

Option 1 - 2016 data accessible to WADA - Malta

2016 anti-doping policies shared with WADA - Questionnaire 0.1

Objective :

In order to facilitate the compliance with the terms of the Anti-Doping Convention and in accordance with Article 9, a questionnaire was prepared, requesting national reports from the Parties on the implementation of the Anti-Doping Convention.

Instruction :

Please follow instructions available in the Documentations menu(see above)

Questions :

1. Sharing with WADA

Do you agree that your replies will be shared with WADA?

Yes

No->go back to the main menu and choose the other version of the questionnaire

2. Number of Athletes

Please estimate the number of athletes in the following categories within your country:

international-level athletes (as defined by the World Anti-Doping Code)

Min numeric value allowed : 0

[0]

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national-level athletes (as defined by the World Anti-Doping Code)

Min numeric value allowed : 0

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Data not available

other athletes (including recreational athletes)

Min numeric value allowed : 0

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number of athletes in your national Registered Testing Pool (as defined by the World Anti-Doping Code)

Min numeric value allowed : 0

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number of athletes at the last Summer Olympic games

Min numeric value allowed : 0

[7]

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number of athletes at the last Winter Olympic games

Min numeric value allowed : 0

[1]

[] Data not available

number of athletes at the last Summer Paralympic games

Min numeric value allowed : 0

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[] Data not available

number of athletes at the last Winter Paralympic games

Min numeric value allowed : 0

[0]

[] Data not available

3. Doping definition 


What is the definition of "Doping in Sport" used in your country?

[] Council of Europe Anti-Doping Convention (ETS 135)

[] UNESCO International Convention against doping in sport

[X] World Anti-Doping Code

[] Other, please specify (e.g. national law) :

4. Doping List 


Which list of banned pharmacological classes of doping agents and doping methods (i.e. Prohibited List) is implemented in your country?

[X] Prohibited list, as adopted by the Executive Committee of WADA

[] List of banned pharmacological classes of doping agents and doping methods, as adopted by the Monitoring Group (TDO)

[] Prohibited list, as adopted by the Conference of Parties of the International Convention against Doping in Sport (UNESCO)

[] Other, please specify :

5. Additional doping lists 

For the purposes of restricting availability of doping substances are there other lists than those defined in question 4?

() Yes, please specify:

(X) No

6. Anti-doping laws 


Are there any anti-doping laws in your country?

[X] Anti-doping law

Other formal regulations, please specify:

No

Attachments

 Legal Notice 17 of 2015 of the Laws of Malta : <http://nadomalta.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/05/LN-17-of-2015-of-the-Laws-of-Malta.pdf>

7. National anti-doping organisation (NADO)

What is the legal status of your national anti-doping organisation? Please upload the statutes, if possible

- Public authority
- Non-governmental organisation
- Private company
- National Olympic Committee
- Other, please specify :

8. NADO activities

Which of the activities below are conducted by your national anti-doping organisation? Please upload the organisational chart, if possible

	Yes	No, please specify which organisation is in charge:
Co-ordination of action by public authorities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Coordination of the fight against trafficking	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Malta Police Force, Malta Customs
Testing (doping control)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Results management	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Disciplinary procedures	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Education and/or information	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Research	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

9. Sport Budget

What amount has been allocated to the sport budget from the state budget for the year 2016?

4310000] Euro

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10. Limiting public funding to organisations

Is public funding withheld from organisations that do not comply with anti-doping regulations and related legal instruments?

Yes, all funding is withheld; your comment (optional)

A limited amount of funding is withheld; your comment (optional) LN 17 of 2015 of the Laws of Malta Art. 13(1): The Council has the authority to withhold partially, or in whole, funding or other non-financial support to national associations and any other sporting bodies over which it has authority that do not endorse and comply with these regulations.

No financial implications; your comment (optional)

Information not available; your comment (optional)

11. Limitation of public funding of persons ●

Is sport-related financial assistance provided by public authorities withheld from banned athletes or athlete support personnel during the period of their suspension?

Yes, all funding is withheld; your comment (optional) State funded athletes charged with ADRVs will have their funding withheld and have to refund the amount already invested on them.

A limited amount of funding is withheld; your comment (optional)

No; your comment (optional)

Not applicable (no sport-related financial assistance is provided by public authorities to athletes or support personnel); your comment (optional)

Information not available; your comment (optional)

12. Quality certificate ●

Is your NADO or part of its procedures certified according to a quality standard (such as ISO, iNADO or any other quality assurance system)?

