

The Saudi Sports for All Federation Strategy

Where we envision to become...

"A GLOBAL LEADER IN SPORTS FOR ALL"



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Opening letters from our leadership

OPENING LETTER FROM OUR PRESIDENT





The Saudi Sports for All Federation is privileged to work towards a healthier and more active Saudi Arabia. Our new Sports for All strategy is another milestone in this rewarding journey.

With this strategy document, we have created a clear roadmap to reach out to our audiences and meet their specific needs while encouraging them to have more active lifestyles. This document will explain our efforts to reach all communities and society members, encouraging them to a health-first mindset.

We are also increasing our reach through global and local partnerships, working with individuals and organizations who share our commitment to a healthy, happy, and more physically active nation.

We have always sought to create initiatives that offer measurable results that work towards the goals of Saudi Vision 2030. Our new strategy extends this commitment encouraging our teams and stakeholders to demonstrate social and economic returns on investment.

From playgrounds and sports arenas, to homes and backyards, we want to build and sustain a more active Saudi Arabia. We are immensely proud of our communities and will join them in action as we play more, exercise more, and move towards a healthy, active community.

Sincerely,

HRH Prince Khaled bin Alwaleed

OPENING LETTER



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Meaningful positive change requires a bold and integrated approach. Research shows a positive link between physical activity and health, which in turn leads to improved economic activity and better quality of life.

The new Sports for All strategy lays out the framework for a healthier and more physically active Saudi Arabia. Inclusivity is a central pillar of our strategy, with initiatives designed for critical age groups and demographics.

The strategy embodies a collaborative and holistic approach, as we work with partners and stakeholders across the public and private sectors to create impactful initiatives that get people moving and keep them active in the long term.

Our Sports for All strategy creates a clear roadmap supporting the Quality of Life Program, as well as Saudi Vision 2030 ambitions and aspirations. Our approach is backed by transparency and accountability. We will measure the social return on investment on our initiatives to ensure that we are helping create a healthier, involved, dynamic and economically active community.

I call on our audiences, partners, teams, and all stakeholders to join us, as we make regular physical activity part of everyone's lives.

Sincerely,

Shaima Saleh Alhusseini



² What Is Our Ambition?

Sports for all journey, vision and ambition

SINCE 2018, WE HAVE

EMPOWERED COMMUNITIES

THROUGH OUR PROGRAMS AND ACTIVATIONS



Community Sports Evolution in the Kingdom

2018 بنامح جودة الجباة QUALITY OF LIFE PROGRA

Regional Programs

in Jubail, Jazan and Yanbu,

specific offerings.

We focus on expanding our reach to a large

part of KSA population through region-

Examples would be launching 'Move with

in different cities, such as Abha, Tabuk,

Us' in more than 12+ cities, as well as 'Active'

introducing youth tournaments and games

Dammam and Buravdah, as well as beaches

Activated Mass Participation Plans

Allocated Community Sports Mandate

2019



massive scale.

around the kingdom.

Neighborhood Clubs

One of our successful youth-targeted

activates more than 43k memberships,

female, across 45 clubs in Saudi Arabia to

It serves as a dynamic hub of community

engagement introducing more than 10+

basketball, football and yoga, alongside

educational and seasonal events such as 'Summer Camps' in more than 20+ cities

programs is 'Neighborhood Clubs', it

ensure continuous participation at a

represented as 55% male, and 45%

sport activities, including, tennis,





2023

Launched National Sports Strategy

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Sports Facilities

Launching Sports for All Dome in Dammam City is considered one of our greatest achievements in activating environments, places and spaces.

A multi-purpose sports facility, addressing a social aspect where families and friends can join and participate in their favorite sport.

National Championships

We succeeded in hosting championships in collaboration with different stakeholders.

Including a thrilling collaboration with the Saudi Arabian Cricket Federation, activating more than 28,000 participants, across 11 different cities, Qassim, Khamis Mushait, Dammam, Jeddah, Jizan, Jubail, Madinah, Najran, Riyadh, Tabuk, Yanbu,

As well as an integrated program for older adults in partnership with Newcastle United Foundation in 4 different cities, as an initiative towards, redefining age and fitness, and proving that it's never too late to embrace an active lifestyle.

