

### **QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

# **AQUATICS - WATER POLO**

Events		
Men (1)	Women (1)	
Eight-team competition	Eight-team competition	

Quota	
Men	104 (8 teams)
Women	104 (8 teams)
Total	208 (16 teams)

Quota per NOC	
Men	13 (1 team)
Women	13 (1 team)
Total	26 (2 teams)

# **Athlete Eligibility**

Athletes must have signed and submitted the Athlete Eligibility Condition Form.

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	Zone I CONSANAT	Zone II CCCAN	Zone III USA	Zone IV CAN	TOTAL
Men	3 teams	3 teams	1 team	1 team	8 teams
	(39 athletes)	(39 athletes)	(13 athletes)	(13 athletes)	(104 athletes)
Women	3 teams	3 teams	1 team	1 team	8 teams
	(39 athletes)	(39 athletes)	(13 athletes)	(13 athletes)	(104 athletes)
TOTAL	6 teams	6 teams	2 teams	2 teams	16 teams
	(78 athletes)	(78 athletes)	(26 athletes)	(26 athletes)	(208 athletes)

Eight teams will qualify in each event of the TORONTO 2015 Pan American Games, using the following system:

- Confederacion Sudamericana de Natacion (CONSANAT) Zone I qualifies the three top-placed teams in each gender at the South American Championships in October 2014 in Mar del Plata, Argentina.
- 2. Central American and Caribbean Amateur Swimming Confederation (CCCAN) Zone II qualifies the three top-placed teams in each gender at the Central American and Caribbean Games in November 2014 in Mexico.
- 3. United States (Zone III) automatically qualifies.
- 4. Canada (Zone IV) automatically qualifies.

#### Confirmation of Quota Places

The Continental Federation (CF) will inform the NOCs/National Federations (NFs) of the number of quota place(s) obtained, by December 1, 2014.

NOCs/NFs must confirm to the CF the use of quota place(s) obtained, no later than January 15, 2015.

#### Reallocation of Unused Quota Places

Should vacancies become available, they will be allocated to each zone and filled based on their qualifying events.

In such cases, the zone will promote the next available team of the same gender from its qualifying event. This process will be completed by February 1, 2015.

Timeline	
October 2014	South American Championships (Mar del Plata, ARG).
November 14-30, 2014	Central American and Caribbean Games (Veracruz, MEX).
December 1, 2014	CF to allocate places to NOC based on qualification event results.
January 15, 2015	NOCs/NFs to confirm use of allocated places.
February 1, 2015	End of reallocation period.
March 27, 2015	TO2015 entry by number deadline.
June 15, 2015	TO2015 entry by name deadline.