



PENTATHLON CANADA  
Internal Nomination Process (INP)  
UIPM Junior, U19, U17, U15 World Championships  
UIPM Junior, U19, U17, U15 Competitions

This document outlines the policies for Pentathlon Canada's Youth National Team selection and competition qualification requirements.

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## **Introduction**

For clarifications or questions on the content of the INPs, please contact the Pentathlon Canada HPD at [ian.soellner@gmail.com](mailto:ian.soellner@gmail.com). Policy amendments due to unforeseen competition scheduled disruptions will be communicated to Pentathlon Canada members.

## **Pentathlon Canada Junior National Team Selection**

- Standards and criteria captured in the NT Selection Policy must be satisfied.

### **Junior World Championship Selection Criteria**

- Athletes must have met the Pentathlon Canada Junior National Team standard.
- Athletes must be in the 'athlete pool.'
- Number of selected athletes is based on the available individual spots per gender.
- Number of selected athletes is based on the available relay events.
- Selection is based on the following in priority order:
  - Athlete selection order is based on their ranking using the highest pentathlon score achieved by the athletes at a Junior UIPM sanctioned International Competition or a sanctioned Pentathlon Canada event, within the previous 12 months from the time of submission of Entry Form A.
  - In the event of a tie in scores, the international score will be the priority score over a sanctioned Pentathlon Canada event score.
  - In the event of a tie in international competition scores the second highest score of each athlete will determine the selection priority.
  - In the event of a tie in scores that occurred in the same competition the athlete with the best result in the Laser-Run will be placed in the higher position. If the tie remains, the athlete with the best result in the immediately previous phase (obstacle, fencing or swimming), and so on will be placed in the higher position.

### **Junior Competition Selection Criteria**

- Athletes must have met the Pentathlon Canada Junior Development Team standard.
- Athletes must be in the 'athlete pool.'
- Selection is based on the following in priority order:
  - Athlete selection order is based on their ranking using the highest pentathlon score achieved by the athletes at a Junior UIPM sanctioned International Competition or a sanctioned Pentathlon Canada event, within the previous 12 months from the time of submission of Entry Form A.
  - In the event of a tie in scores the international score will be the priority score over a sanctioned Pentathlon Canada event score.
  - In the event of a tie in international competition scores the second highest score of each athlete will determine the selection priority.
  - In the event of a tie in scores that occurred in the same competition the athlete with the best result in the Laser-Run will be placed in the higher position. If the tie remains, the athlete with the best result in the immediately previous phase (obstacle, fencing or swimming), and so on will be placed in the higher position.

### Pentathlon Canada U19 National Team Selection

- Standards and criteria captured in the NT Selection Policy must be satisfied.

#### U19 World Championship Selection Criteria

- Athletes must have met the Pentathlon Canada U19 National Team standard.
- Athletes must be in the 'athlete pool.'
- Number of selected athletes is based on the available individual spots per gender.
- Number of selected athletes is based on the available relay events.
- Selection is based on the following in priority order:
  - Athlete selection order is based on their ranking using the highest pentathlon score achieved by the athletes at a U19 UIPM sanctioned International Competition or a sanctioned Pentathlon Canada event, within the previous 12 months from the time of submission of Entry Form A.
  - In the event of a tie in scores, the international score will be the priority score over a sanctioned Pentathlon Canada event score.
  - In the event of a tie in international competition scores the second highest score of each athlete will determine the selection priority.
  - In the event of a tie in scores that occurred in the same competition the athlete with the best result in the Laser-Run will be placed in the higher position. If the tie remains, the athlete with the best result in the immediately previous phase (obstacle, fencing or swimming), and so on will be placed in the higher position.

#### U19 Competition Selection Criteria

- Athletes must have met the Pentathlon Canada U19 Development Team standard.
- Athletes must be in the 'athlete pool.'
- Selection is based on the following in priority order:
  - Athlete selection order is based on their ranking using the highest pentathlon score achieved by the athletes at a U19 UIPM sanctioned International Competition or a sanctioned Pentathlon Canada event, within the previous 12 months from the time of submission of Entry Form A.
  - In the event of a tie in scores the international score will be the priority score over a sanctioned Pentathlon Canada event score.
  - In the event of a tie in international competition scores the second highest score of each athlete will determine the selection priority.
  - In the event of a tie in scores that occurred in the same competition the athlete with the best result in the Laser-Run will be placed in the higher position. If the tie remains, the athlete with the best result in the immediately previous phase (obstacle, fencing or swimming), and so on will be placed in the higher position.

