

Title:

**The Commonwealth Guide to Advancing
Development through Sport**

Country:

 UK

Organisation:

Commonwealth Secretariat

Find more here:

<https://bit.ly/3RB9PSH>

Type of tool:

Guidelines

Target group:

Governments

Short description:

This guide has a purpose of providing support for Commonwealth governments and other key stakeholders seeking to strengthen the contribution of sport to development and peace work.

It identifies lessons learned about how to use sport to best effect and manage sports initiatives to guard against unintended negative consequences. The framework offers a three-step approach for identifying where sport can be used to strengthen their development work. The three steps involve identifying the development priorities to which sport can contribute; which policy domains address these priorities and can make use of sport within their work; and which stakeholders and actors within these domains will be involved in using sport as a development tool.

Why use it:

The guide explains how sport has emerged as a valuable tool for development and peace, and outlines its potential application within the Commonwealth.

Topics covered in the tool:

Sustainability, Stakeholder involvement, Education, Inclusion