

Sport and Employment. Is there a Connection for the Disabled?



YES!

Physically active people with disabilities:

- + Are more likely to be employed.
- + Have a healthier lifestyle.
- + Report a greater life satisfaction.
- + Are more sociable and positive about their life prospects.
- + Believe it has helped them advance in their jobs.



Among all Chapter Participants and Wounded Warriors, both are more likely to be physically active than Adults with Disabilities.

Compared to Adults with Disabilities, Chapter Participants (CP) and Wounded Warriors (WW) report that they are in very good or excellent health.



Who's Employed?

... It's in the Numbers!

- ✚ 68% Chapter Participants
- ✚ 52% Wounded Warriors
- ✚ 33% Adults with Disabilities

Chapter Participants are twice as likely as Adults with Disabilities to be employed. Wounded Warriors are also significantly more likely to be employed.



Source: Sport and Employment Among Americans with Disabilities, Disability Sports USA.