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 1985

PARTICIPANTS (per the 2015 census):
Registered athletes and Unified partners: 1,494,783
Coaches: 75,517
Competition opportunities: 6,660

GOAL:
To reach 1,232,716 athletes by the end of 2016

INTERNATIONAL EVENTS:
• 2015 Special Olympics World Summer Games, Los Angeles, USA (91 athletes)
• Host of the 2007 Special Olympics World Summer Games, Shanghai, China

34 OFFICIAL SPORTS:

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OTHER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS:
Athlete Leadership, Family Support Network (FSN), Healthy Athletes, Motor Activities Training Program (MATP), Young Athletes, Youth Activation
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