

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.

PARTICIPANTS (per the 2015 census):

Registered athletes and Unified partners:	1,345
Coaches:	86
Competitions:	86

INTERNATIONAL EVENTS:

- 2015 Special Olympics World Summer Games, Los Angeles, USA (12 athletes)
- 2013 COPA DE ORO Unified Football Tournament, San Jose, Costa Rica
- 2012 Special Olympics Central American and Caribbean Summer Games in Panama
- 2011 Special Olympics World Summer Games in Athens, Greece

12 OFFICIAL SPORTS:

Aquatics	Athletics	Badminton	Bocce
Bowling	Cycling	Equestrian	Football (Soccer)
Golf	Open Water Swimming	Power Lifting	Triathlon

OTHER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS:

Athlete Leadership, Families

OFFICIAL LANGUAGES:

Spanish

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