

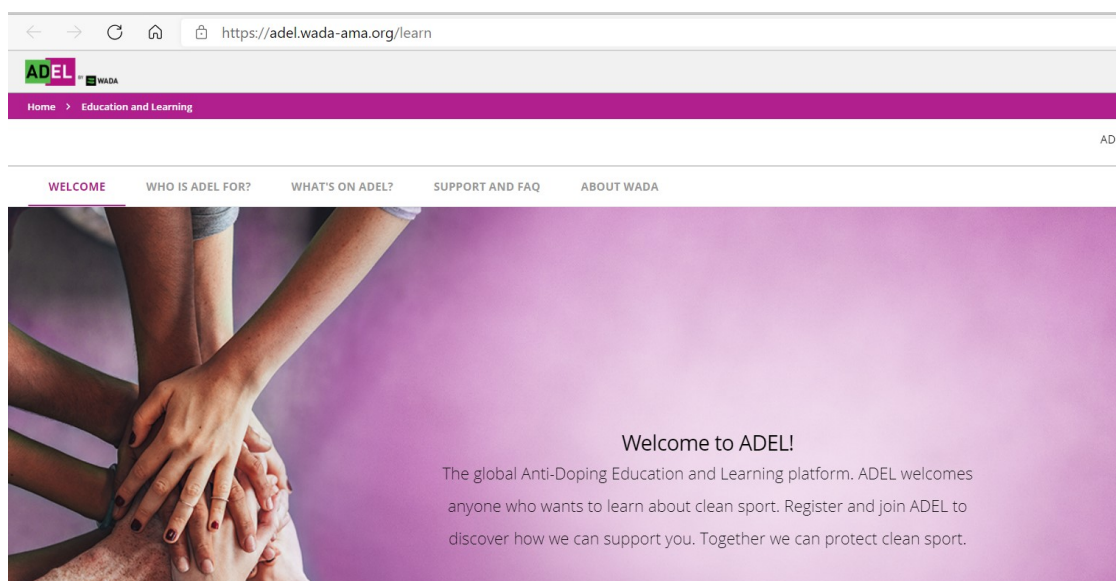
## *BISFed Anti-Doping Education Programme*

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### **BISFed Anti-Doping Education Programme**

BISFed, as the International Governing Body for boccia and its members and athletes, has a responsibility for ensuring that boccia remains a clean sport. In the interest of safeguarding the health of Boccia athletes, fair play and the reputation of our sport, it will be mandatory for all athletes and BC3 Sport Assistants who wish to compete in World Boccia or IPC sanctioned events to undertake an Anti-Doping Education Programme. This communication explains the background and what you need to do next.

### **Anti-Doping Education and Learning platform (ADEL)**



BISFed has chosen *WADAs Anti-Doping Education and Learning platform (ADEL)* as the best tool for this purpose. WADA has launched a new Platform in 2021 and has renamed the Athlete course to ***ADEL for International-Level athletes***.

This on-line course gives information about the dangers of doping and the importance of anti-doping controls and promotes positive attitudes to avoiding doping. The tool shifts the focus from what athletes are not allowed to do, to offering solutions for clean progression in sport.

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The course is offered in several languages and covers:

- The Doping Control Process
- Whereabouts requirements (this will only be applicable to a small number of Boccia athlete's, but everyone must be aware of the process)
- Therapeutic Use Exemptions (TUE)
- The Results Management process

### **Procedures**

BISFed requires every athlete and BC3 Sport Assistant to complete and pass WADA's Athlete course. Athletes and BC3 Sport Assistant's will not be permitted to compete if they do not have a valid Anti-doping Training license.

**NEW:** BISFed members are required to upload the Certificate issued by the ADEL Platform into the athlete's profile of the BISFed Platform under Anti-Doping Training. BISFed will then validate the certificate.

The certificate will be valid for two seasons, meaning that the course will need to be retaken every two years.

BISFed is aware that in some cases athletes will need help to complete the course. Should this be the case or not, registration in the ADEL Platform must be in the athlete's name.

### **The ADEL Platform is ready for you to use now!**

You can access ADEL here: <https://adel.wada-ama.org/learn>

- Those already registered in the previous Platform will be able to use the same login details in the new Platform.
- BC3 Sport Assistants must register as an athlete in the ADEL Platform.
- The sport of Boccia must be selected.

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### **Other courses**

Whilst not mandatory, BISFed encourages everyone involved in the day to day of our athletes to take courses in ADEL. The Anti-Doping e-Learning platform offers access to all topics related to clean sport and anti-doping. It offers courses for athletes, coaches, doctors, parents and anyone interested in learning more about anti-doping and protecting the values of clean sport.

Should you have any questions or issues with the ADEL Platform, please contact BISFed on [admin@bisfed.com](mailto:admin@bisfed.com) and we will do the utmost to help you.