

Checklist for Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE) Application:

Musculoskeletal Conditions



Prohibited Substances: Systemic glucocorticoids and narcotics

This Checklist is to guide the athlete and their physician on the requirements for a TUE application that will allow the TUE Committee to assess whether the relevant ISTUE Criteria are met.

Please note that the completed TUE application form alone is not sufficient; supporting documents <u>MUST</u> be provided. A completed application and checklist DO NOT guarantee the granting of a TUE. Conversely, in some situations a legitimate application may not include every element on the checklist.

TUE Application form must include;		
	All sections completed in legible handwriting	
	All information submitted in English/Italian	
	A signature from the applying physician	
	The Athlete's signature	
Med	Medical report should include details of;	
	Medical history: symptoms, time of onset, acute/overuse injury or chronic disease, presentation at first manifestation, recovery from injury/activity score of disease, start of treatment	
	Findings on examination	
	Interpretation of symptoms, signs and test results by physician	
	Diagnosis	
	Substance prescribed (systemic glucocorticoids and narcotics are prohibited in competition only) including dosage, frequency, administration route	
	Response to treatment/course of disease under treatment	
	Explain why alternate (non-prohibited) treatments were not used.	
Diag	Diagnostic test results should include copies of;	
	Laboratory tests as applicable, e.g. inflammation markers (CRP, ESR), rheumatoid factor, anti-CCP, HLA-B27 gene marker	
	Imaging findings (ultrasound, MRI, CT, X-ray) as applicable	
Addi	itional information included	
	As per ADO specifications	