Digital Platforms

We benefit heavily from our digital platforms and channels in customizing our offerings through continues reporting, refining and redesigning.

More than 1,700 community sports groups are active in 'Sports for All App' where users interact daily in virtual and physical challenges.

We get to refine our perceptions and understating of the community's constantly evolving and changing preferences, characteristics and interests to be more and more active referencing our national survey insightful analysis.

Marathon Series

Executing our noteworthy 'Marathon Series' year after year represents our innovative and inclusive approach to engage the community to embody a healthier lifestyle thorough physical activity.

Starting off with 'Al Khobar Half-Marathon' in 2021, where 1,700+ participants joined us. 'Rivadh Full Marathon' in 2022, capturing 10,000+ participants from 100+ different nationalities. During the same year, we launched 'Jeddah Half-Marathon' as well.

Marking our gradual growth to accommodate for higher numbers of participation, 'Riyadh Full Marathon' 2023, welcomed 15,000+ participants from 125+ nationalities.



WE HAVE OUTLINED

A FUTURISTIC OUTLOOK

OF SPORTS FOR ALL ASPIRATIONS AND DIRECTIONAL FOCUS



VISION "A GLOBAL LEADER IN SPORTS FOR ALL"

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AMBITION

PIONEER IN COMMUNITY SPORTS

Enable **community sports groups** growth and capacity to become a **delivery arm**

ACCELERATE PHYSICAL & MENTAL WELLBEING

Expand our focus on physical activity, by including mental wellbeing

GLOBAL REPUTATION & RECOGNITION

Intensify our global footprint through leading state-of-the-art national achievements

OPERATIONAL STABILITY

Elevate functional **efficacy** levels and operative aspects of community sports offerings

LEADER IN SUSTAINABILITY & INCLUSION

Incorporate **environmental and inclusivity parameters across programs and activations**

WE HAVE DEFINED

PHYSICAL ACTIVITY

2030 PARTICIPATION TARGETS FOR ADULTS AND YOUTH



Adults from 49% to 64% Metric The Percentage of Physical Activity

Bracket ≥ 18 Years Old

Duration 150 Minutes per Week Youth from 6% to **21%** Metric The Percentage of Physical Activity

Bracket <18 Years Old

Duration 60 Minutes per Day

³ Where Do We Stand Today?

Mass participation landscape, benchmarks and insights

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CONTRIBUTION IN

HEALTHIER LIFESTYLE

IS AN INTEGRAL PART OF OUR GOALS AND AMBITION



HOW WOULD EXERCISING IMPACT OUR WELLBEING? KEY STATICS AND FIGURES OF CURRENT PHYSICAL AND MENTAL HEALTH LEVELS

Physical health, such as **OBESITY**



Physical health, such as **DIABETES**

16%

People who are active are more likely to maintain a steady body weight³, by incorporating regular exercise routines, such as aerobic exercises, strength training, and moderate-intensity activities, individuals can effectively manage their weight, reduce body fat, and improve overall physical health

Diabetes patients who exercise, have 2.4x

more controlled glucose levels than those who don't², additionally, engaging in a well-rounded exercise-driven lifestyle can help in managing blood sugar levels, enhance overall physical fitness, and mitigate risks of long-term complications

Mental health, such as **DEPRESSION**



Being physically active provides a sense of achievement, boosts self-esteem, and promotes social interaction, as certain exercises, that individuals find enjoyable and manageable, such as walking, or participating in team sports, can lead to positive results including enhanced mental health

Source: 1) Euromonitor Economies and Consumers Annual Data 2017-2022; Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation, GBD 2019; 2) Diabetes UK; 3) Wareham NJ, van Sluijs EM, Ekelund U. Physical activity and obesity prevention: a review of the current evidence

