



The aim of the survey was to understand the **impact of the COVID-19 pandemic** on the operations of the 50 European National Olympic Committees (ENOCs).



The questionnaire
was completed by

45/50 ENOCs

The answers were
collected between

6 TO 14
APRIL 2020



THE SURVEY
CONSISTED OF

20

QUESTIONS

Divided into
4 sections

1.
NOC
MANAGEMENT

2.
ATHLETES

3.
EVENTS

4.
SUPPORT



THE REPORT

In the next slides, the aggregated results from the 4 analysed sections are displayed and explained.





IMPACT OF SECURITY MEASURES

The initial part of the analysis was to assess the impact of **security measures** adopted by governments on the activities of each ENOC.

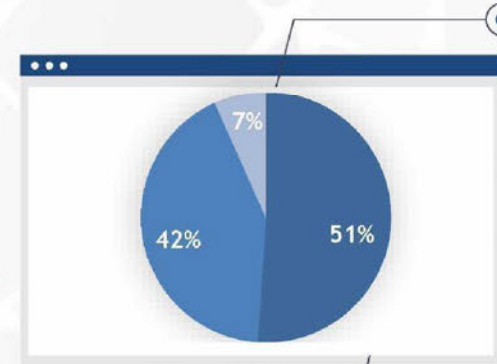
51% of the ENOCs have had **their operations impacted, but are able to continue as expected.**

42% of the ENOCs have suffered a **significant impact to their daily normal operations.**

Only **3 ENOCs** out of 45 have seen little of no impact due to restrictions.



1.
NOC
MANAGEMENT



EUROPEAN
OLYMPIC
COMMITTEES

CONSEQUENCES ON WORK



The survey also highlighted the consequences that the COVID-19 pandemic is having on how ENOCs are working.

93.3%

of the ENOCs had to significantly review their workplace practices as a result of the recommended health precautions to reduce the spread of COVID-19.

71% of the ENOCs reported that all staff are working from home

22.2% of the ENOCs reported that staff are working remotely on a shift basis



CONSEQUENCES ON WORK



This emergency has affected staff across all areas of ENOCs. Each ENOC is **managing the situation in different ways**, according to its needs and possibilities.

Some of the actions being implemented by the ENOCs are mentioned below:

“We are considering the option of temporary lay offs”

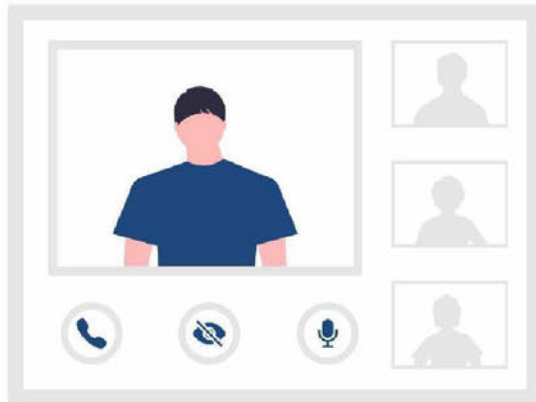
“We reduced staff, but everyone was teleworking from home”

“If necessary, staff members can come to NOC office, but mainly they work remotely.”

“Currently forced lay-off in process”



CONSEQUENCES ON WORK



The adaptations to the working practices have seen an increase in the **use of new tools**, in addition to the common ones (phone, email, Whatsapp etc.), to facilitate communication with National Sports Federations and athletes:

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**Video conference app (64.4%),
Webinars (24.4%),
NOC Intranet (24.4%)**



FUTURE WORKING SOLUTIONS



While this crisis has meant a change to working practices of ENOCs staff, **most NOCs have yet to decide on long term changes to remote / flexible working solutions.**



NEXT STEPS FOR TOKYO 2020 HOSTED IN 2021



In this uncertain environment, all ENOCs are considering the next steps in the build up to the Tokyo Olympic Games.

The majority of the ENOCs are waiting to receive more information regarding qualification systems before defining the best strategy to apply.

The remaining ENOCs are focusing their strategy on:

1. BUDGET REBALANCE
2. COMMUNICATION WITH ALL STAKEHOLDERS
(OGOC, IOC, Federations)
3. NEGOTIATIONS WITH SPONSORS, SUPPLIERS AND AIRLINES
4. PROVIDING THE ATHLETES WITH THE NEEDED SUPPORT



STRATEGY FOR THE FUTURE

33.30%

of the ENOCs are already thinking about **strategies to support National Federations** in dealing with the consequences of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Such as

- REVISE FUNDING
- COMMUNICATE WITH LOCAL AUTHORITIES
- PROVIDE FINANCIAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT
- ALLOW BEST TRAINING CONDITIONS FOR ATHLETES
- PROVIDE ATHLETES WITH NEEDED SUPPORT





USE OF TRAINING FACILITIES

2.
ATHLETES

28.80%

of the ENOCs reported that their elite athletes are still **able to use the national training facilities under certain circumstances**, such as:

- **Special permission** from government/ facility owner
- Respecting some **specific safety measures** (e.g. athletes who train don't go back to their own homes, a limit of 5 athletes training at any one time...)

