

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS: FISU 2019 WINTER UNIVERSIADE TEAM CANADA MEDICAL TEAM SELECTION



U SPORTS, as the franchise holder of the Fédération Internationale du Sport Universitaire (FISU) in Canada, is responsible for the coordination and entry of the Canadian team in the Universiade. Every two years, Canadian delegations are sent to Summer and Winter Universiades supported by a Canadian Mission Team composed of university sport leaders from across the country.

2019 WINTER UNIVERSIADE

The 2019 Winter Universiade will be held in Krasnoyarsk, Russia. The 11 day multi winter sport event is scheduled to take place from Saturday March 2 – Tuesday March 12, 2019.

The Universiade takes place every two years in various cities around the world. It is one of the largest winter multisport events worldwide, second only in size to the Olympic Games. The 29th Universiade will feature the following 12 sports:

- Alpine Skiing, Biathlon, Cross-Country Skiing, Curling, Figure Skating, Ice Hockey, Short Track Speed Skating, Snowboard, Bandy, Freestyle Skiing, Ski-Orienteering

CANADIAN DELEGATION

The Canadian delegation is anticipated to be composed of approximately 120 members (90 athletes and 30 support staff). Athletes must meet specific eligibility criteria to participate and coaching staff must satisfy the Team Canada Universiade Coaching Certification Policy.

TEAM CANADA MEDICAL TEAM REQUIREMENTS

USPORT is currently seeking:

- Chief Medical Officer (1)
- Chief Therapist (1) *
- Physician (1)
- Therapists (2) *

** may include both physiotherapists and athletic therapists, with priority given to those who can also provide massage therapy.*

FUNDING

The positions are voluntary; there is no salary or honorarium. Expenses for participation as a member of the Mission will be covered by U SPORTS. Administrative support for the entire Mission is provided by U SPORTS International Programs.



APPLICATION PROCESS



Applicants must apply to through CASEM using the [Games Application Form](#). Deadline for applications is midnight (EST) **July 15, 2018**. E-mail your completed application form to Dawn Haworth – dhaworth@casem-acmse.org

Expected timeline for ratification by the U SPORTS

Chief Medical Officer, Chief Therapist:	Mid-August 2018
Medical Support Team:	September 2018

The Chief Medical Officer and the Chief Therapist will be involved in the selection of the medical support team.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Preference for selection will be given to personnel associated with U SPORTS member institutions. Gender equity, bilingual language requirements, and team environment compatibility will be considered. Although previous Universiade experience is an asset, medical staff selection will take a balanced approach in the view to develop games volunteers. Multiple games experiences will not guarantee selection. All candidates may be subject to a screening process, including a police records check, criminal records check and driving offence check, prior to the confirmation of their selection.

