

## SPORT VISA

- **Duly filled Visa Application Form.** Please note that all the names appearing on the passport must appear on the application form (all data must match those on the passport). The form must be dated and signed before a Visa Officer.
- **Recent passport-size photograph (2"x2")**, on white background, full face and front view, stapled/glued to the application form. Scanned or photocopied photos will NOT be accepted;
- **Valid passport plus 1 copy of the page with photograph and expiration date.** The passport or travel document must be valid at least 3 months after the visa expiration date. Please make sure the passport has at least a blank page to affix the visa, if applicable;
- **If you are not US citizen :original and copy of Permanent Residence Card OR** other US immigration document allowing re-entry into the United States (e.g., valid long-term US visa, Advanced Parole, etc.). *International students must submit original and copy of F-1 Visa and endorsed I-20;*
- **Original and copy of Driver's License or State ID** as proof of residence in the jurisdiction of this Consulate General. If you recently moved and have not updated your ID, you must submit another proof of current address (e.g., utility bills, bank statements, etc.);
- **Copy of the letter addressed by the Italian Sport Organization** to the Italian Police Authorities, the Sport Federation and to the applicant, requesting the authorization to engage the athlete, specifying the type of sport activity and the duration of the contract;
- **Letter of authorization from CONI** mailed directly to the Consulate from CONI itself; (Italian National Olympic Committee) , indicating the athlete's personal data, sport practiced, and the name and address of the Italian Sport Association. This statement must be accompanied by the "**nulla osta**" (entry clearance) of the Italian Questura (main Police Station) issued within the previous 90 days.
- **Confirmed flight itinerary;**
- **Visa fee** in the form of cash or Money Order, payable to the Consulate General of Italy in Philadelphia, with applicant's name and address as the remitter;
- **Return envelope:** required if applicant cannot pick up passport with the visa in person. Please provide **postage paid, self addressed envelope** with tracking number plus mailing disclaimer form. Carefully complete mailing label with all required information.

**This consular administration has full authority to evaluate and request additional documentation, if deemed, in addition to what is submitted. Furthermore, the applicant is hereby informed that submitting all required documentation does not guarantee the issuance of any particular visa**