### **Pentathlon Canada U17 National Team Selection**

- Standards and criteria captured in the NT Selection Policy must be satisfied.

#### **U17 World Championship Selection Criteria**

- Athletes must have met the Pentathlon Canada U17 National Team standard.
- Athletes must be in the 'athlete pool.'
- Number of selected athletes is based on the available individual spots per gender.
- Number of selected athletes is based on the available relay events.
- Selection is based on the following in priority order:
  - Athlete selection order is based on their ranking using the highest pentathlon score achieved by the athletes at a U17 UIPM sanctioned International Competition or a sanctioned Pentathlon Canada event, within the previous 12 months from the time of submission of Entry Form A.
  - In the event of a tie in scores the international score will be the priority score over a sanctioned Pentathlon Canada event score.
  - In the event of a tie in international competition scores the second highest score of each athlete will determine the selection priority.
  - In the event of a tie in scores that occurred in the same competition the athlete with the best result in the Laser-Run will be placed in the higher position. If the tie remains, the athlete with the best result in the immediately previous phase (obstacle, fencing or swimming), and so on will be placed in the higher position.

#### **U17 Competition Selection Criteria**

- Athletes must have met the Pentathlon Canada U17 Development Team standard.
- Athletes must be in the 'athlete pool.'
- Selection is based on the following in priority order:
  - Athlete selection order is based on their ranking using the highest pentathlon score achieved by the athletes at a U17 UIPM sanctioned International Competition or a sanctioned Pentathlon Canada event, within the previous 12 months from the time of submission of Entry Form A.
  - In the event of a tie in scores the international score will be the priority score over a sanctioned Pentathlon Canada event score.
  - In the event of a tie in international competition scores the second highest score of each athlete will determine the selection priority.
  - In the event of a tie in scores that occurred in the same competition the athlete with the best result in the Laser-Run will be placed in the higher position. If the tie remains, the athlete with the best result in the immediately previous phase (obstacle, fencing or swimming), and so on will be placed in the higher position.

## **Pentathlon Canada U15 National Team Selection**

- Standards and criteria captured in the NT Selection Policy must be satisfied.

### **U15 World Championship Selection Criteria**

- Athletes must have met the Pentathlon Canada U15 National Team standard.
- Athletes must be in the 'athlete pool.'
- Number of selected athletes is based on the available individual spots per gender.
- Number of selected athletes is based on the available relay events.
- Selection is based on the following in priority order:
  - Athlete selection order is based on their ranking using the highest 4-discipline pentathlon score (no fencing) achieved by the athletes at a U15 UIPM sanctioned International Competition or a sanctioned Pentathlon Canada event, within the previous 12 months from the time of submission of Entry Form A.
  - In the event of a tie in scores the international score will be the priority score over a sanctioned Pentathlon Canada event score.
  - In the event of a tie in international competition scores the second highest score of each athlete will determine the selection priority.
  - In the event of a tie in scores that occurred in the same competition the athlete with the best result in the Laser-Run will be placed in the higher position. If the tie remains, the athlete with the best result in the immediately previous phase (obstacle or swimming), and so on will be placed in the higher position.

### **U15 Competition Selection Criteria**

- Athletes must have met the Pentathlon Canada U15 Development Team standard.
- Athletes must be in the 'athlete pool.'
- Selection is based on the following in priority order:
  - Athlete selection order is based on their ranking using the highest 4-discipline pentathlon score (no fencing) achieved by the athletes at a U15 UIPM sanctioned International Competition or a sanctioned Pentathlon Canada event, within the previous 12 months from the time of submission of Entry Form A.
  - In the event of a tie in scores the international score will be the priority score over a sanctioned Pentathlon Canada event score.
  - In the event of a tie in international competition scores the second highest score of each athlete will determine the selection priority.
  - In the event of a tie in scores that occurred in the same competition the athlete with the best result in the Laser-Run will be placed in the higher position. If the tie remains, the athlete with the best result in the immediately previous phase (obstacle or swimming), and so on will be placed in the higher position.