The remaining ENOCs (66.7%) reported that their athletes are unable to use training facilities.



**The results do not take into account measures that were implemented after 14 April.*



MENTAL CARE

2.
ATHLETS

In addition to the financial impact, there are undoubtedly **emotional and psychological implications** that may affect **individual athletes**, which more than half of the ENOCs have taken into consideration in dealing with this pandemic.

53%

of the ENOCs stated they are **providing their elite athletes with access to mental health services and/or access to psychologists** directly through the NOC services and/or recommending them to other national specialised services.



40%

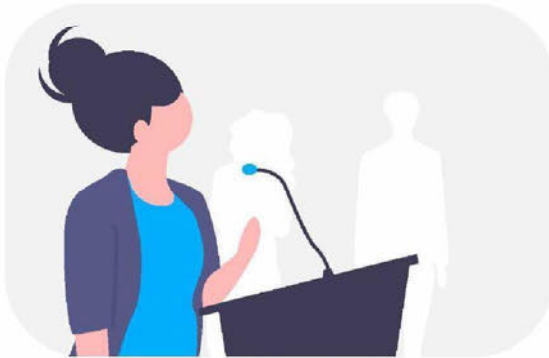
of the ENOCs stated the **National Federations are managing these services.**





EVENTS ORGANISED FROM FEBRUARY TO JUNE 2020

3.
EVENTS



For the **95.6%** of the ENOCs, the decision to suspend sports events and/or access to facilities was made solely by the **national and local authorities**

71.1% of the ENOCs stated that an estimate of the related **financial losses** is not clear yet

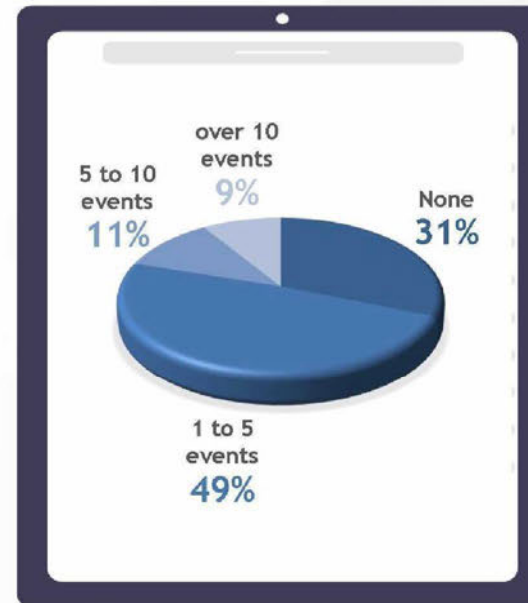


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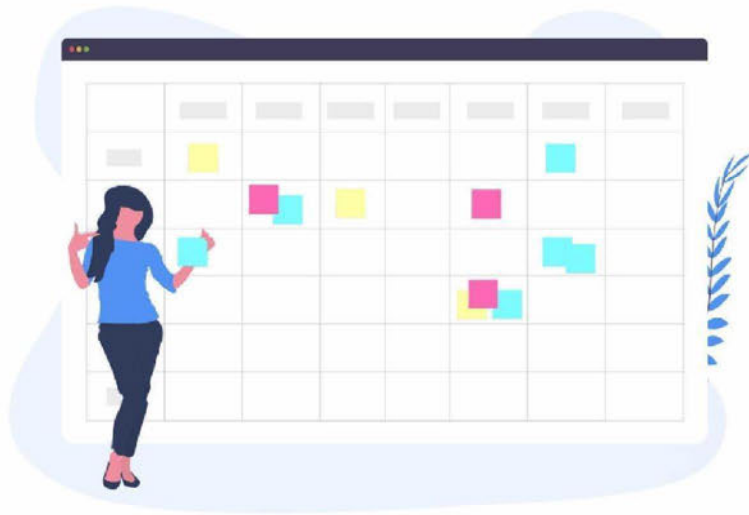
3.
EVENTS

Almost half (**49%**) of the ENOCs were planning to organise from 1 to 5 events in the period of February-June 2020, including European and World cups or the Olympic qualifiers.

