

# Fazza 13<sup>th</sup> Para Powerlifting 2024 World Cup

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**Dear National Paralympic Committees,  
Dear National Federations,**

The Fazza 13th Para Powerlifting World Cup edition unleash the return of world class sporting activity for the year 2024 to be a renewed from Dubai, United Arab Emirates, for world athletes to achieve their goals.

The challenge is one of the characteristics of the people of the Emirates, and people of determination are an important and complementary part of this framework, and by this they prove to the world that the impossible does not exist here, so no pandemic, problem or barrier can stand in front of our determination to achieve the desired future.

To all world champions, we say welcome to the homeland of challenge and in the source of happiness and in the space of the impossible. Welcome again and again to Dubai arenas and halls of the Dubai Club for People of Determination with new hope and renewed energy.

The UAE salutes you, and Dubai welcomes you, and the Dubai Club for People of Determination opens its stadiums for your concerns, which have no limits.  
Welcome to creativity ... to convergence ... to love.



**Thani Juma Berregad**  
**LOC - President**  
**Dubai Club for the People of Determination**

The Fazza 13th Para Powerlifting World Cup, for People of Determination coming 2024 carries a lot of innovation and renewal, and we know very well that there is a challenge in organizing these Championships in this exceptional year, in which the world is witnessing the pandemic.

Our country only accepts to move forward, and because our wise leadership instilled innovation and challenge in us, we quote from them their inspiring words that motivate us to develop and innovate. The directives of the sponsor of these championships, His Highness Sheikh / Hamdan bin Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Crown Prince of Dubai and Chairman of the Dubai Executive Council, were clear to all of us since the first version of the need for development and innovation, as it was to support His Highness Sheikh Mansour bin Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Chairman of the Dubai Sports Council The positive impact on continuing to organize championships, despite the challenges. The Fazza 14th Para Powerlifting World Cup for People of Determination will be an icon of global Paralympic sports and to reach the world through the Dubai Gate. In Dubai, different civilizations meet to blend into one harmonious fabric that reflects the extent of harmony and rapprochement between peoples.

Welcome all to your second country and among your brothers...



**Majid Al- Usaimi**  
**LOC – General Manager**  
**Dubai Club for the People of Determination**



## **1. General Information**

### **1.1. IPC Membership**

The Organizing Committee will only accept entries submitted by the NPC / NF in good standing with the IPC. Furthermore, only those entries submitted by the NPC President, Secretary General, or authorized person will be processed. For further information on the IPC's membership policies or to address general membership issues, please contact the World Para Powerlifting office: [info@WorldParaPowerlifting.org](mailto:info@WorldParaPowerlifting.org)

### **1.2. World Para Powerlifting Rules and Regulations**

The most current World Para Powerlifting Rules and Regulations published upon the website [www.paralympic.org/powerlifting/rules](http://www.paralympic.org/powerlifting/rules) alongside the World Para Powerlifting Qualification Pathway 2020-2024 will apply for this competition.

### **1.3. Anti-Doping**

The Anti-Doping control / processes will be carried out in full accordance with the IPC Anti-Doping Code and the IPC Doping Control Agreement, further details can be found on the website: [www.paralympic.org/powerlifting/rules-and-regulations/anti-doping](http://www.paralympic.org/powerlifting/rules-and-regulations/anti-doping)

### **1.4. Classification**

The most current World Para Powerlifting Classification Rules and Regulations published upon the website will apply for this competition. All athletes who have a designated sport class status of New, Review, Review 2022 or earlier will be required to undergo International Classification prior to the start of the competition. A detailed classification schedule will follow after the revision of the final entries .



### 1.5. Medical Information

The LOC will ensure the implementation of all necessary and appropriate on-site medical, emergency ambulance, first aid, and physiotherapeutic services throughout the Event.

For medical treatment, no medical insurances will be provided to any participant during the Championships.

### 1.6. Participant Insurance

Each respective NPC is fully responsible to ensure that all members of their delegation are appropriately insured, including coverage for travel, medical, liability, accidents, Covid 19 and repatriation.

