

## ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY APPLICATION FORM (V8 – JAN 2019)

#### ATHLETE DETAILS - This page to be completed by the athletes representative

Attach	Athletes full Fa Name a	amily/Last is stated in passport:	
passport-size photo here	Athletes full I Name a	First/Given is stated in passport:	
	Nationalit	y/Country:	
	Da	te of Birth:	(dd/mm/yyyy)
	Ma	ale/Female:	

Athlete Address:			
Phone Number:	+ / Country code/number	Email Address:	

If the athlete is under 18 years of age, or without legal competency to sign:

Parent/Guardian Name:		Relationship:	
Parent/Guardian Address:			
Phone Number:	+ 61/ Country code/number	Email Address:	

Eligibility Group: (please check	1.	II1 (Intellectual Disability)	National <u>or</u> International
the eligibility criteria carefully)	2.	II2 (SignificantImpairment)	
	3.	II3 (Autism-only diagnosis)	
Sport(s) in which the	1		
athlete will compete:	2		
	3		

#### DECLARATIONS & PERMISSIONS - This page to be completed by the athletes representative

All athletes must sign or place their mark. If the athlete is under 18, or if the athlete is without legal competency to sign themselves, the second part should also be signed by the athletes parent or legal guardian. Virtus Member Organisations should attach any statement regarding privacy of information and/or other legal statements that may be required, giving regard to the Virtus Data and Information Handling policy.

ATHLETE DECLARATION (All athletes must complete, by ✓ each box and signing below)

By signing this declaration I am saying that:

a) I understand and comply with the eligibility criteria to compete as an athlete with intellectual impairment.	
b) I confirm that I shall comply with all Virtus policies and procedures including, but not limited to all of the provisions of the Anti-Doping Policy, all amendments to the Anti-Doping Rules and all International Standards as issued by the World Anti-	
Doping Agency and permanently published on its website. I acknowledge that Nation	nal
Federations, Virtus and National Anti-Doping Organisations have jurisdiction to impose sanctions as provided in the Anti-Doping Rules.	
c) I give Virtus permission to hold information electronically and to use	
information in accordance with the Privacy Policy. I agree that in order to maintain	
the principles of fair eligibility and classification, Virtus may retain relevant and	
essential information indefinitely.	
d) I understand and agree to uphold the principles of the Virtus Code of Ethics	
and the spirit of fair play.	
e) I agree to Virtus using photographs and images of me for the purposes of	
publicity in print, electronic and other media, and can withdraw this consent at any	
time by writing to the Secretariat. f) I agree that data I have provided can be used for research purposes, as set out	
under the Virtus research code, and this data will not identify me individually and	
be managed under the Virtus Privacy Policy.	
g) I give Virtus permission to use this information to decide whether I am a person	
with intellectual impairment for eligibility and sports classification and to share this	
information with relevant organisations including, but not limited to, the IPC and	
International Federations.	
h) I understand the risks associated with competition and that I am responsible	
for my actions at all times.	
<ul><li>i) As far as I know, all the information in my application is true and accurate.</li><li>j) I understand what the information in this form is being used for or have had</li></ul>	
this explained to me.	Ŀ

(Athletes Signature or identifying mark)

(Date)

PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN (if the athlete is Under 18, or without legal capacity to give consent)

By signing this declaration, I am saying that the athlete named above is under 18 years, or without legal capacity to sign on their own behalf. I understand the above declarations and have the legal right to sign on behalf of this person.

## ATLANTOAXIAL INSTABILITY (AAI) - This page to be completed by the athletes doctor/physician

IMPORTANT: THIS PAGE SHOULD BE COMPLETED FOR ALL ATHLETES WITH DOWN SYNDROME (II1 OR II2).

To be completed by a qualified medical practitioner. Please place a • in the appropriate box :

example	Yes 🗹	No 🗖
Does the athlete have a known diagnosis of symptomatic AAI?	Yes 🛛	No 🗆
Does the person show evidence of progressive Myopathy?	Yes 🛛	No 🗆
Does the person have poor head/neck muscular control?	Yes 🛛	No 🗆
Does the person's neck flexion allow the chin to rest on their chest?	Yes 🛛	No 🗆

An x-ray of the neck has been conducted	Yes 🛛	No 🗆
A copy of the x-ray report is attached?	Yes 🗖	No 🗆

STATEMENT: In my professional opinion I confirm the athlete is free from symptomatic AAI and is safe to participate in competitive sport. I confirm the athlete and their family/guardians have been made aware of the risk and that Virtus: World Intellectual Impairment Sport accepts no responsibility in the event of injury arising from AAI.