However the majority of the NOCs who had scheduled between **1 and 5** and **more than 10** events decided to **postpone** them rather than **cancel** them.



FUTURE EVENTS



2020 - 2021 - 2022

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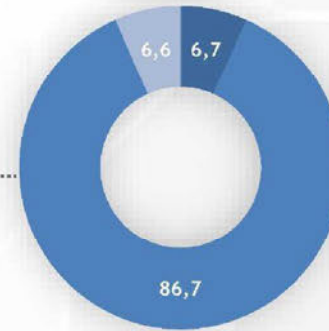
It's evident that the Tokyo 2020 postponement will affect the upcoming calendar of sport events.

For the **53%** of the ENOCs, the 2021/2022 schedule is not clear yet.



IMPACT OF TOKYO 2020 POSTPONEMENT ON SPONSORS

3.
EVENTS



86.7% stated that discussions with the sponsors and partners of the ENOCs are still *ongoing*.

Only the **6.7%** of the sponsorship contracts have been cancelled. Meanwhile the **6.6%** have been extended.





SUPPORT FROM THE NATIONAL AUTHORITIES

4.
SUPPORT

77.8%

of the ENOCs stated that the national/local authorities can implement measures to **assist** the ENOCs in **limiting the impact** of the COVID-19 pandemic.

The 3 **main measures** that have been identified are:

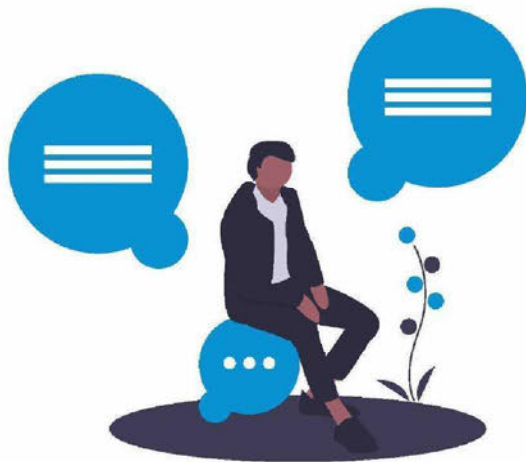
- **Financial assistance and tax reduction**
- **Accepting athletes training with precaution measures**
- **Health first**



SUPPORT FROM THE EOC AND IOC

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SUPPORT

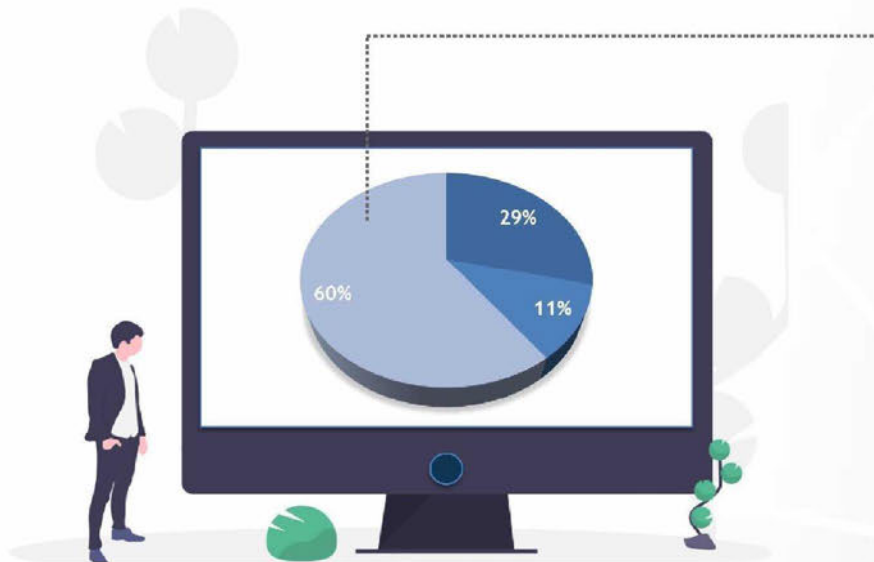
ENOCs were asked how the EOC and IOC could provide support. The feedback indicated the need for providing a constant **information sharing** and **financial support**.