## 1. 2. World Cup Information

### 2.1. Competition Dates

The dates for the Dubai 2024 World Cup are as follows:

Teams Arrival	25th , 26th ,27th February
Courses (Technical Officials, Coaching, Classification)	25 th , 26th ,27th February
Training Opens	26th February
International Classification	26th -27th February
Raise the Bar! Anti-Doping online Seminar	27 th February
Technical Meeting	27th February
Weigh-in for BW of the 1st competition day	28th February
Opening Ceremony	29th February
Competition Dates	29th February to 6th March
Teams Departures	7th March





## **2.2. Preliminary Programme**

The Provisional timetable and events programme will be provided after the final entries by name deadline. The competition schedule will remain subject to change until the close of the technical meeting.

### **1. 2.3. Number of entries per event per NPC**

#### **2.3.1. Individual Event**

In accordance with the most current World Para Powerlifting Technical Rules and Regulations published upon the [website Para Powerlifting Rules and Regulations \(paralympic.org\)](https://www.paralympic.org)

#### **2.3.2. Team Events (Gender and Mixed)**

In accordance with the most current World Para Powerlifting Technical Rules and Regulations published upon the website.

## **2.4. Event viability**

Athletes may compete and/or be awarded medals in a single Bodyweight Category or combined categories as detailed below:

- a) 3 or more Athletes: All medals will be awarded (Gold, Silver, Bronze)
- b) MS rule: when there is one (1) athlete in a single bodyweight category and they lift equal to or more than the respective level MS for that bodyweight category as published in the Appendix 10 (Gold).

## **2.5. Entries and Registration Process**

In order for athlete entries to be accepted, they must meet the following criteria and deadlines:





### **2.5.1. Athlete Eligibility**

- Be fully registered on the IPC Sport Management System (SDMS) with the correct documentation (IPC Eligibility Form and Medical Diagnostic Form) completed fully, signed, and uploaded to the athlete profile;
- Have an active license for the 2024 Season;
- Be a minimum of 15 year of age by 31 December 2024;
- Have an international classification status of New, Review, Review + Fixed Date or Confirmed

### **2.5.2. Entries and Registration Process**

All competition entries must be completed via the IPC Online entry system at SDMS ([ipc-services.org](http://ipc-services.org)) by the entry deadlines displayed below. Visa invitations, accommodation applications, accreditation applications, and travel information must be submitted by no later than the deadlines published below.

### **2.5.3. Late entries**

Team must contact the office if there is a late entry request. All respective information provided by the NPC/NF will be reviewed in consultation with the LOC on a 'case by case' basis and the entry may be accepted/rejected accordingly .

### **2.5.4. Replacements**

The office must be informed if an NPC/NF needs to make a replacement. The replacement of athletes may be accepted due to injury or medical reasons. All respective supporting information regarding the replacement must be sent to the office and will be reviewed on a 'case by case' bases and accepted/rejected accordingly.

### **2.5.5. Declaration of Participation**

By completing and submitting sport entries, NPCs are considered to have officially declared the participation of their athletes in the specified events/categories.



### 2.5.6. Final Entry Process

All final entries (by name and bodyweight category) must be completed by **15th January 2024**. Please note that after this deadline no changes to the final entries and or final team delegation be accepted unless under exceptional circumstances. Please note that any decisions concerning this matter will be made and are not open for further contest or appeal by any other organization or body. Changes of bodyweight category after 15th January 2024 will only be possible during the verification process at a cost of 100 Euros to be paid to WPPO.

