



Special Olympics
Connecticut

MEETING OUR MISSION

It is our goal to provide quality, year-round sports training and athletic competition to thousands of athletes with intellectual disabilities. While the core of SOCT's programming remains our year-round sports training and competition we have grown to so much more.



REAL SPORTS

Deliver year round, high quality training and competition in an inclusive culture that stresses **athletic excellence**, rewards **determination**, emphasizes **health**, and celebrates **personal achievement**



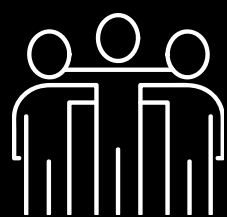
SUSTAINING ATHLETE HEALTH

Promote the **overall well-being** of people with ID via programs that ensure ongoing access to quality, community-based healthcare services, highlighted by **free health screenings** at Special Olympics competitions, games, and other venues.



TRANSFORMATIVE EDUCATION

Equip young people and adult influencers, including educators, with effective tools and training to create sports, classroom, and community actions that **produce friendships and acceptance**, driving positive attitudes and behavioral change



BUILDING COMMUNITY

We provide services and act as a convening power of disparate but vested stakeholders to **drive positive attitudinal and behavioral change** toward people with ID in communities worldwide, strengthening the very fabric of society along the way.

