

USA SWIMMING

2019-2020 NATIONAL TEAM SELECTION CRITERIA

The intent of this document is to give athletes and coaches an overview of the 2019-2020 National Team selection criteria. Any questions can be directed to Lindsay Mintenko at lmintenko@usaswimming.org

GENERAL CRITERIA

- ❖ All team members must be registered USA Swimming members.
- ❖ The athlete must be eligible to represent the U.S. in International Competition.

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Team will be announced September 3, 2019

- ❖ The six athletes with the highest FINA.org World Rankings in individual Olympic Events from the combined results of all USA Swimming or FINA sanctioned meets.
- ❖ Relay lead-offs, time trials, swim-offs and intermediate splits will not be included.
- ❖ Times from Prelims, Semi-Finals and Finals (A, B, C and D) only will be used.
- ❖ Times from “approved meets” or “observed swims” will not be considered.
- ❖ The National Team roster will be selected according to the FINA.org world rankings as of September 3rd, 2019 at 8 am Mountain Time.
- ❖ Times swum from January 1, 2019 through, and including, August 25, 2019 will be considered for selection to the National Team roster.
- ❖ If an athlete’s time is not in the FINA.org world rankings it is up to the athlete to contact USA Swimming with a proof of time by August 31, 2019.