

International Sport Events September – December 2025

If you have worked an event with FICS in the last two (2) years and we have all your current documentation, email games@fics.sport with the date and name of the event.

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2025 September – December



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Are you registered on FICS
Global Provider Pool?



4 - 7 September	TWIF European Championships, Nottingham, England
10-20 September	IFMA Youth World Championships, Abu Dhabi, UAE
12-14 September	JJIF Pan-American Championships, Panama
12-21 September	WAKO European Youth Kickboxing Championships, Jesolo, Italy
2-5 October	JJIF European Championships, Belgium
8-19 October	ISSF World Championships Shotgun, Athens, Greece
12-19 October	IPF World Classic & Equipped Masters Powerlifting, Cape Town, South Africa
1-15 November	JJIF World Championships, Bangkok, Thailand (Local University Collaboration)
10-16 November	IPF World Open Equipped Powerlifting Championships, Cluj Napoca, Romania
19-27 November	IFMA European Championships, Athens Greece
23-30 November	WAKO World Seniors and Masters Championships Abu Dhabi, UAE
24-30 November	ITTF Table Tennis Olympic Sport World Youth Championships, Cluj-Napoca, Romania
1-6 December	WFDF Pan-American Championships, Punta Cana, Dominican Republic
6 - 9 December	IFF Women's Floorball Championships, Brno, Czechia
10 - 14 December	IFF Women's Floorball Championships FINALS, Ostrava
14-20 December	JJIF African Championships, Hammamet, Tunisia

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FICS - CREATING CONNECTIONS TO A GLOBAL NETWORKS OF EXPERIENCES AND FRIENDSHIPS



Games Calendar 2025 September - December update

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VOLUNTEERISM

Volunteerism: will it remain the Cornerstone of a growing, dynamic organisation etched from humble and noble values?

It could be argued that the definition of Volunteerism is simple “the principle of donating time and energy for the benefit of other people in the community as a social responsibility rather than for any financial reward.” Simply put: a FICS member!

As we step into 2025, we are privileged and honored to be part of a truly unique global organization like FICS. In our profession, we enjoy the distinct advantage of being our own CEOs—our own bosses. Each day, we make meaningful decisions that profoundly impact the lives of our patients and athletes. But what motivates a group of highly effective, successful professionals, united by a shared passion for philanthropy, to come together and freely give their time and expertise? It's the mission of advancing Sports Chiropractic worldwide, helping athletes not only achieve their best performances but unlock their full potential.

FICS GLOBAL CHIROPRACTIC POOL

Empowering Global Sport Chiropractic Care at International Sporting Events

The FICS Global Chiropractic Provider Pool (GCPP) brings together a global network of highly qualified sports chiropractors dedicated to providing world-class care at international sporting events. Our mission is to ensure that every athlete, regardless of nationality, background, or level of competition, has access to expert chiropractic care that enhances performance, prevents injury, and promotes recovery.

The GCPP is central to this mission.

It serves as a dynamic roster of FICS-credentialed doctors who volunteer their expertise at events including World Championships, Regional Games, and other International Competitions.

Volunteering through the GCPP isn't just about giving, it's about belonging to a global movement that has the power to elevate your networks and career through professional standards in sports chiropractic. Opportunity to care for athletes at the pinnacle of their sports across multiple sports. Gain unparalleled experience working in multidisciplinary teams under high-pressure, elite conditions.



FICS Global Chiropractic Provider Pool (GCPP)

Why Volunteer with FICS?

Visit FICS website for more details

Submit 2025 Event Interest Form

Selection Process - How it works

Be part of a global community of like-minded professionals committed to service, excellence, and advancing the profession worldwide.

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[ITTF 2025 EVENTS WEBSITE](#)



23-30 November

ITTF Table Tennis Olympic Sport

ITTF World Youth Championships

Cluj-Napoca, Romania



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July 2025 saw the signing of a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with FICS.
ITTF and FICS Sign Landmark Agreement to Enhance Player Care at Events

The International Table Tennis Federation (ITTF) is proud to announce a new MoU with the International Federation of Sports Chiropractic (FICS), marking a significant step forward in player care and performance support at ITTF events worldwide.

This partnership will see FICS provide volunteer sports chiropractic services at ITTF competitions, beginning with the World Youth Championships 2025. The collaboration aims to offer equitable access to specialised care for players, ensuring they can perform at their best through professional support.

