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**Tlaxcala 2026 WPA Grand Prix – 12° Abierto Mexicano de Para Atletismo**

**July 17<sup>th</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

Tlaxcala, México

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## 1. LOC welcoming

Dear Para Athletics community,

It is our pleasure to welcome you all to our 5<sup>th</sup> Grand Prix in a row; since our inclusion as a WPA GP host, we have always been committed to host world class events that allow young athletes to begin their journey and elite athletes to keep reaching outstanding performances.

NPC Mexico and our nation will always have the hearts open to you and are honoured to be the host of such remarkable people. Please give your best effort but also enjoy being in one of the warmest nations on earth.

Bienvenidos a México, están en su casa.  
Miguel Ángel García Meza, NPC President.

## 2. Organization

This is a World Para Athletics (WPA) event, organized by Comité Paralímpico Mexicano (COPAME) and supported by the Comisión Nacional de Cultura Física y Deporte (CONADE) and Instituto del Deporte de Tlaxcala (IDET).

## 3. Key contacts

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### Local Organising Committee (LOC)

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#### 4. Hosting city information

Location	Apizaco, Tlaxcala, Mexico
Population	1,342,977 million
Climate	<a href="https://smn.conagua.gob.mx/es/">https://smn.conagua.gob.mx/es/</a>
Local time	GMT-6
Electricity	Type A and B / 127V
International calls	+52
Currency	Mexican peso

#### 5. Traveling to Tlaxcala

Tlaxcala does not have an international airport, but the official airport for the Event will be the **Aeropuerto Internacional de la Ciudad de México (AICM)**.

The LOC will arrange local transportation from the airport during the training and competition dates as detailed in the section "Local transportation".

We encourage all participants to visit the following link to check if they are required a visa to enter Mexico. If required, please reach out to the LOC.

<https://www.inm.gob.mx/gobmx/word/index.php/paises-requieren-visa-para-mexico/>

#### 6. Key dates

24 April 2026	Registration starts
26 May 2026 (23:59 CEST)	Entry deadline
16 June 2026 (23:59 CEST)	Accreditation deadline
16 July 2026	Official arrivals
17-20 July 2026	Training and classification
21-24 July 2026	Competition
25 July 2026	Official departures

#### 7. Local Transportation

This service will be provided exclusively to participants staying at the defined hosting hotels as follows:

- **From the airport to the hosting hotels:** July 16<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup>.
- **To/from the hosting hotels and venue:** July 17<sup>th</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup>.
- **From the hosting hotels to the airport:** July 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>.

It is required that all NPCs/NFs submit the **Tlaxcala 2026 WPA Grand Prix - Arrivals and Departures Form** to the e-mail [gerenciadesarrollo@copame.org.mx](mailto:gerenciadesarrollo@copame.org.mx) no later than June 29<sup>th</sup> so that LOC can arrange transportation and make the Tlaxcala 2026 - Transportation Schedule Programme which will be shared with NPCs/NFs prior to their arrival.

The LOC will transport team's equipment (throwing frames, competition wheelchairs, javelins, shotputs, etc.) to the storage area of the competition venue.

For any inquiries regarding transportation, please reach out to the LOC email.

## **8. Accommodation**

The hosting hotels are listed in the document "**Tlaxcala 2026 WPA Grand Prix – Accommodation Package**".

## **9. Accreditation and entry fee**

Accreditation must be done by each NPC / NF through the IPC Accreditation system. World Para Athletics (WPA) will provide teams with more details regarding the accreditation process in due course. In the meantime, please be informed that:

- If any NPC / NF requires an invoice, they can request one by email [gerenciadesarrollo@copame.org.mx](mailto:gerenciadesarrollo@copame.org.mx).
- The LOC will only have communication with the official contact of each NPC/NF registered in the IPC system.
- Accreditations will be given to the Team Leader; entry fee must be covered.
- Access to the competition venue will be allowed only with accreditation.

### **Entry fees**

- Athletes: 120 USD
- Staff member: 90 USD
- Reimbursement: before June 16<sup>th</sup>, 2026, only 50%.
- Reimbursement: after June 16<sup>th</sup>, 2026, no reimbursement.

## **10. Sport entries**

Sport entries must be done by each NPC/NF through the IPC Online Entry System: <https://db.ipc-services.org/sdms/app/login>

## **11. Registration meeting**

The LOC will host a brief meeting with each Team Leader to ensure that:

- Sport entries are completed.
- Accommodation fee is paid.
- Accreditation fee is paid.
- Accreditations are given out.

## **12. Competition and training venue**

### **Centro de Atletismo “Una Nueva Historia”**

Address: Morelos 2, El Carmen, 90310 Santa Úrsula Zimatepec, Tlaxcala.

- Sportflex Super X720
- Date of installation: May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024
- End of validity: May 2029

## **13. Competition information**

The World Para Athletics Rules and Regulations will apply for this Event. This can be found via <https://www.paralympic.org/athletics/rules>

The Technical Meeting will be held on 20 July 2026 (time to be defined) at the competition venue. Only two representatives per NPC / NF will be allowed to attend.

- All questions for the Technical Meeting must be made in English and submitted to [info@worldparaathletics.org](mailto:info@worldparaathletics.org) no later than 3pm on 19 July 2026. A summary of all submitted questions and answers will be shared with the Team Leaders before the Technical Meeting.
- Start lists will be produced after the Technical Meeting and given to the Team Leaders.

## **14. International classification**

International Classification for athletes with a Physical Impairment (PI), Visual Impairment (VI) and Intellectual Impairment (II) will be offered.

All athletes entering the event with a New (N), Review (R) or with Fixed Review Date of 2026 (R-2026) or earlier will be required to undergo classification. To be eligible for classification, athletes need to be licensed for the 2026 season and entered in the IPC Online Entry System by the established deadline (26 May 2026).

World Para Athletics (WPA) will provide the Classification Schedule to the Local Organising Committee (LOC), which will be responsible for distributing it to each NPC / NF.

Please note that it is the responsibility of each Team Leader to ensure the athletes listed on the Classification Schedule are available for evaluation session at least 30 minutes prior to the assigned time, date and location. This allows sufficient time for the ID check as well as to review and sign the Athlete Evaluation Agreement Form.

Neither WPA nor the LOC can guarantee that all athletes will receive a classification slot. This is subject to the number of entered athletes requiring international classification.

### **15. Antidoping controls**

Controls will be conducted by Comité Nacional Antidopaje (CNA), which is the national body of the World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA).

Urine and/or blood samples will be collected by certified doping control officers, both in and out of competition.

Volunteers will be acting as chaperones and will chaperone the athlete to the sample collection station. The athlete will be required to present the accreditation before providing a sample.

### **16. Insurance**

Medical services will always be available at the competition venue in case of any incidents. However, please kindly note that it is the responsibility of each NPC / NF and participating athletes to attend the competition with insurance to cover higher costs and to have specific medical personnel.

### **17. Medical Attention**

#### **Hospital General de Tlaxcala – Lic. Anselmo Hernández**

- Address: Calle Doctores No. 1, 90606 San Matías Tepotomatitlán, Tlaxcala.
- Phone number: +52 246 415 0076
- Distance from competition venue: 11.5 km / 16 min

#### **Hospital San Francisco de Asís**

- Address: C. 5 de Febrero 913, Centro, 90300 Cdad. De Apizaco, Tlaxcala.
- Phone number: +52 241 417 1917
- Distance from competition venue: 1.7 km / 6 min

### **18. Publications**

Competition programme, start lists, results and live stream will be available on the NPC Mexico webpage: <https://www.copame.org.mx>

## 19. Competition programme

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