



Committee Charter
Veterans

Committee Purpose

The Committee promotes continued competitive and recreational fencing for American fencers over 40, fostering interest in the sport for them, and actively pursuing both domestic and international competition. The committee is the liaison between veteran fencers and the board of directors of USA Fencing.

1. The committee advises the National Office on areas of concern to the veteran community.
2. The Committee supports developing fencing as a highly regarded and accessible sport for people over 40 in the United States, and to cultivate top-ranked competitors among them, both nationally and internationally.
3. The Committee is a primary support network for the American team to the Veteran World Championships. The committee members attend delegation meetings, act as team captain for team events and support competitors on strip.
4. The committee will assist USA Fencing to meet with the members of the US team after it had been identified. Matters to be discussed are 1)visa requirements, 2)choice of captain(s), referees, chiefs of mission and coaches, 3)international rules (FIE) and membership requirements, 4)travel, accommodations, registration, medical certificates and 5)any other concerns.
5. The Committee requests changes to the National Office, the Tournament Committee, the Sports Performance Resource Team, the FOC and others regarding veteran competitions, point standings, and related topics.
6. The Committee identifies and reports issues regarding the World Championships.

Committee Composition

Appointed by the President and BOD.