

2022 Duel in the Pool Athlete Selection Procedures

Eligibility Requirements

Only athletes who meet the following criteria are eligible for selection to the Team USA roster:

1. Athletes must hold a valid U.S. Passport, not expiring before December 31, 2022
2. Athletes must be a member of USA Swimming
3. Athletes must have an international sport class for physical impairments (S1-10, SB1-9, SM1-10) with a sport class status of Review, Review + FRD, or Confirmed
4. Athletes must have a current 2022 IPC License
5. Athletes must meet the COVID-19 requirements to enter Australia
6. Athletes must obtain a VISA to enter Australia

Team Selection:

U.S. Para Swimming will field a team of four (4) athletes with physical impairments, two (2) males and (2) females, that will comprise the fastest Mixed 34-point freestyle relays. Results from the 2022 Para Swimming World Series Indianapolis, 2022 World Para Swimming Championships, and any USA Swimming LCM sanctioned meets between April 1 and June 19th will be considered for the relay slots.

Athletes competing at USA Swimming LCM sanctioned events must submit official results to Erin Popovich by June 20th for consideration.

Athletes must apply for the Duel in the Pool Selection by completing the application below and submitting it no later than June 20th, 2022, at 5:00pm Mountain time.

Selection Committee

The selection committee will be comprised of the following individuals:

- Director, U.S. Para Swimming
- Associate Director, U.S. Para Swimming
- AAC Representative

Event Entries:

Athletes selected will be required to compete in all para events in the Duel in the Pool meet format, max of six (6) events total. These additional events will be announced at a later date. Any athlete not willing to participate in all six (6) events will not be eligible for selection.

Notification:

Athletes will receive notification of their selection to the team on or before June 24, 2022.

All athletes must accept or decline their spot by 5:00 pm Mountain time on June 27, 2022.

Participation Requirements:

- Athletes selected for the relay positions must share their performance plans with U.S. Para Swimming for the months leading up to the Duel in the Pool to maintain they will be in top physical shape at the time of the event.
- Athletes are required to abide by all event and USOPC COVID-19 protocols, including testing if applicable.
- Athletes are required to abide by the U.S. Paralympics Code of Conduct.
- Athletes aged 18 or older will be required to undergo a background screen in accordance with the current USOPC Background Check Policy.
- Athletes aged 18 or older as of the last day of competition will be required to complete the U.S. Center for SafeSport's online training.

Application for Team USA Roster

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Name: _____

Club Team: _____ Coach: _____

Sport Class: S _____ SB _____ SM _____ Sport Class Status _____

Name and Date of Competition to be considered for selection (official results must be submitted with application from any USA Swimming event):

100m Freestyle Result:

Summer 2022 Training Plans:

Athlete Signature

Date