I confirm that I am a physician/doctor qualified in the assessment and diagnosis of AAI.

Practitioners Name	(Last Name or Family Name)	(First Name or Given Name)
Qualification/Profession		Official Stamp:
Address		
Phone Number	+ / Country code/number	
Email Address		
Signature		
Date		

#### NEO Endorsement - This page to be completed by the National Eligibility Officer

In my capacity as a professional with expertise in assessment/diagnosis of intellectual impairment, I certify that the above-named athlete is a person with intellectual impairment. My statement is based on assessment results that show the athlete has: (please  $\checkmark$  all that apply)

II1 - INTELLECTUAL DISABILITY				
Significant impairment in intellectual functioning (see guidelines for eligibility criteria)			Yes□	No 🗆
Significant limitations in adaptive behaviour as expressed in conceptual, social, and practical adaptive skills (see guidelines for eligibility criteria)			Yes□	No 🗆
Intellectual disability evident during the developmental period, which is from conception to 18 years of age			Yes□	No 🗆
Name of IQ Test Used:	Used: Full Scale IQ Score:			
Name/Method of Adaptive Behaviour assessment used: Adaptive Behaviour Score: (if available)				

II2 - SIGNIFICANT IMPAIRMENT	
Significant impairment (see guidelines for eligibility criteria)	Yes 🗆 No 🗆
Nature of additional impairment:	
Has a blood test or other formal medical assessment been made?	Yes 🗆 No 🗆

II3 – AUTISM-ONLY			
Athlete has a formal diagnosis of autism		Yes□	No□
Has a full-scale IQ score of 76 or above, or no diagnosis of intellectual disability		Yes □	No□
Name/Method of assessment used:			
Test Used:	Score:		

#### NATIONAL ELIGIBILITY OFFICER (NEO) ENDORSEMENT

Name	(Last Name or Family Name)	(First Name or Given Name)
Email Address		
Signature		
Date		

# ORGANISATIONAL ENDORSEMENT - This page to be completed by the National Member Organisation

I have read the preceding information. The information provided is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and I know of no reason why the athlete should not be considered for inclusion in the Master List.

Name of National Member Organisation

#### SPORT INCLUSION AUSTRALIA

President or Secretary		Seal
General		
	Chief Executive Officer	
Signature	Position	
Robyn J Smith		
Printed Name	Date	

#### ATTACHMENTS/CHECKLIST

Form and all attachments	Completed in English (unless specified otherwise)	
Evidence	• Evidence of intellectual impairment attached and signed	
TSAL	• TSAL has been completed at <u>www.virtus.sport</u> • (State date/time submitted)	
Additional	• 1 photo	
Attachments	<ul> <li>Copy of Passport of similar photo-identification</li> <li>Registration Fee \$150</li> </ul>	
Endorsements	National Eligibility Officer     National Member Organisation	

In order to avoid delays, please check carefully to ensure that all parts of the form have been completed, and all necessary evidence has been attached.

> Please send or email completed form to: Sport Inclusion Australia 4 Lowry Place BENALLA VIC 3672 Email: mail@siasport.org

### **CHECKLIST & CONTACT LIST**

Completed forms and attachments to be forwarded to Sport Inclusion Australia as indicated above. If there is some problem, please contact your State/Territory Member organisation listed below for further assistance.

Victorian Athletes:

C/- Sport Inclusion Australia

4 Lowry Place BENALLA VIC 3672 03 5762 7494

South Australian Athletes:

Inclusive Sport SA PO Box 63 TORRESVILLE SA 5031 08 8122 6730

Queensland Athletes:

Life Stream PO Box 34 STONES CORNER QLD 4120 07 3394 4399

Sports 4 All PO BOX 692 KINGS LANGLEY NSW 2147 0478 182 471

Total Recreation GPO Box 3217 DARWIN NT 0801 08 8981 3686

Northern Territory Athletes:

Tasmanian Athletes:

New South Wales Athletes:

New Horizons Tasmania PO Box 49 MOWBRAY TAS 7248 03 6326 3344

Australian Capital Territory Athletes:

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Western Australian Athletes:

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