

# Östersund 2020 World Para Biathlon Championships, Sweden

## Qualification Guide

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### MEDAL EVENTS (18)

<b>BIATHLON Sprint</b>
<b>6km (Women and Men)</b> - Sitting
<b>7.5km (Women and Men)</b> - Standing - Visually Impaired
<b>BIATHLON Middle Distance</b>
<b>10km (Women and Men)</b> - Sitting
<b>12.5km (Women and Men)</b> - Standing - Visually Impaired
<b>BIATHLON Individual</b>
<b>12.5km (Women and Men)</b> - Sitting
<b>15km (Women and Men)</b> - Standing - Visually Impaired

## ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

### Athletes must:

- Hold a valid WPNS Licence for the 2019/2020 season
- Have earned WPNS points in 2019/2020 season.  
*Note: If the athlete meets all other criteria but fails to earn WPNS points due to medical or other extraordinary circumstances a bipartite request can be submitted by the NPC to the WPNS STC for review. Not all requests are guaranteed to be approved.*
- Be at least fifteen (15) years old by 5 March 2020
- Be internationally classified with either a '**Confirmed**' sport class status or a 'Review 2020' or later sport class status.

## DATES / PROCESS FOR CONFIRMATION AND ASSOCIATED TIMELINES

1	Each NPC must submit to World Para Nordic Skiing per email confirmation of participation. Document will be sent to NPCs by email on this date:	12 August 2019
2	Each NPC must return document “NPC Confirmation of participation“ by email to <a href="mailto:info@WorldParaNordicSkiing.org">info@WorldParaNordicSkiing.org</a>	19 September 2019
3	<b>Opening</b> of online registration system for Entry (by Number)	2 December 2019
4	<b>Opening</b> of online Accreditation (incl. accommodation and arrivals & departures)	2 December 2019
5	<b>Closing</b> of online registration system for Entry (by Number) NOTE : - World Championships fee will be charged based on Entry by Number; - Pre-Booking of accommodation for teams will be done based on Entry by Number.	16 January 2020
6	World Para Nordic Skiing will publish Ranking and Point list.	14 February 2020
7	<b>Opening</b> of online registration system for Entry (by Name)	17 February 2020
8	<b>Opening</b> of online system for Bipartite requests	17 February 2020
9	<b>Closing</b> of online Accreditation (incl. accommodation and arrivals & departures)	02 March 2020
10	<b>Closing</b> of online registration system for Entry (by Name)	02 March 2020
11	<b>Closing</b> of online system for Bipartite requests	02 March 2020

### Online entry process:

- The online entry system can be access via the following link:  
<http://www.paralympic.org/entries>
- The log-in details are the same username and password used for SDMS account.
- If you do not have access to the SDMS/Entries system, please contact your NPC. The NPC will be able to make the online entry on your behalf.
- Detailed instructions for the online entry process can be found [here](#).