WHERE DO WE STAND TODAY? PHYSICAL ACTIVITY LEVELS REFERENCING GLOBAL BENCHMARKS



World Health Organization

PERCENTAGE OF PHYSICAL ACTIVITY PERCENTAGE OF PHYSICAL ACTIVITY for 150 minutes per week for adults aged 18 and above for 60 minutes per day for youth under 18 years old 1.5x 6.9x 76% 76% 47% 63% 59% 59% 37% 51% 49% 49% 43% 19% 17% 16% Baseline 10% 6% Baseline Australia Australia Canada Kuwait Ireland Ireland Singap Nether lands Nether lands Switz Land UAE UAE KSA KSA Š ž SERVICE OF C: **F** 0 (*) C \$1333 €. C ৰ চ 38 32 41 43 38 33 41 43 42 38 37 38 33 43 41 Avg. age (years) Avg. age (years) 32 '22 '21 '20 **'21** '18 '20 '22 '18 '21 '22 '22 **'18 '18** '18 Data year '17 Data year '22

Notes: 2022 data used as baseline for KSA; 2030 targets: Adults 64 percent; Children 21 percent; data rounded to the nearest percentage; Data shown for latest available year; Numbers are utilized for research purposes in articulating SFA's efforts going forward | Source: WHO website, Sport Ireland, Sport England, Participaction Canada, Active Health Kids Org., Australian Bureau of Statistics, Sport Singapore, The Lancet study sponsored by WHO, United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs Population Division 2019

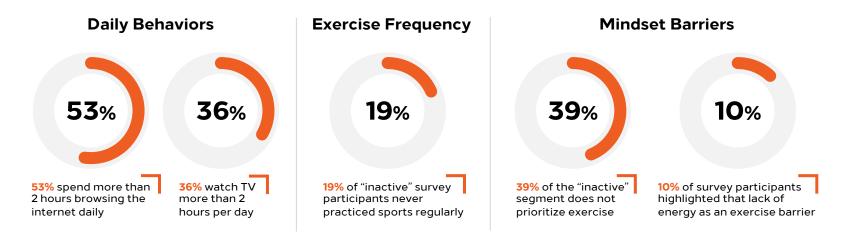


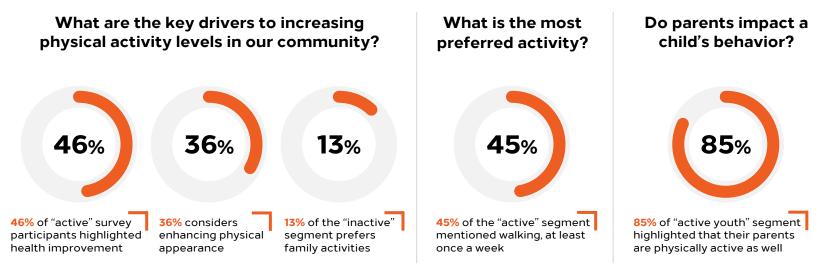
WE'RE ANALYZING

BEHAVIORAL PATTERNS

OF PHYSICAL ACTIVITY BASED ON SURVEY OUTCOMES

WHAT IS DRIVING PHYSICAL ACTIVITY? KEY RESULTS AND INSIGHTS ADDRESSING MASS PARTICIPATION LANDSCAPE





Note: insights and results are for research and program design purposes



4 How Will We Achieve Our Goals?

Strategic framework, performance measures and initiatives



ENSURING DIFFERENT

SEGMENTS AND GROUPS

CAN ENGAGE IN PHYSICAL ACTIVITY ON REGULAR BASIS

U18 YOUTH

Inspire a generation to build physical activity habits for life and develop physical literacy

18-25 YOUNG ADULTS

Strengthen activity habits and create a culture around physical activity for young adults

26-50 ADULTS

Improve physical activity habits of adults and make it a part of everyday life

51+ OLDER ADULTS

Increase activity levels and promote benefits of physical activity to health and wellbeing

YOUTH SEGMENT

To re-define a strategic priority with targeted initiatives, to reach youth segment through **familyfocused events**,

programs and campaigns. In addition to tailoring initiatives to leverage **urban trends** for sport

FEMALE SEGMENT

WHAT DOES BEING PARTICIPATION-FOCUSED ENTAIL?