The initiative was sparked earlier this year when ITTF President Petra Sörling was invited to speak at the 2025 FICS Global Symposium in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia. Her participation laid the groundwork for this promising partnership.

"This agreement reflects our dedication to enhancing players' support and welfare across all levels of our sport," said President Sörling. "By integrating FICS's expertise into our events of all tiers, we are taking a proactive step towards ensuring the well-being and peak performance of our players."

Under the MoU, FICS will deploy certified volunteer chiropractors to ITTF events, offering services to all accredited participants. In return, ITTF will facilitate FICS's integration into event operations and promote their involvement within the broader sports community.



PRESIDENT PETRA SORLING

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8 - 19 October

ISSF World Championships Shotgun
Athens, Greece

Opportunity to attend for either half

July 2025 saw the signing of an MoU with FICS.

We are proud to announce a new partnership with the International Shooting Sport Federation following the signing of a Memorandum of Understanding with FICS.

We Are Proud to Serve – United for Every Athlete

At FICS, we believe every athlete deserves access to quality sports chiropractic care.

That's why we're proud to support and serve in partnership with this exciting initiative.

This is an ideal partnership for FICS, and we are honoured to contribute our expertise in support of athletes around the world.

Together, we are united for every athlete.

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This agreement means all major ISSF competitions will have a team of chiropractors certified by FICS. We will provide these services to athletes for free, allowing those from developing shooting sport nations the same access to healthcare.

FICS President, Dr Martin Isaksson, said: *This collaboration with the ISSF is more than just a partnership; it's a reflection of the Olympic spirit in action. Together, we are championing athlete health, well-being, and equity on the world stage.*

By ensuring that all athletes, regardless of their nation's resources, have access to expert sport chiropractic care, we're helping create a more inclusive and supportive environment where every competitor can thrive.

FICS is proud to stand with the ISSF in advancing these values at the heart of international sport.



**ISSF AND FICS SIGN MOU TO PROVIDE
FREE CHIROPRACTIC SERVICES TO
SHOOTING SPORT ATHLETES**

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[WFDF 2025 EVENTS WEBSITE](#)



1 - 6 December

WFDF Pan-American Championships

Punta Cana, Dominican Republic

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August 2025 saw the signing of a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with FICS.
WFDF and FICS Sign Landmark Agreement advancing the health and wellbeing of athletes!

FICS President Dr Martin Isaksson and Secretary-General Dr Brian Nook met with Mr Robert Rauch, President of WFDF, at The World Games 2025 to formalise this collaboration through the signing of a Memorandum of Understanding.

Under this agreement, all major international WFDF competitions will now include a team of sports chiropractors certified by FICS. These practitioners will provide care for all athletes, ensuring that participants from all nations have equitable access to healthcare services.

FICS remains committed to delivering expert sport chiropractic care to athletes regardless of background or nationality, fostering inclusivity and fairness in the sporting environment. Our objective is to support every athlete's pursuit of excellence allowing them to achieve their optimal performance naturally.

This collaboration also extends support to coaches, officials, and volunteers, recognising the essential role that each individual plays in the success of these events.

Commenting on the partnership, FICS President Dr Martin Isaksson stated,

"This collaboration with WFDF is more than just a partnership; it exemplifies the Olympic spirit in practice. Together, we are advancing the health, well-being, and equity of athletes on the global stage."

FICS is honoured to work alongside WFDF in upholding these core values, which are central to international sport.



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WAKO 2025 EVENTS WEBSITE



12-21 September

European Youth Kickboxing Championships

Jesolo, Italy



25-30 November

Seniors and Masters World Championships

Athens, Greece



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My experience working at the WAKO event

Written by Dr Renita Rasmann

We worked 10 hours a day, back-to-back, and on the busiest day, we provided 94 treatments. Over 5.5 days, we reached a total of 433 treatments. Despite the heavy workload, we maintained smiles on our faces, and the athletes were extremely appreciative, returning later with their medals to show their gratitude.

My colleague, Muhammed, is a fantastic chiropractor with extensive knowledge, empathy, and skills. We made an excellent team, supporting each other whenever needed. He remained calm and handled challenging situations with professionalism. For this review, he noted that working at a youth event provided him with a valuable new experience in treating paediatric and teen populations, as his practice primarily focuses on adult patients.

