

From supercrip to techno-supercrip



Everyone is judged by their abilities and ability judgments (including techno-based and human enhancement related ability judgments) have individual and societal consequences for everyone.



Including in sports on all levels, physical activity, leisure and recreation, and the fields of sports pedagogy, kinesiology, and physical education (from now on called sports in all areas).



Disabled people are one group that faces problematic ability judgments in sports in all areas and beyond.



Many ability-judgment focused concepts have been developed within the disability rights community and the fields of disability studies and ability-based studies, to engage with ability-based judgements, norms and conflicts.







Question:

Are ability judgment-focused concepts used in academic abstracts covering sports in all areas?

The study found little or no use of ability-judgment focused concepts to discuss sports in all areas or to discuss the barriers disabled people face in sports in all areas.







Using the concepts increases the understanding of ability judgments and their consequences (including techno-based and human enhancement related ability judgments), an understanding that benefits students, teachers, policy makers and people in general.