### 2.5.7. Online Entry System and registration process

The competition and registration process and timelines are outlined below. Athlete entries will only be accepted via the IPC Online Entry System within the published entry deadlines

Entry by Number and Names opens	6 <sup>th</sup> November
Final Deadline for Visa application to LOC:	<b>01<sup>st</sup> February 2024</b>
Accreditation System Opens	<b>15<sup>th</sup> January 2024</b>
Entry by Number Close	15 <sup>th</sup> January
Final Online Entry by Name deadline:	15 <sup>th</sup> January
Final Deadline to Return: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Accommodation Application</li><li>• Travel Information</li><li>• Complete Online Accreditation Application</li></ul>	05 <sup>th</sup> of February 2024
Full Accommodation Payment Deadline	10 <sup>th</sup> of February 2024

**Accommodations will not be reserved by the LOC until full payment is received**

## 2.6. Random Weigh-in

According to the WPPO Rules and Regulations Random Weigh-ins of the Athletes may take place in the day of the Event in advance of the warm-up for the specific Bodyweight Category at the discretion of WPPO. Should an Athlete weigh outside of a percentage of their specific Bodyweight Category they will be disqualified (DSQ) from the Event.

The percentage is set to 5% of the specific Bodyweight Category.

Gender	Body weight Category (B.W.C.)	Minimum Random Weigh in change	Maximum Random Weigh in change
Men	49		51.5
	54	46.6	56.7
	59	51.4	62.0
	65	56.1	68.3
	72	61.8	75.6
	80	68.5	84.0
	88	76.1	92.4
	97	83.7	101.9
	107	92.2	112.4

Gender	Body weight Category (B.W.C.)	Minimum Random Weigh in change	Maximum Random Weigh in change
Women	41		43.1
	45	39.0	47.3
	50	42.8	52.5
	55	47.6	57.8
	61	52.3	64.1
	67	58	70.4
	73	63.7	76.7
	79	69.4	83.0
	86	75.1	90.3



## **2.7. Lift Challenge Cards**

Lift Challenge cards can be purchased on the WPPO Competition Portal via Paypal from 3 weeks prior the start of the World Cup until the 1st competition day (28 February 2024).

## **2.8. Results**

Only results of athletes who have active license for the 2024 Season within the given timelines for results recognition and have a sport class status of Review, Review 2024 or later or confirmed will be taken into consideration.

No hard copy (printing) results per NPC will be distributed as it will be able to download and check the Live Results on the WPPO website <https://www.paralympic.org/powerlifting/live-results>

After the close of the competition the official competition results book(s) will be compiled and it will be uploaded to the competition website.

## **2.9. Rankings**

All recognized results in accordance with the above will also be updated on WPPO website in the official WPPO 2024 World and Regional ranking lists. The results of athletes meeting the Qualification pathway requirements will be included in the Preliminary Paralympic Ranking List.

## **2.10. Records**

It will be permitted for athletes to break records in accordance with the most current WPPO Technical Rules and Regulations.

## **3. COVID-19**

Current regulations can be found: <https://www.emirates.com/English/help/covid-19/>

#### 4. Accommodation

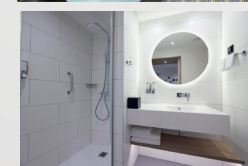
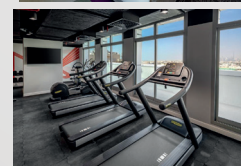
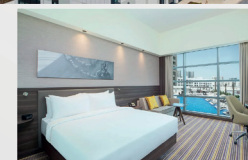
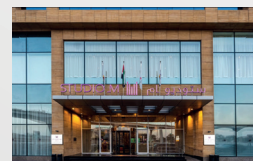
The Studio M & Hampton by Hilton is the official hotel of all athletes and team officials during the Championships. The hotel offers accommodation in wheelchair friendly single, twin and triple rooms. Training & competition will take place at the Dubai Club For People Of Determination. Due to Protocol, health& Safety procedure, the Studio M & Hampton by Hilton is the only official hotel for all the Athletes and officials during the World Cup.

**Note:** All Accommodation booking have to be done through the LOC.

##### 4.1. Type and cost of the room:

Official hotel(s)	
Hotel Name	Studio M & Hampton by Hilton
Address	Al Nahda Road, Dubai, UAE
Rooms available	Single and Double
Wheelchair Adapted rooms	Yes
Official Portal LINK	<a href="https://dubaiparaevents.ae">https://dubaiparaevents.ae</a>

- Hotel : Studio M [www.millenniumhotels.com](http://www.millenniumhotels.com)
- Hotel : Hampton by Hilton [www.hilton.com](http://www.hilton.com)



Please note that the room discounted price, is applicable for payment before the deadline. Which is 25th of January, from 26th of January onwards the full price will be charge as well as request for payment upon arrival.

