

SECTION 15 – SPORT CLASSIFICATIONS

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12.1.1 Female Athletes: Will drop one level for play.

12.1.2 Classification MINIMUM

- 12.1.2.1 PTSD with minimal or no physical impairments.
- 12.1.2.2 Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) with minimal or no physical or cognitive impairments. (unable to follow four or more step commands)
- 12.1.2.3 No impairment in trunk control or mobility
- 12.1.2.4 Cognitive impairments may include but not limited to; memory loss, decreased organizational skills
- 12.1.2.5 Minimal (fair or below sitting balance) physical impairments may be evident caused by brain injury.

12.1.3 Classification MODERATE

- 12.1.3.1 Moderate to severe cognitive ability (moderate level: unable to follow three or more step commands).
- 12.1.3.2 Normal to decreased trunk movements in forward, sideways, and vertical planes as evidenced by a functionality test.
- 12.1.3.3 Lower limb amputations meeting the following criteria:
 - (a) Single below the knee amputation (BKA)
 - (b) Single below the knee amputation (AKA)
 - (c) Bilateral BKA with or without knee sockets
 - (d) Single BKA with knee socket with opposing limb AKA
 - (e) Single hip disarticulation
 - (f) Bilateral AKA with greater than 2/3 in both residual limbs

12.1.4 Classification MAXIMUM

- 12.1.4.1 Complete to no controlled trunk movements in the forward and vertical planes evidenced by a functionality test.
- 12.1.4.2 Severe cognitive impairment with physical manifestations. i.e. Ataxic, dyskinesia movements (can only follow one-step command).
- 12.1.4.3 May present with decreased or no trunk control in the sideways plane evidenced by a functional test.

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- 12.1.4.4 Players rely on their arms to return to the upright position when unbalanced
- 12.1.4.5 Active rotation in both upper and lower trunk
- 12.1.4.6 Active upper rotation but no lower trunk function
- 12.1.4.7 Upper limb amputations or dysfunction meeting the following criteria:
 - (a) Below and bilateral below the elbow amputation
 - (b) Below and bilateral below the elbow dysfunction in the elbow and/or wrist joints
 - (c) Above and bilateral above the elbow amputation
 - (d) Above and bilateral above the elbow dysfunction in the elbow and/or wrist joints
- 12.1.4.8 Lower limb amputations meeting the following criteria:
 - (a) Single hemipelvectomy.
 - (b) Single AKA with greater than 2/3 residual limb and single AKA with less than 2/3 residual limb.
 - (c) Hemipelvectomy with single BKA without knee socket.
 - (d) Single hemipelvectomy and single BKA with knee socket.
 - (e) Bilateral hip disarticulation