Yes, please specify which standard, its scope and validity:

In progress, please specify NADOMALTA is affiliated with iNADO and recognised as a fully compliant member with the WADA Code.

No

13. Testing statistics ●

How many samples were collected under your national testing program in the year 2016?

	Urine	Blood (including ABP)
In-competition testing <small>Min numeric value allowed : 0</small>	64	0
Out-of-competition testing <small>Min numeric value allowed : 0</small>	26	0

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14. Disciplinary system ●

What are the disciplinary bodies for doping offences, i.e. the main body imposing sanctions on athletes and other persons?

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State authority	No	No
NADO	Yes	Yes
NOC	No	No
National sport federations	Yes	Yes
international sport federations	No	No
Independent disciplinary body	No	No
Professional associations	No	No
Other, please specify	No	No

15. Appeals system

What is the body handling appeals against disciplinary measures?

- () State authority
- (X) National sports federations
- () International sports federations
- () Independent court of arbitration
- () Court of Arbitration in Sport (CAS)
- () Other, please specify : Nation Anti-Doping Appeals Panel within the NADO

16. Anti-doping rule violations (ADRV)

How many anti-doping rule violations cases were initiated during the reporting period and how many of these initiated cases resulted in the imposition of a sanction?

	Initiated cases	Cases that resulted in a sanction	Cases that resulted in no sanction
Presence of a prohibited substance or its Metabolites or markers in an athlete's sample Min numeric value allowed : 0	2	1	1
Use or attempted use by an athlete of a Prohibited substance or a prohibited method Min numeric value allowed : 0	0	0	0
Evading, Refusing or Failing to Submit to Sample Collection Min numeric value allowed : 0	1	1	0
Whereabouts Failures Min numeric value allowed : 0	5	0	0

Tampering or attempted tampering with any part of doping control Min numeric value allowed : 0	0	0	0
Possession of prohibited substances and prohibited methods Min numeric value allowed : 0	0	0	0
Trafficking or attempted trafficking in any prohibited substance or prohibited method Min numeric value allowed : 0	0	0	0
Administration or attempted administration to any athlete of any Prohibited method or prohibited substance Min numeric value allowed : 0	0	0	0
Complicity Min numeric value allowed : 0	0	0	0
Prohibited Association Min numeric value allowed : 0	0	0	0

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17. Whereabouts failures

How many of the following whereabouts failures have you registered?

- One missed test or filing failure
- Any combination of two missed tests and/or filing failures
- Data not available

18. Sanctions for doping trafficking

Are there specific penalties or sanctions for illegal circulation of doping substances, in addition to those regulating the movement of medicines and narcotics?

- Criminal penalties, please specify The new sports law provides for sanctions on persons who are caught trafficking doping agents within 100m of a training facility
- Financial penalties, please specify
- Administrative or civil sanctions, please specify
- Professional disciplinary actions, please specify
- None of above, please explain
- Not available

19. Co-operation with law enforcement agencies

What measures have been taken to improve co-operation with law enforcement agencies in limiting illegal availability of doping substances?

- Law, please specify
- Agreement, please specify

- Ad hoc activities, please specify
 - Other, please specify
 - None
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20. Statistics on doping trafficking

Do law enforcement agencies share data on the seizure of doping substances with the national anti-doping organisation:

- Yes, please specify how many seizures have been reported:
 - No
 - Other, please specify :
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21. Nutritional supplements

What measures have been taken to address the problems related to nutritional supplements in sport?

- Restrict availability
 - Control of production
 - Provide quality assurance
 - Comprehensive labelling
 - Limit advertising and promotion
 - Educational and informational measures
 - Other, please specify:
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22. Anti-doping research

Has any anti-doping research been undertaken or supported?

- Yes
 - Yes, to a limited extent
 - No
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23. Areas of anti-doping research

What are the areas of anti-doping research?

- Doping prevention
 - Detection methods
 - Behavioural and social aspects of doping
 - Health consequences of doping
 - Physiological and psychological training programmes
 - Emerging substances or methods
 - Alternative testing methods
 - None
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24. Publication of anti-doping research



How many articles with the results of this research have been published in peer-reviewed scientific journals?

[] in 2016

[X] Data not available

25. International agreements



Has your country signed any agreements with other Anti-Doping Organizations (ADOs) or agreements on anti-doping with any other organisation or State concerning the following:

	Yes or No; if applicable please explain or upload the document (below)
(a) Sharing of information	
(b) Law enforcement cooperation	
(c) Athlete Biological Passport sharing or coordination	
(d) General cooperation	

[X] Data not available