



1st June 23 - 25, 2005
WORLD CONGRESS
on Sports Injury Prevention
Holmenkollen Park Hotel, Oslo, Norway



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First Announcement



Congress Objectives

The congress will provide the world's leading sports medicine experts with an opportunity to present their work to an international audience made up of physicians, therapists, scientists and coaches. The congress will present scientific information on sports injury epidemiology, risk factors, injury mechanisms and injury prevention methods with a multidisciplinary perspective. Panel discussions will conclude symposia in key areas providing recommendations to address the prevention issues in relation to particular injuries and sports.

Program

The three-day program will include:

- Keynote lectures on issues related to injury prevention in sport by leading clinicians and researchers
- Symposia with invited speakers and oral presentations on injury-specific prevention approaches:
 - Risk factors
 - Injury mechanisms
 - Prevention methods
 - Specific injury types that will be addressed include: Ankle sprains, Knee ligament injuries (including ACL injuries), Head & neck injuries, Hamstring strains, Groin injuries and other injury types.
- Instructional courses on the methodology of injury prevention research: Study design, injury registration methods, conducting intervention trials, statistical methods, etc.
- Symposia with invited speakers and oral presentations on sport-specific injury prevention methods:
 - Injury patterns
 - Injury mechanisms
 - Prevention methods
 - Specific sports that will be covered include: Soccer, Team handball, Basketball, Ice hockey, Raquet sports, Alpine skiing & snowboarding, Volleyball, and other sports.
- Free communications
- Posters





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