

## **SPECIAL OLYMPICS BC POLICY MANUAL**

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The provincial body of Special Olympics BC has the sole right to grant, approve or accept quotas for all provincial level competitions or higher.

Regions have the authority to establish quotas for all regional Special Olympics BC competitions.

Locals have the authority to establish quotas for Special Olympics BC competitions at the Local level.

For Provincial Games and Championships, athletes must compete in a sanctioned qualifier for the sport they wish to advance in. Quota will be based on the number of athletes at that qualifier and not on the number of registered athletes in that sport in that Region.

For Provincial Games & Championships, once the registration deadline has passed, the host Region has the first option to fill unused quota.

Should quota still exist, other Regions will be given the opportunity to fill vacancies through a draw system.

For Special Olympics Canada Games and Championships and provincial level or higher sport governing bodies and/or multi-sport games or championships (such as BC or Canada Games, Provincial Sport Championships, etc.), the provincial body of Special Olympics BC shall work with the organizing committee or governing body on quotas for Special Olympics BC.