

AUTOMOBILE ASSOCIATION OF BANGLADESH



Annual Racing Driver Medical Examination 2025 Guidance for Examining Doctors

Dear Doctor,

You are being asked to examine this candidate for a racing licence from the Automobile Association of Bangladesh, which is the FIA (world motorsport governing body) National Sporting Authority for the nation. Such a racing licence permits the holder to drive a vehicle in official motorsport competitions, including at very high speeds and under exacting sporting conditions.

Eyesight Standards

- 1. Visual Acuity. Before or after correction, sight for each eye should be at least 6/15 (metric)*. Blindness in 1 eye is absolutely excluded.
- 2. Normal binocular vision.
- 3. Normal colour vision.
- 4. The wearing of glasses is permitted. The wearing of contact lenses is permitted if:
 - i. contact lenses have been worn for a period longer than 12 months and for a significant period every day;
 - ii. they are certified as satisfactory for motor racing by the ophthalmic specialist who supplied them (hard contacts are not recommended).

List of Illnesses and Disabilities Incompatible with the Practice of Motorsport

- 1. Epilepsy with behavioural effects, or under treatment.
- 2. Amputations, except in the case of fingers where the gripping function in both hands is unimpaired.
- 3. Orthopaedic appliances, if the function result is not equal or near to normal.
- 4. Free movement of the limbs impeded by more than 50%.
- 5. Insulin-dependent diabetes*.
- 6. Myocardial infarction and myocardial ischaemia, valvular disease or other abnormal cardio-vascular conditions.
- 7. Functional limitation of the articulations of the hand superior to 50% and affecting two or more fingers of the same hand.
- 8. Psychiatric conditions.

*Exceptions

- I. Visual Acuity.
- a) As an exception, examination by a competent ophthalmic specialist is required in the following circumstances:
 - i. any candidate whose visual acuity in only 1 eye is diminished,
 - ii. such diminished visual acuity in that 1 eye cannot be corrected,
 - iii. such candidate has contralateral vision, whether corrected or not, equal to or greater than 6/6 (metric).
- b) Upon examination by a competent ophthalmic specialist, the following conditions would enable a candidate to obtain their racing licence:
 - i. Field of vision equal to or greater than 120°
 - ii. Functional stereoscopic vision
 - iii. Condition of the fundus excluding pigmentary retinal damage
 - iv. Any old or congenital damage shall be strictly unilateral.

II. Insulin-dependent diabetes.

As an exception, a signed document by a medical doctor specialising in diabetes or internal medicine should be provided to the Automobile Association of Bangladesh. This must demonstrate the doctor's regular supervision of the candidate and of their treatments. In such circumstances, the candidate may obtain their racing licence.

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Applicant's Full Na	me*:		Gender*:		
Address*:					
Date of Birth*:		_ Nationality*: Blood Group*:			
Medical Informati	<u>on</u>				
Vision	Right Eye	Left Eye		eight	(cm)
Uncorrected Corrected	6/	6 /	We Blood Pres	eight /	(kg)
1. Is there evidence If "yes", please pro	•	f the heart of cardiovaso	cular system?		(Yes / No)
2. Is there evidence of a physical/mental condition in the applicant's medical history? If "yes", please provide details below.					(Yes / No)
3. Has the applicar If "yes", please pro	•		er neurological condition	n?	(Yes / No)
4. Does the applicant have any physical abnormality or restriction of movement in the arms or legs? If "yes", please provide details below.					(Yes / No)
5. Is there any reason why the applicant should not participate in motorsport? If "yes", please provide details below.					(Yes / No)
If you have circled '	"Yes" to any of the	questions above, pleas	se provide further detail	s in the box below:	
Doctor's commer	nts:				
Date	Do	ctor's Signature / Clinic	Stamp	ASN Stamp	

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