJK	11
Europe	10	EST, FIN, GEO, IRL, ISL (3), MKD, MNE, NOR	6	GEO, GRE, LTU, LUX, MKD, NED	16
Oceania	1	COK	0	N/A	1
TOTAL	28		19		47

	Africa	America	Asia	Europe	Oceania	Total
Online Sports Medicine Diploma	4	5	3	3	0	15