



## QUALIFICATION SYSTEM - 3RD EUROPEAN GAMES KRAKOW & MALOPOLSKA 2023

### INTERNATIONAL PADEL FEDERATION (FIP)

#### PADEL

#### A. EVENTS

Men's Events (2)	Women's Events (2)	Mixed Events (1)
Doubles	Doubles	Mixed Doubles

#### B. QUOTA PLACES

##### B.1 Total quota places for Padel

	Qualification Places	Host NOC Places	Total
Men	60	4	64
Women	60	4	64
<b>Total</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>128</b>

##### B.2. Maximum number of athletes per NOC

Event	Quota per NOC
Men	4
Women	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>8</b>

## **C. ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY**

### **C.1. Compliance with the Olympic Charter and other relevant rules**

All athletes must respect and comply with the provisions of the Olympic Charter currently in force, including but not limited to Rule 41 (Nationality of Competitors) and Rule 43 (World Anti-Doping Code and the Olympic Movement Code on the Prevention of Manipulation of Competitions).

Only those athletes who respect and comply with the Olympic Charter, the World Anti-Doping Code and the Olympic Movement Code on the Prevention of Manipulation of Competitions, including the conditions of participation established by the EOC and the rules of International Padel Federation, may participate in the 2023 European Games.

### **C.2. Age requirements**

All athletes participating in Padel events in the 2023 European Games must be born on or before 31 December 2007.

### **C.3. Additional International Padel Federation criteria**

To be eligible to participate in the 2023 European Games, the athletes must have a valid license issued by a FIP member federation and must have the nationality of the country they represent.

## **D. QUALIFICATION PATHWAY**

The qualification system allows for the participation of the best athletes through a fair and transparent process within the framework of the Olympic Charter.

### **D.1. Qualification Places**

The NOCs that qualified for the final phase of the World Padel Championships will qualify four (4) athletes (2 pairs) in the respective gender.

The NOCs that participated in the European qualification for the World Padel Championships 2022 will qualify two (2) athletes (1 pair) in the respective gender.



The NOCs that qualified for the final phase of the World Padel Championships will qualify four (4) athletes (2 pairs) for the mixed double competitions. Only the athletes entered in men's and women's events can participate in the mixed event.

## D.2. Host NOC Places

The host NOC will automatically qualify 4 male and 4 female athletes.

## E. CONFIRMATION PROCESS FOR QUOTA PLACES

The EOC will inform by email the respective NOCs of their allocated quota places by 31 January 2023.

By 15 February 2023, eligible NOCs must inform, by email, the EOC whether they intend to use the allocated quota places and participate at the 2023 European Games.

By 28 February 2023, the EOC, in agreement with the FIP, will reallocate all unused quota places.

## F. REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUOTA PLACES

Any unused quota place will be allocated to the next best ranked NOC according to the FIP criteria. This process will be repeated until all places are allocated.

## G. QUALIFICATION TIMELINE

Date	Milestone
31 January 2023	The EOC to confirm by email in writing to the NOCs the quota places obtained
15 February 2023	The NOCs confirm to the EOC by email the use of the allocated quota places.
28 February 2023	The EOC in agreement with the FIP to reallocate all unused quota places
2 June 2023	European Games 2023 Sport Entries Deadline
21 June - 2 July 2023	European Games 2023