



National Event Travel Support Program

The Indiana Swimming National Event Travel Support Program provides financial support for those participating in designated USA Swimming national championship meets and other competitions previously approved.

The National Event Travel Support Program requires a submitted application for funding for all designated competitions. This application requires receipts to be attached with all other required documents/proof of performance and must be submitted no later than fourteen (14) days after the conclusion of the competition.

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Purpose:

The Indiana Swimming National Event Travel Support Program provides financial support for those participating in designated USA Swimming National Championship Meets. Other competitions *may* be designated for support based upon recommendation by the Sr. Committee and upon approval by the House of Delegates or the Board of Directors.

Eligible Athletes:

- Applicant must, sign, submit and adhere to the CODE of CONDUCT (See below). Applicant must submit signed form PRIOR to each applicable National Meet. No previous "on file" copes are permissible.
- Parents or legal guardians verified residence must be in Indiana and the applicant must currently compete and train with a chartered ISI Swim club OR the swimmer has continuously maintained Indiana Swimming Membership, trained and competed for at least two (2) years in an ISI program and is training and competing in the current season with an ISI member club.
- If the applicant received or will receive, travel support from other sources, such amounts must be declared on the application below and IN Swimming will deduct such funding before support is approved.
- All swimmers will be treated the same, regardless of age
- A swimmer must participate in at least

SPRING REIMBURSEMENT: Three (3) ISI Scheduled invitational, or a state meet in the Short Course Season

FALL / SUMMER REIMBURSEMENT: Two (2) ISI Scheduled invitational, or a state meet in the long course season

*See below for Olympic Trials Amendment of this 2-meet minimum during the season

- **Athletes participating in collegiate programs (NCAA, NJCAA, NAIA and others) are not considered eligible during the period September 1 – May 31 of each year. Athletes participating in collegiate programs may be considered eligible during the period June 1 – August 31 provided they are a member of and training with an Eligible Club. The Board of Directors may request verification of membership and training status.**
- Only Eligible Athletes representing an Eligible Club may be considered for funding unless otherwise exempted in the approved funding formula. Eligible Clubs may request that the Board of Directors designate an athlete competing with UNATTACHED status as an Eligible Athlete.
- ***Athletes who moved to Indiana to compete for a university in Indiana would have to meet the two meet minimum criteria above and have been registered in Indiana CONTINUOUSLY for two full years or more**
- **Eligible Athletes may only be considered once, at the highest level of competition, each season in the approved funding formula.**

All competitions, both designated and preparation, must have an application submitted for reimbursement with receipts. Application must be received 14 days after the last day of competition. Please contact Tony Young ISI Executive Director (tony@inswimming.org) if you have any questions.

Designated Competitions (September 1, 2023– August 31, 2024):

To be considered for funding in a Designated Competition, Eligible Athletes must compete in one or more individual events. "Relay Only" participants are only Eligible for 50% of the assigned value of the competition.

Short Course Season (Sept. 1-Mar. 31)

2023 Toyota US OPEN

Greensboro, NC -Nov 29-Dec.2, 2023

Up to \$300.00 per Eligible Athlete (3 Days)

2023 Speedo Winter JR Championships

Greensboro, NC -Dec. 6-9, 2023

Up to \$300.00 per Eligible Athlete (3 Days)

Long Course Season (April 1-Aug. 31)

USA Swimming Olympic Trials

Indianapolis, IN June 15-23, 2024

Up to \$1400.00 per Eligible Athlete (8 Days) **SEE CRITERIA BELOW**

2024 Speedo Summer Championships

Irvine, CA July 23-27, 2024

Up to \$500.00 per Eligible Athlete (5 Days)

USA Swimming Olympic Trials Long Course National Support: US Olympic Team Trials: June 15-23, 2024

- **FUNDING** -8 Days – up to \$1400
- **ELIGIBLE HOME-GROWN ATHLETE:** Indiana Swimming will provide Funding to "Home Grown" athletes for Olympic Trials IF they represent or dual represent their home Indiana Club at Olympic Trials. Home Grown Athletes do not have to meet the 2-meet minimum above.
- **HOME GROWN DEFINITION:** Swimmer who has participated as a 14&U in a previous Indiana Age Group or Divisional Championships, swam as a senior swimmer in Indiana and graduated from an Indiana High School or accredited institution in Indiana.

***Athletes who moved to Indiana for a university in Indiana would have to meet the 2 meet minimum criteria above and have been registered in Indiana CONTINUOUSLY for 2 full years or more. 2 ISI LSC MEET MINIMUM-Prior to the Olympic Trials may be waived for all athletes competing at this event up to the Olympic Trials Deadline**

Coaches:

- Clubs with an eligible swimmer participating in a National Meet will be eligible for one (1) coach to receive travel support
- Coaches eligible for support can receive up to 50% of the assigned value for their eligible swimmer at that competition. Coaches may apply twice per season (See Above) for support if swimmers are qualified & compete in the meets listed above.

Relay Only Participants:

- Eligible swimmers are supported at 50% of the assigned value for each competition
- The same limits for number of meets supported apply for these athletes

Payout Timelines:

- **JANUARY 15, 2024**
- **MAY 1, 2024**
- **AUGUST 31, 2024**