

WORLD TRIATHLON QUALIFICATION RULES AND PROCEDURES

Covid-19 adjustments

1. Start List and Waiting List management procedures of postponed events:

- 1.1. Start Lists and Waiting Lists will be cleared, and all affected athletes / NFs will be informed via email by the World Triathlon entries team.
- 1.2. If the announcement of the New Date of the event is made 45 days or more before the competition day, the timelines for creation of the Start Lists, the replacements and the invitations will remain as outlined in the [Qualification Rules and Procedures](#).
- 1.3. If the announcement of the new date is made 44 days or less before the competition day, such communication will include the new timelines of the Start List creation, the replacements and the invitation decision.

2. Consequences of event cancellation/postponement on other scheduled World Triathlon events:

- 2.1. Athletes from cancelled / postponed events are allowed to be entered to events for which Start Lists have already been produced.
- 2.2. For events where the Start Lists are full the following exceptions will be applied:
 - a.) In case the Start List can be increased, 20% of the additional spots will be kept for invitations at the discretion of World Triathlon.
 - b.) Non-penalised replacements are allowed at any World Triathlon event in the 7 days after the announcement of any event cancellation or postponement. It may happen that such a 7-day period starts again before the previous one has finished.
 - c.) The Waiting Lists will be re-sorted according to the current World Rankings every Monday. This will result in the better ranked athletes moving up on the Waiting Lists, even if they were entered late.
- 2.3. Penalties will not be applied in the case of withdrawals due to the consequences of Covid-19 (visa rejection, new areas infected, travel restrictions or other). Evaluation of such reasons will be at the discretion of World Triathlon management.

All these adjustments will be in place until further notice.