# TRIATHLON

## MEDAL EVENTS

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## ATHLETE QUOTA

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## ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION SLOTS

The qualification slot is allocated to the NPC, not to an individual athlete. In the case of a Bipartite Commission Invitation the slot is allocated to the individual athlete, not to the NPC.

## MAXIMUM QUOTA ALLOCATION PER NPC

An NPC may be allocated a maximum of two (2) qualification slots per medal event for a maximum total of sixteen (16) qualification slots. Exceptions may be made via the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method.

## ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible for selection by an NPC, athletes must:

- be ranked on the World Triathlon Paralympic Qualification Ranking as of tbd, 2021;
- be internationally classified with either a ‘Confirmed’ sport class status, or a ‘Review with a Fixed Review Date’ sport class status with a review date after 31 December 2021.
**MAXIMUM ENTRY PER NPC**

An NPC can enter a maximum of two (2) eligible athletes per medal event. Exceptions may be made via the Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation method. Each entry must be made in the medal event for which the qualification slot was obtained.

**QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

In accordance with World Triathlon regulations, eligible athletes in certain sport classes have the opportunity to obtain a qualification slot in a medal event for a different (higher) sport class. For this purpose World Triathlon establishes designated Paralympic Qualification Rankings. These common rankings will be structured as follows:

- PTWC in both genders: comprising both classes PTWC1 and PTWC2;
- PTVI in both genders: comprising the classes PTVI1, PTVI2 and PTVI3;
- Men's PTS4: also including athletes from classes PTS2 and PTS3;
- Men's PTS5: including only athletes from class PTS5;
- Women's PTS2: including only athletes from class PTS2;
- Women's PTS5: also including athletes from classes PTS3 and PTS4.

The distribution of allocation slots is detailed in the following table:

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<th>Paralympic Ranking</th>
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Qualification slots will be allocated as follows:

- **Method**
  - World Triathlon Paralympic Qualification Ranking Allocation
  - The top nine (9) ranked male athletes (not otherwise qualified) on the World Triathlon Paralympic Qualification Ranking as of tbd, 2021 within each medal event, each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC up to the maximum quota for the respective medal event.
  - The top nine (9) ranked female athletes (not otherwise qualified) on the World Triathlon Paralympic Qualification Ranking as of tbd, 2021 within each medal event, each obtain one (1) qualification slot for their NPC up to the maximum quota for the respective medal event.
If the Paralympic Qualification Rankings are exhausted for a specific medal event, the non-allocated slots will be distributed through the Bipartite Commission Allocation Method and become gender-free slots.

| **Bipartite Commission Invitation Allocation** | Eligible athletes will be considered by the IPC and World Triathlon for Bipartite Commission Invitation qualification slots. |
| | Should the host nation not qualify at least one (1) male and one (1) female athlete via the above method in any given medal event, Bipartite invitations will be offered to the host nation without a request in any given class to ensure the possibility of both genders being represented. |
| | The Bipartite slots may be allocated to any eligible athlete amongst the received requests, no matter the gender or the medal event. |
| | To be considered for a Bipartite slot, NPCs must submit an official application in writing to World Triathlon by tbd, 2021. |

| **Total** | 80 athletes |

**TIMELINE**

- **28 June 2019**: Start of the period for athletes to attain performances to be recorded on the World Triathlon Male and Female Paralympic Qualification Rankings. World Triathlon may exceptionally include Continental Championships' results that have occurred outside, but no later than the end of the qualification period;

- **16 March 2020**: Suspension of the period due to the COVID-19 outbreak for athletes to attain performances to be recorded on the World Triathlon Male and Female Paralympic Qualification Rankings.

- **Tbd**: Restart of the period due to the COVID-19 outbreak for athletes to attain performances to be recorded on the World Triathlon Male and Female Paralympic Qualification Rankings.
2021, tbd  Start of the Bipartite Commission Invitation application process
14 May 2021  Deadline for Tokyo 2020 Organising Committee to receive accreditation application forms submitted by NPCs (“Accreditation Long List”)
2021, tbd  End of the period for athletes to attain performances to be recorded on the World Triathlon Paralympic Qualification Rankings
2021, tbd  Deadline for NPCs to submit applications for Bipartite Commission Invitations
2021, tbd  World Triathlon notifies in writing to the NPCs the allocation of qualification slots and Bipartite Invitations
2021, tbd  NPCs confirm in writing to World Triathlon the use of allocated qualification and Bipartite Invitations
2021, tbd  World Triathlon confirms in writing to the NPCs the reallocation of all unused qualification and Bipartite Commission Invitation slots
2 August 2021  Deadline for Tokyo 2020 Organising Committee to receive sport entry forms submitted by NPCs

CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF ALLOCATED SLOTS
By tbd, 2021 each NPC must confirm to World Triathlon in writing (via email) the number of qualification slots they will use. NPCs that have not replied by this date will have lost their slots and World Triathlon may reallocate them.

By tbd, 2021 World Triathlon will confirm in writing the reallocation of all unused qualification slots.

By tbd, 2021 it is officially declared that the respective NPCs will use the allocated slots for the Tokyo 2020 Paralympic Games. Any NPC that does not use its allocated slots may be subject to sanctions by IPC and World Triathlon.

REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUALIFICATION SLOTS
Any qualification slot not used by an NPC will be reallocated to the next highest ranked athlete in the respective medal event (not otherwise qualified) on the Paralympic Qualification Ranking closing tbd, 2021.
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