

# A) RESIDENTS IN ITALY, WITHOUT LICENSE/ ITALIAN **CITIZENS, WITHOUT LICENSE**

## PLEASE VERIFY THAT:

- RUNCARD has sent you the appropriate medical examination request form that you will have to hand in when you go for exams.
- on the certificate there is the wording «certificato di idoneità all'attività sportiva agonistica»
- on the certificate there is the wording «Art. 5 D.M. 18/02/82»
- on the certificate the sport for which the certificate was issued is «atletica leggera»

## THE CERTIFICATE IS NOT VALID IF:

- it contains the wording «attività sportiva non agonistica», «attività ludico-motoria» or similar
- it contains the wording: «ad uso privato», «a livello occasionale», «atleta non avente la qualifica di agonista», «per persone non indicate dall'Art. 5» or similar
- instead of «athletics», terms such as «podismo», «running», «maratona», and the like are used
- · disciplines other than «athletics» are mentioned, for example: «triathlon», «ciclismo», «calcio», etc.

# **B) RESIDENTS ABROAD, WITHOUT LICENSE**

According to the rules of the Italian Republic and the Italian Athletics Federation, to participate in a marathon in Italy, a foreign athlete who is not registered for an Athletics Federation must:

- provide a medical certificate (issued in his/her country) in compliance with the legislation on health protection in competitive sports practice in force in Italy
- possess a RUNCARD (issued by the Italian Athletics Federation) valid at the date of the race

### HOW THE CERTIFICATE MUST LOOK LIKE?

The official form to be handed to your doctor is the one you find at: http:/www.fidal.it/upload/files/Organizzazione/2019/Running/inglese\_4.pdf (in English), http:/www.fidal.it/upload/files/Organizzazione/2019/Running/francese\_3.pdf (in French).

We recommend that you use this form only to avoid problems. If you already have a medical certificate, and you want to know if it is accepted, contact us in time (info@runromethemarathon.com).

# IT SEEMS COMPLICATED, ARE THERE ANY ALTERNATIVES?

Yes, you can sign up for a running club that is a member of the Athletics Federation of your country! Check the website: www.iaaf.org.

# C) ATHLETES WITH LICENSE FROM A FOREIGN FEDERATION

To participate, just provide your license information and selfcertification of the license status, using the form that you can find at: http://www.fidal.it/upload/files/Organizzazione/2017/Autodichiarazione%20Tesseramento%20inglese.docx



# D) RESIDENTS ABROAD, WITHOUT LICENSE, NON-COMPETITIVE RUNNER

To participate you must fill out and sign the relevant Waiver Form when you will pick up the race packet at the Run Rome The Marathon Expo.

## RECOMENDATIONS

We recommend that you consult your primary care doctor about participation in the race and have a physical examination and a cardiac examination, particularly if any of the following items (1 to 5) are applicable to you:

1) Are you currently undergoing treatment for, or have you ever been diagnosed with a cardiac disease (cardiac inflation, angina pectoris, cardiomyopathy, valvular disorder,

- congenital heart disease, irregular heartbeat, etc.)?
- 2) Have you ever suddenly lost consciousness (fainted)?
- 3) Have you ever felt chest pain or dizziness when you were exercising?
- 4) Has your relative suddenly died because of a so-called "heart failure" (sudden death)?
- 5) Has it been more than a year since your last physical examination?

## Please note that the following items (6 to 9) are risk factors for Myocardial infarction and angina pectoris. Please consult your primary care doctor if any of these are applicable to you, and keep your physical condition stable before participating in the race.

6) Is your blood pressure high (hypertension)?

- 7) Is your blood-sugar level high, or have you ever been diagnosed with diabetes?
- 8) Do you have a high LDL cholesterol level or neutral fat level (hyperlipemia)?
- 9) Do you smoke?

Your primary care doctor is the physician closest to you who can help you manage your health and physical condition. Carefully choose your primary care doctor and discuss your required physical examinations, and whether or not you can participate in the race.

