

National Report 2012 - The Netherlands

1. **AME training course.** In 2011-2012 again a basic and advanced AME training course was organised by the Netherlands Association of Aviation Medicine. Among them some sport doctors, who are at the moment allowed to issue medical certificates for gliding, ballooning and paramotoring. Under EASA the assessments shall be performed by AME or GMP.
2. **The Netherlands Association of Aviation offered scientific meeting on the following subjects:**
 - Ophthalmology: cornea surgery, intraocular lenses
 - Air Operations Control Station, military
 - Scientific day, theme: Threats for the Heart, with presentations on cardiovascular risk management, blood pressure measuring anno 2012, X-ECG in the aeromedical assessment, acute coronary syndrome, arrhythmias and treatment, Left Bundle Branch Block, Type 2 diabetes and Syndrome X in aviation medicine

An aeromedical working group started for scientific research and publications.
3. The proposed **EASA** regulations formed an important part of the activities of the Medical Advisory Board.
4. **Events:** André Kuipers, astronaut in the ISS space station, brought a poster with the logo of the Association to the ISS, to be forever in space.
5. **Terlet:** Dutch Centre of gliding bankrupt after extensive fight between both sides.
6. **Discussions:** Diabetes and insulin, ADHD incl. medication, SSRIs, anticoagulants
7. **Accidents:**

Light aircrafts:

	2010	2011			2010	2011
Number of a.c.	810	796		Number of a.c.	701	698
Accidents	6	7		Accidents	2	3
Fatalities	0	3		Fatalities	0	0
Injuries	1	1		Injuries	0	0

Gliders:

Helicopters:

	2010	2011			2010	2011
Number of a.c.	94	96		Number of a.c.	413	438
Accidents	3	2		Accidents	2	2
Fatalities	4	0		Fatalities	0	0
Injuries	1	0		Injuries	0	0

MLA and paramotor:

Balloons:

	2010	2011			2010	2011
Number of a.c.	469	463		<i>Number of pilots</i>	<i>± 1500</i>	
Accidents	1	1		<i>Incidents</i>	<i>34</i>	<i>45</i>
Fatalities	0	0		Fatalities	0	
Injuries	2	1				

Delta:

Parachuting:2010

<i>Number of flights</i>	73.944	
<i>Incidents</i>	41	Tendency: lowering
Fatalities	2	

Parapents: not registered

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