- Sharing information
- Financial support
- Coordinate with IOC and Olympic Solidarity
- Sharing best practice at European level
- Help raising awareness of sport sector at national and EU level

EOC SEMINAR

As the **EOC seminar** in May has been **postponed**, we asked what the preferred solution would be:



60%

of the ENOCs suggested **adding a day to the General Assembly in Istanbul** to include the planned content



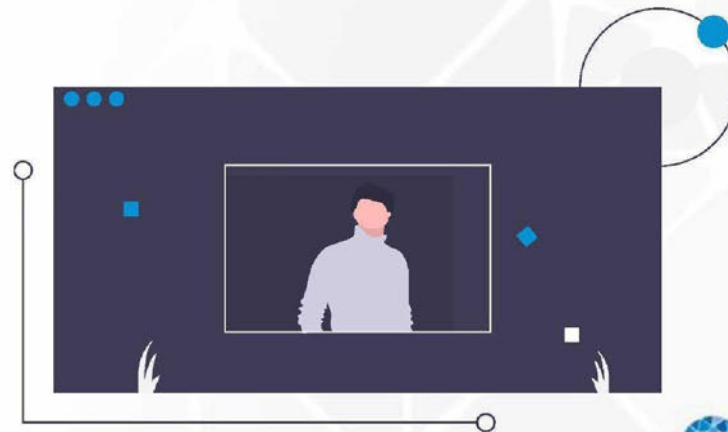
EOC WEBINAR



88.9% of the ENOCs said they would be interested in an EOC Webinar.

3 main topics were proposed with the ENOCs expressing the following interest:

- *Sport in a digital age: creating a strategy that works for ENOCs (79.5%)*
- *How sport wins from being sustainable (51.3%)*
- *How technology is shaping people's sporting habits (35.9%)*



EOC WEBINAR

Some ENOCs also expressed interest in the following additional topics:

“How to ensure and support the recovery of sports activities after COVID-19 restrictions measures”

“Sport after COVID-19. Lessons learnt for the future”

“Updates on the current situation of sport at EU level”

4.
SUPPORT



SPORT FOR THE COMMUNITY (1)

4.
SUPPORT



Sport plays a significant role in our communities. It creates a sense of belonging and positivity that may keep people's spirit high also during the most critical situations. This is why we asked to ENOCs how and why, in their own opinion, sport may represent a powerful tool also in the crisis we are living today.

In the following pages, some of their thoughts have been shared.



SPORT FOR THE COMMUNITY (1/4)

4.
SUPPORT

“Sport has the power to turn the public’s attention into the right values, to give hope and optimism, and is always in the function of creating a better world.”

“Sport is the vital tool that has always played a vital role and has the capacity to contribute greatly in emerging from the crisis. It can be done primarily by self confidence, self-activeness of our athletes, coaches and sport community who do their utmost to maintain the psychological strength and physical shape. We are confident sport will become an even more significant motivation for our athletes to strive for excellence.”

“Promoting Olympic athletes as role models of resilience and stamina to overcome this crisis based on the Olympic values.”



SPORT FOR THE COMMUNITY (2/4)

4.
SUPPORT

“It can make a significant contribution by leading the way back to normality - especially for children and youth”

“Generally, in times of crisis, sport can help the community, in the same way as it helps in times of normality - it creates models of good practice, it promotes values, it educates, it stimulates the spirit of helping among the people, it improves the mood of the population, improves and maintains overall health and well-being.”

“The athletes can help very much in raising the moral and being the role models to all citizens in terms of showing a good example, obeying the rules and movement restrictions.”



SPORT FOR THE COMMUNITY (3/4)

4.
SUPPORT

“Our NFs and Sport Clubs are raising funds for medical equipment. And many sportsmen are involved in activities on voluntary basis for social activities among the population for the crisis.”

“Short term:

- Sport helps people to feel better, stay healthy and put your mind at ease.

Long term:

- It strengthens the community

- It encourages people to be active again after the lockdown

- It provides an opportunity for people to celebrate (again)”



SPORT FOR THE COMMUNITY (4/4)



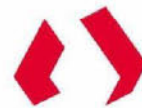
“Sport in our country is an important means to consolidate the nation, to motivate the spirit of the nation. Sport is a unifying power, especially in the special political conditions in our country.”

“Sport in our country plays a vital role for the whole society. Among other things, it encourages positive thinking, physical activity, unity. Especially in times such as the ones we are experiencing now, motivating the population to participate in sport activities will aid to improve the psychophysical well-being. The benefits of being physically active go beyond physical shape. It benefits mental health, social and personal wellbeing as well. These benefits will then result in less cost for the Health Care System and create healthier individuals and thus stronger society.”





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Dank, klopt het dat ik de andere twee Q's op sport nog mis?

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Onderwerp: herziene QA ventilatie

Hierbij herziene QA ventilatie; nadere duiding over bouwbesluit ingevoegd, evenals zwenk ventilatoren ;-)

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Onderwerp: RE: Extra q en a's

Kleine aanpassing van mijn kant. Ik vraag me af of we die adviezen van het RIVM al hebben ontvangen voor verschillende settingen? Wellicht zit daar nog iets wat we hierin mee kunnen nemen?
@ (10)(2e) enig idee?