The WAKO and the organising team were incredibly friendly, welcoming, and helpful. They were always available and expressed gratitude for our hard work. They were amazed at how many athletes we treated and frequently checked in to ask if we needed anything or were too tired.



[TWIF 2025 EVENTS WEBSITE](#)



03 - 07 September
European Championships
Nottingham, England



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*Written by Dr Rob Scott - Tug of War
Chef de Mission*

As I will be retired before the next Tug of War event, this was my last event with TWIF, and it was both emotional and exciting. Supported by two old friends, Elena Guisasola and Freya Moran, and joined by Lotta Koch, I knew we would have fun while working hard!

We treated 144 people, with 40 returning for follow-up treatments. At the end of the event, TWIF honored me with a retirement gift and thanked me for all the work—and the “pain” I had put them through! I’ve made some great friends and long-lasting connections, and I hope to stay in touch with many of them in the coming years.

I’ve learned a great deal through Tug of War—about the sport, the people, teamwork, and how to be an effective Chef De Mission. I want to thank everyone at both FICS and TWIF who made this experience possible. I’ve done my best to pass on this knowledge, and I hope TWIF events continue to run smoothly.



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[IPF 2025 EVENTS WEBSITE](#)



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29 August - 7 September
World Classic & Equipped
Sub-Junior & Junior
Powerlifting Championships
San Jose, Costa Rica

12-19 October
World Classic & Equipped
Masters Powerlifting
Championships
Cape Town, South Africa

10-16 November
World Open Equipped
Powerlifting Championships
Cluj Napoca, Romania



Written by Dr. Mark Strudwick

The 2024 World Bench Press Championships in Austin, Texas, are in the books. Over 800 athletes from 41 countries participated in the event. The organizers did an excellent job, as it all seemed to run pretty seamlessly. As volunteers, we were all well taken care of.

It is actually a credit to what FICS doctors have done at these events that it is being emulated. Gaston Parage, the IPF President, said as much when he reiterated this in conversation with Dr. Ray and myself, how they appreciate FICS being there.

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IFMA 2025 EVENTS WEBSITE



10-20 September
Youth World Championships
Abu Dhabi, UAE



20- 25 November
European Championships
Athens Greece



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About the Sport

Muaythai has been part of Thai heritage for centuries and was the primary method of self-defense for Thai warriors in historic battles. A warfare manual, Chupasart, emphasized the martial use of each body part, teaching that true fighting requires total commitment of mind, body, and soul.

Pictured right is the FICS team at the 2024 event in Bangkok:



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JJIF 2025 EVENTS WEBSITE



12–14 September
Pan-American Championships
Panama

2–5 October
European Championships
Belgium



1–15 November
World Championships
Bangkok, Thailand
Opportunity to attend either half

17–20 December
African Championships
Hammamet, Tunisia



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Our First Week at the World Jiu-Jitsu Championship in Heraklion, Greece

Written by Dr Audrey Yargui - JJIF Chef de Mission

The first week of the World Jiu-Jitsu Championship in Heraklion, Greece, has been exceptional! Over 1,300 athletes from 68 countries will compete over these two weeks, all striving for the top spot. We have done everything possible to support our athletes in their quest for medals. In total, more than 270 chiropractic treatments were provided during this intensive first week.

Thank you to the JJIF team for making the FICS sports chiropractor so welcome as they provide care to the athletes to help them achieve their optimal performance naturally.



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[IFF 2025 EVENTS WEBSITE](#)



6 - 9 December
IFF Women's Floorball Championships
Brno, Czechia

10 - 14 December
IFF Women's Floorball Championships FINALS
Ostrava, Czechia

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About the Sport

Floorball is a versatile indoor team sport played on a 40 x 20 m surface in a rink. Each team has five field players and a goalkeeper on the field at the same time. Floorball is played with plastic sticks and a very light ball and with a goalkeeper without a stick. The main objective in floorball is to score more goals than the opponent. The official playing time is 3 x 20 minutes effective time.

SOME UNIQUE CHARACTERISTICS OF FLOORBALL:

- Strength, speed & skill all in one package – without any acceptance for violence
- Easy to learn, yet eye-catching to watch due to a combination of tremendous tempo, quality teamwork and unbelievable individual efforts
- A popular sport amongst the youth
- Exceptionally equal with a very strong participation of women and girls

