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To whom this May Concern:

The USOC has used the Aerobounder for the past six years and it is a great rehabilitation tool for our athletes. It has been used by athletes from a wide variety of sports including: Figure Skating, Gymnastics, Speedskating, Snowboarding, Taekwondo, Volleyball and Wrestling.

The Aerobounder allows us to provide our athletes having joint or weight bearing issues with an activity that can speed their development and / or progress and return them back to their activity faster. The decrease in impact forces allows the athlete to do more dynamic activities than they otherwise would. From a rehabilitation standpoint it gives us another important tool in the box to use. It also provides a piece of training equipment that is functional for the athlete, using motions and motor patterns that more closely resemble what they do in their sports. The athlete can easily control the degree of impact, speed and intensity of the exercise in a safe and convenient manner, for bilateral or unilateral development. It's a super alternative to a bike or pool and gets us to the point where we can do a functional sport test and see if the athlete can land hard on the joint, turn or do cuts without pain.

Athletes love using the equipment as it provides an intense rehab session or training workout. Once an athlete has used the Aerobounder they usually want to continue using it as part of their rehab.

We have never had any issues with an athlete being hurt on the equipment. The equipment has never failed mechanically, and we have not had to do any maintenance work on it. As you can imagine, the reliability of the equipment has had a very positive impact on our services to the athletes.

This is a great piece of equipment we use often and we are glad to have.

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