

Swiss Society for Sports Psychiatry and Psychotherapy SSSPP

Annual report 2021 and outlook

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The Swiss Society for Sports Psychiatry and Psychotherapy SSSPP aims to promote sports psychiatry in Switzerland, in competitive sports and in the general population. Three areas of activity can be derived from this purpose: (i) sport and exercise in mental illness (health sport and promotion); (ii) mental health and illness in competitive sport; (iii) sport-specific mental disorders and illnesses in popular sport. To date, two of these fields of activity of sports psychiatry have been distinguished, one in competitive sport and one in health sport [1]. Sports addiction and muscle

dysmorphia or certain substance use disorders, such as the use of so-called image and performance enhancing drugs (IPEDs), are often included in the fields of activity of sports psychiatrists, but cannot be represented in the two established fields of activity. In 2021, the SSSPP therefore proposed to include a third field of activity: sport-specific mental disorders and illnesses in popular sport [2, 3]. The COVID 19 pandemic and the restrictions caused by it continues to occupy us in 2021, for example in working with patients and in consultations, as well as in the planning and implementation of events. In 2021, we will also be concerned with the reporting on the Magglingen Protocols at the end of 2020 and violence and abuse in competitive sport. The annual report will also deal with this and other important topics and developments that

the SSSPP dealt with in 2021. In addition, an outlook for 2022 will be given.

Due to the complexity of the activities in the field of sports psychiatry in Switzerland, it is not possible to deal with all aspects. We ask you for your understanding and refer you to the SSSPP homepage: www.sportspsychiatry.ch

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Erratum

Korrigendum zum Book review «Gerd Laux, Walter E. Müller (Herausgeber): Psychopharmakologie und Psychopharmakotherapie kompakt. *Swiss Arch Neurol Psychiatr Psychother.* 2021;172(5):168.

Ein Fehler hat sich beim Namen des Rezensenten eingeschlichen. Die Rezension wurde von **Professor Pierre Baumann** verfasst. Die Redaktion bedauert dieses Versehen und entschuldigt sich bei dem Autoren sowie der Leserschaft.