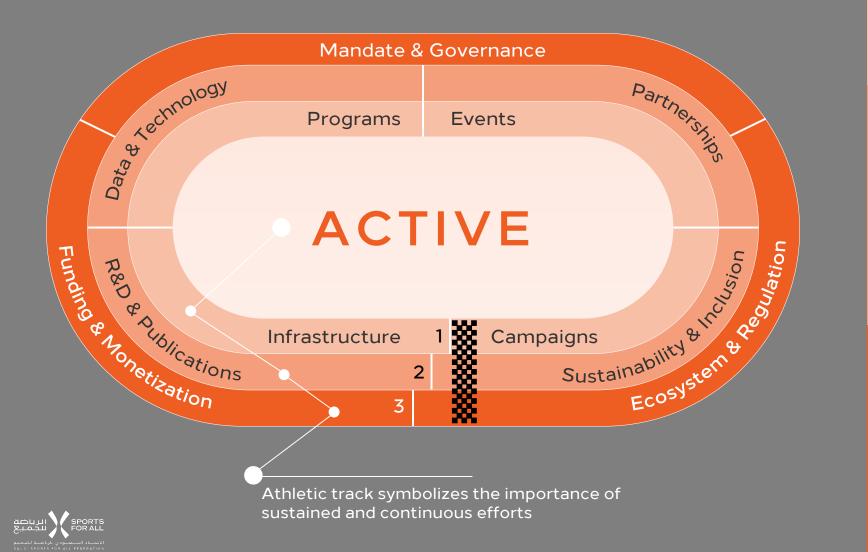
CREATING AN ACTIVE SOCIETY DEMANDS DIVERSIFYING OUR OFFERINGS

To expand our offerings through focusing on channels and motivators to reach females with **socially-based programs**, as well as corporate wellness programs, addressing **cultural** and **demographic preferences**

VULNERABLE GROUPS

To dedicate activations driven by segment size and participation preferences, to include **people with disabilities**, and to focus on activating people at **risk of health conditions**, such as obesity or depression

WHAT IS OUR STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK? A SET OF CORE ACTIVITIES, ACCELERATORS, AND ENABLERS



CORE ACTIVITIES

Activities with a balanced focus on events and programs, ensuring access to facilities, and carrying out campaigns aimed at both priority groups and the general population