Room Type	Price Before 25th of January	Price from 26th of January
Single room	230 USD	250 USD
Double room	440 USD	485 USD

#### 4.1. Check-in / Out Times:

The check-in time at the official hotel is from 4pm onwards and the check-out time is until latest 12pm. Teams who arrive before midnight when their check-in is the following day will have to pay for an extra night as well as those arriving before 12pm.

Teams will get their meals according to the below:

- Breakfast in the Hotel: 0700 – 10:30
- Lunch in the Hotel: 12:30 – 15:00
- Dinner in the Hotel: 19:00 – 22:30

Teams that arrange and pay the accommodation fee for early check-in and/or a late check-out will have access to meals provided at the host hotel during the scheduled dining times.



#### 4.2. Payment procedures

Full accommodation fees must be transferred to the following bank account, by no later than **10th February 2024**. Please note that room bookings will only be reserved and allocated to teams when the accommodation payment has been received in full.

No refund payment request will be accepted from the LOC for any cancelation or changes after the deadline **10th February 2024**

If accommodation is requested after the final payment deadline, please note that availability in the official hotel cannot be guaranteed, and the prices may differ.

All hotel booking form and payment transfers receipt to be send to: [msaadeldin@dcd.org.ae](mailto:msaadeldin@dcd.org.ae)

Account Name	Dubai Club for People of Determination
Bank Name	Dubai Islamic Bank
Branch Name	Dubai Main Branch
Account Number	001520726988901
Swift-Code	DUIBAEAD
IBAN	AE95 0240 0015 2072 6988 901

**Any extra charges and/or fee that may apply to booked rooms other than accommodation (such as laundry, room service, long-distance call, minibar) are each NPCs responsibility. Any damage to the room and the hotel fixtures, fittings, and furnishings will be the responsibility of the NPC and will be charged accordingly.**





### 4.3. Cancellation Policy

- Full payment due 10th February 2024
  - Cancellation: Full payment refunded before 05th February 2024
  - No payment refunded on or after 10th February 2024 (For cancellation participation, changes of dates, decrease of nights and / or number of reserved rooms - except athlete injury). If cancellation is due athlete injury a completed Medical Withdrawal form must be submitted to the LOC and WPPO. No cancellation fee is applicable before 10th February 2024
- 50% of payment will be refunded if cancellations are made between 01th to 05th February 2024

### 6. Transportation

Transportation will be provided free of charge to all athletes and team officials from/to the official competition airport, Dubai International Airport and the official hotel on the official arrival and departure days. Teams will be greeted by an LOC volunteer to help ensure they are delivered to the host hotel in a timely and safe manner. The distance between Dubai international Airport and the competition hotel driving by bus or car needs 10 minutes. The competition and training venue is in the same competition venue at Dubai Club For People Of Determination.

**The LOC will have staff for meet and greet at the airport.**

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3	Transportation	Essam Mohamed	+971 509262644



## 7. VISA

For those delegation members who require visas to enter the UAE please visit the WEBSITE to determine what type of visa is required. All NPC's that require a visa must complete the Visa Form and provide a passport copy of each individual delegation member and submit it to the LOC .

To. Mr.Ashraf Ghobash

Email to: [aghobash@dcd.org.ae](mailto:aghobash@dcd.org.ae) .

The LOC will issue the visa to the participants upon their request via email.

To obtain your visa you must:

- Upload passport copy as (pdf, JPG, JPEG) format. And clear passport size picture.
- Passport should be valid at least for 6 months from the date of your departure.
- Mobile photos are not acceptable.
- Visa fees of (110) USD.

**Note:** Residents of the following countries have to submit a copy of their National ID: Iraq, Yemen, Iran, Pakistan, Afghanistan and Tunisia

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