

Categorization of sports by level of risk of injury or death, should a seizure occur

Group 1 – No significant additional risk to people with epilepsy or to bystanders	Group 2 – Moderate additional risk to people with epilepsy; no additional risk to bystanders	Group 3 – High risk for people with epilepsy; for some sports, additional risk to bystanders
Athletics other than sports	Alpine (downhill) skiing	Aviation
listed under Group 2	Archery	Climbing
Bowling	Biathlon (shooting, cross-	Diving
Most collective contact sports (judo, wrestling)	country skiing)	Horse racing
Curling	Triathlon (running, biking, swimming)	Motor sports
Most team sports taking place	Canoeing	Rodeo
on grass or a court (baseball, basketball, cricket, field hockey, football, rugby, volleyball, etc.)	Modern pentathlon (fencing,	Parachuting
	swimming, horse riding, shooting, running)	Scuba diving
Nordic (cross-country) skiing	Collective contact sports	Ski jumping
Dancing	involving potentially serious injury (i.e., boxing)	Solitary sailing
Golf		Surfing and windsurfing
Racquet sports (squash, tennis, badminton, ping pong, etc.)	Cycling	
	Fencing	
	Gymnastics	
	Horse riding (i.e., Olympic equestrian events: dressage, show jumping)	
	Ice hockey	
	Shooting	
	Skateboarding	
	Skating	
	Snowboarding	
	Swimming	
	Waterskiing	
	Weightlifting	