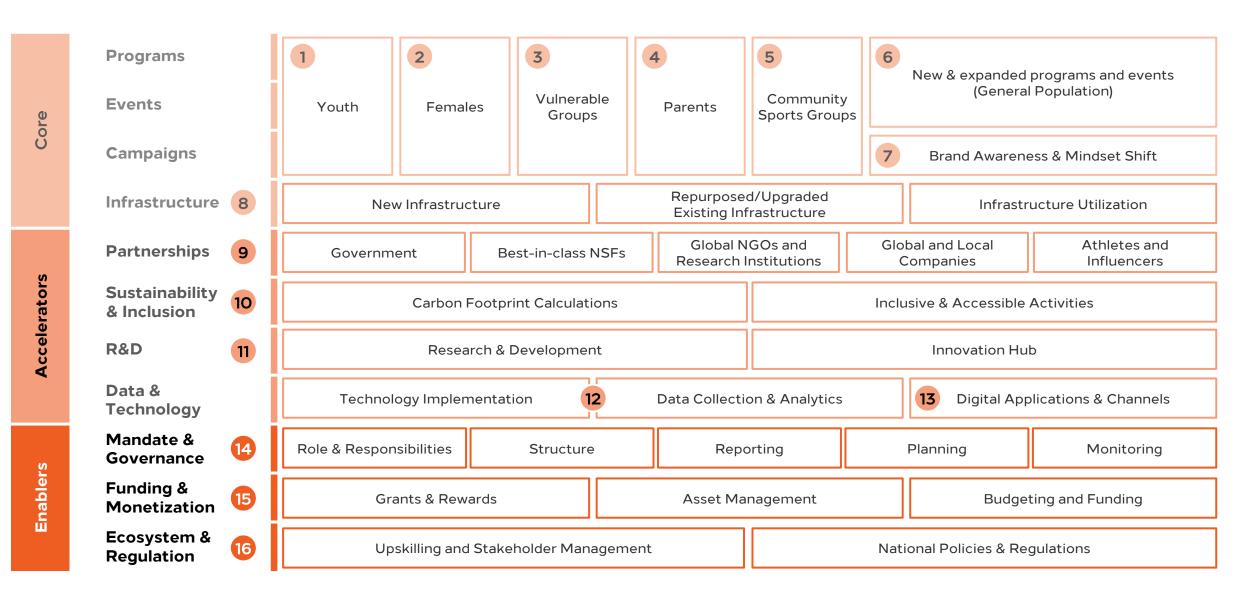
ACCELERATORS

Levers employed by harnessing technology and data, cultivating growth-oriented partnerships, focusing on research & development as well as sustainability & inclusion

ENABLERS

Tools to support seamless and effective execution associated with enabling mandates & governance, ecosystem and regulation, and funding & monetization

HOW WILL WE OVERCOME BARRIERS TO PHYSICAL ACTIVITY? OUTLINING STRATEGIC PRIORITIES AND 16 STRATEGIC INITIATIVES TO BE ACTIVATED



HOW WILL WE MEASURE OUR PROGRESS? DEFINING KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS* TO BE MONITORED



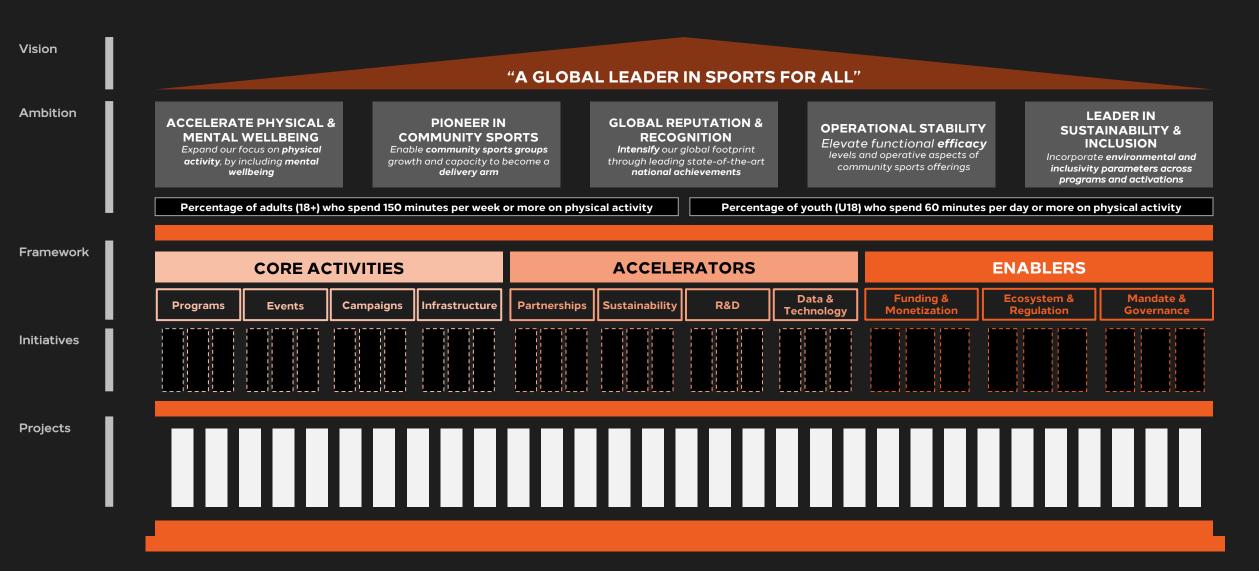
WHAT LIES AT THE CORE OF OUR STRATEGY? ALIGNMENT WITH SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS







WHAT ARE THE BUILDING BLOCKS OF OUR STRATEGY? A LAYARD STRUCTURE CONNECTING STRATEGIC ELEMENTS AND FUTURISTIC PLANS



SPORTS FOR ALL الاتحاد السعودي للرياضة للجميع

#HealthyActiveCommunity



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