

Radial shock wave therapy Olympic gold in Vancouver with the help of STORZ MEDICAL's MASTERPULS[®] MP100

During this year's Olympic Winter Games in Vancouver the new mobile MASTERPULS® MP100 quickly proved its worth. For Boris Wittmann from Kempten, Germany, who looked after Canada's bobsleigh and skeleton athletes, the innovative shock wave system was essential. "Shock wave therapy is an extremely gentle and successful method. Hardly anything is more effective when treating classic symptoms like insertion tendinopathies and muscle tension." Shock waves are also the first choice for treating myofascial trigger points. One important argument for athletes to rely on shock wave therapy is the fact that they do not have to take medication. This avoids the risk of possible false doping suspicions. Shock wave treatment is extremely gentle and highly effective. These facts also convinced skeleton racer Jon Montgomery, the beaming winner of the gold medal in the men's skeleton, who was treated with the MASTERPULS® MP100.



Other athletes from the bobsleigh team were treated as well and captured even more gold medals for Canada during the Olympics.

In order to make sure that athletes would receive the best possible treatment, Boris Wittmann often worked from six o'clock in the morning until eleven o'clock at night. After three exciting months in Canada he is now back in Kempten in his practice for sports medicine. There he has been using STORZ MEDICAL's combined shockwave therapy system DUOLITH® SD1 very successfully for the last four years. The combined shock wave device utilises both radial and focused shock wave technologies and plays an important role in the treatment of Boris Wittmann's patients.

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