Groet (10)(2e)

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Onderwerp: RE: Extra q en a's

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Onderwerp: FW: Extra q en a's

Urgentie: Hoog

Hi (10)(2e) en (10)(2e)

Zie onderstaande Q&A's. Kunnen jullie hierop z.s.m. antwoorden dichtend? Ze zijn voor AZ en de persco vanavond. Deadline was 10 uur, maar dat gaat natuurlijk niet meer. Wat is haalbaar voor jullie?

Dank en groet,

(10)(2e)



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Onderwerp: Extra q en a's

Hoi,

Vanuit het IAO en torentje zijn de volgende q en a's gevraagd. Willen jullie ze uitzetten voor zover jullie deze nog niet hadden?!

- in hoeverre gaan wij nu verder met het versoepelen van maatregelen tov andere landen om ons heen? (IZ)

- hoe zit het met ventilatie in sportscholen? Kan dat nu ineens wel? (Sport)

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Dag iedereen,

A.s. dinsdag vindt de kennis- en uitwisselingsbijeenkomst "Kansrijke lokale initiatieven gericht op een gezonde leefstijl" plaats. Via deze weg deel ik graag meer informatie over de sessie, inclusief het programma en de deelnemerslijst. De bijeenkomst vindt online plaats via webex. De link voor deelname vindt u bijgevoegd aan deze e-mail.

De afgelopen weken is onder andere door wetenschappers en medici aandacht gevraagd voor het belang van een gezonde leefstijl en weerbaarheid tegen de gevolgen van een coronabesmetting. Het Nederlands Innovatiecentrum voor Leefstijlgeneskunde (Lifestyle4Health) en de Vereniging Arts en Leefstijl hebben namens bijna 2000 zorgprofessionals op 19 mei een brief en notitie aangeboden om aandacht te vragen voor een gezonde leefstijl.

Er worden daarom (minstens) drie sessies met deskundigen georganiseerd over de relatie tussen het coronavirus en leefstijlpreventie. Dit is de tweede sessie. De eerste sessie met medici en wetenschappers vond plaats op 23 juni jl. met als doel: inzicht verkrijgen in wat er wetenschappelijk bewezen is over deze relatie. Er is met staatssecretaris Paul Blokhuis gesproken over de leefstijlthema's voeding, beweging, slaap/ontspanning, tabak en alcohol in relatie tot het coronavirus. De derde sessie staat gepland op 7 juli en richt zich op het thema bewegen en sporten.

Deze tweede sessie richt zich op kansrijke lokale initiatieven gericht op een gezonde leefstijl. Samen met u gaan we graag in gesprek over de volgende drie centrale vragen:
"Wat zijn kansrijke lokale initiatieven die resultaat hebben op een gezonde leefstijl, hoe kunnen we deze op andere plekken in Nederland inzetten en hoe kunnen we nog meer stimuleren dat lokale en regionale organisaties met een gezonde leefstijl aan de slag gaan?"

Omdat we de tijd goed willen benutten, vindt er geen kennismakingsronde plaats. In de bijlagen vinden jullie het programma en de deelnemerslijst terug. Ook vinden jullie in de bijlagen een document met voorbeelden van kansrijke lokale initiatieven in het land. Deze vormt de onderlegger voor het gesprek op 30 juni. Vriendelijk verzoek om de bijlagen voorafgaand aan de bijeenkomst alvast te bekijken.

Namens de projectleiders van Fitcoin, Welzijn op Recept, Beter Dichtbij en het Loket Gezond Leven verwijs ik u graag ook naar de volgende filmpjes en websites:

- Welzijn op Recept: https://www.youtube.com/watch?time_continue=11&v=AA6HFyCAwZw&feature=emb_logo (zie ook bijlage voor meer informatie)
- Fitcoin: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sa_JY4KJnvU (zie ook bijlage voor meer informatie)
- Beter Dichtbij: <https://www.beterdichtbij.nl/>
- Loket Gezond Leven: www.loketgezondleven.nl en over een gezonde leefstijl i.r.t. COVID-19: <https://www.loketgezondleven.nl/advies-ondersteuning/coronavirus>

Tijdens de bijeenkomst worden mogelijk één of meerdere foto's gemaakt van de staatssecretaris in gesprek met jullie achter zijn beeldscherm. Wil je liever niet zichtbaar zijn op deze foto('s), geef even een seintje, dan houden we daar rekening mee.

Tot dinsdag!

Hartelijke groeten,



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