

CERTIFICATE OF DIAGNOSIS

FOR BOCCIA CLASSIFICATION

The person named below is required to undergo Boccia Classification to compete at International level of their chosen sport. During the classification process the approved Classifier (physiotherapist or medical doctor) will assess their Physical Impairment as relevant to the requirements for playing Boccia. To assist the classification assessment process, a confirmation of the medical diagnosis is required.

Athlete's Details (To be completed by the Athlete applying for Classification – Please print)

First Name			Family Name				
Gender	<input type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Female	Date of Birth				
Address							
City		Zip/Postcode		Country			
Telephone No			E-mail				
I hereby consent that the information below being release to BISFed for the purpose of Boccia classification							
Signature				Date			

MEDICAL DETAILS (This section to be completed by a Doctor of Medicine only – please print clearly) Please attach a separate sheet of report if insufficient space

Name of Applicant	
Diagnosis	
Test results to support the above diagnosis e.g MRI, CT, Muscle Biopsy, nerve conduction	
Other relevant factors e.g. Epilepsy, Diabetes, and Heart Disease	
Prescribe Medication taken by the Athlete	

I _____ hereby certify that I have followed this patient for _____ years and that the above named patient has the diagnosis specified above.

Please print

Doctor's Name:	
Address:	
Signature:	
Date:	

N.B. Information disclosed on this form will be dealt with confidentially by BISFed and in accordance to the IPC Code of Ethics for Classification.

Guidelines for the medical practitioner completing this form:

Requirements

Relevant and appropriate medical documentation is essential to the process of Classification of Athletes for International Boccia Competitions sanctioned by BISFed.

This medical information should provide the results of medical tests and investigations which demonstrate that the Athlete has a diagnosis of a medical condition which leads to their presenting physical impairments.

It is not necessary to supply a report stating the symptoms such as weakness, pain, lack of sensation, inability to walk or perform certain actions. These limitations are assessed during the Classification process by Accredited BISFed Classifiers at sanctioned events.

For International Classification any documentation or information provided such as a report from the neurologist or test results should be presented in English,