



**APPENDIX I**  
**2024 MULTICLASS CLASSIFICATIONS**  
**AQUATHLON/TRIATHLON**  
**(Draft)**



Category	Classification	Description
<b>A</b>	PTWC 1&2	<p><b>PTWC1</b> - Most impaired wheelchair users. Athletes must use a racing wheelchair on the run segment; Includes athletes with comparable activity limitation and an impairment of, but not limited to: musclepower, limb deficiency, hypertonia, ataxia or athetosis.</p> <p><b>PTWC2</b> - Least impaired wheelchair users. Athletes must use a racing wheelchair on the run segment; Includes athletes with comparable activity limitation and an impairment of, but not limited to: musclepower, limb deficiency, hypertonia, ataxia or athetosis.</p>
<b>B</b>	PTV 11,12,13	<p><b>PTV11</b> - Includes athletes who are totally blind, from no light perception in either eye, to some light perception. One guide is mandatory throughout the race. A guide must meet the minimum age requirement (17) and the guidelines provided later in this document.</p> <p><b>PTV12</b> -Includes athletes who are more severe partially sighted athletes. One guide is mandatory throughout the race. A guide must meet the minimum age requirement (17) and the guidelines provided later in this document.</p> <p><b>PTV13</b> - Includes athletes who are less severe partially sighted athletes. One guide is mandatory throughout the race. A guide must meet the minimum age requirement (17) and the guidelines provided later in this document.</p>
<b>C</b>	PTS2	<p><b>PTS2</b> - Severe impairments. In both swim and run segments, amputee athletes may use approved prosthesis or other supportive devices. Includes athletes with comparable activity limitation and an impairment of, but not limited to, limb deficiency, hypertonia, ataxia and or athetosis, impaired muscle power or range of movement.</p>
<b>D</b>	PTS3	<p><b>PTS3</b> - Significant impairments. In both swim and run segments, amputee athletes may use approved prosthesis or other supportive devices. Includes athletes with comparable activity limitation and an impairment of, but not limited to, limb deficiency, hypertonia, ataxia and or athetosis, impaired muscle power or range of movement.</p>

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E	PTS4	<b>PTS4</b> - Moderate impairments. In both swim and run segments, amputee athletes may use approved prosthesis or other supportive devices. Includes athletes with comparable activity limitation and an impairment of, but not limited to, limb deficiency, hypertonia, ataxia and or athetosis, impaired muscle power or range of movement.
F	PTS5	<b>PTS5</b> - Mild impairments. In both swim and run segments, amputee athletes may use approved prosthesis or other supportive devices. Includes athletes with comparable activity limitation and an impairment of, but not limited to, limb deficiency, hypertonia, ataxia and or athetosis, impaired muscle power or range of movement.
G	Hard of Hearing, Deaf -AU2  Transplant – T60  ID (II1) – T20/S14	<b>AU2</b> – Hearing Impairment or Deaf. Must meet minimum requirement of 55 decibel or better loss in better ear.  <b>Transplant</b> - Athletes who have had an organ or bone marrow transplant including kidney, liver, heart, lung, pancreas.  <b>ID</b> - Athletes with an intellectual disability.
H	Short Stature – T40/41 or S6	<b>Short Stature</b> - Achondroplasia and similar conditions. Must provide additional medical clearance to certify that athlete is medically fit to complete race distance.
I	II2 Significant Impairment (Down Syndrome)	Initially this will just include athletes with Down Syndrome until further classification processes are developed
J	II3	Autism or Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) without an intellectual disability
<b>Guide Information B</b>	PTV 11,12,13	Swim: The guide and the athlete are tethered during the swim and may swim side by side, or the guide may swim slightly behind the athlete. The guide is not permitted to swim ahead of the athlete as this would be classified as an unfair advantage or drafting.  Run: The guide and the athlete are tethered during the run and may run side by side, or the guide may run slightly behind the athlete. The guide is not permitted to run ahead of the athlete as this would be classified as an unfair advantage or drafting.



**APPENDIX 2  
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<b>Category</b>	Must hold SwimmingAustralia or Athletics Australia classification <b>to be eligible to compete</b>	Must hold a classification through the relevantclassifying body to compete <b>&amp; be eligible for medals</b>	Must hold Triathlon Australia Provisional Classification <b>to be eligible for medals</b>	<b>11 – 12 YEARS AQUATHLON</b>	<b>13 – 14 YEARS AQUATHLON/ TRIATHLON</b>	<b>15 – 16 YEARS AQUATHLON/ TRIATHLON</b>	<b>17 – 19 YEARS AQUATHLON/ TRIATHLON</b>
<b>A</b> Chair PTWC 1 &2	√		√	A 11 – 12 Male Female	A 13 - 14 Male Female	A 15 - 16 Male Female	A 17 - 19 Male Female
<b>B</b> Visually Impaired PTV 11,12,13	√		√	B 11 – 12 Male Female	B 13 - 14 Male Female	B 15 - 16 Male Female	B 17 - 19 Male Female
<b>C</b> Ambulant PTS2	√		√	C 11 – 12 Male Female	C 13 - 14 Male Female	C 15 - 16 Male Female	C 17 - 19 Male Female
<b>D</b> Ambulant PTS3	√		√	D 11 – 12 Male Female	D 13 - 14 Male Female	D 15 - 16 Male Female	D 17 - 19 Male Female
<b>E</b> Ambulant PTS4	√		√	E 11 – 12 Male Female	E 13 - 14 Male Female	E 15 - 16 Male Female	E 17 - 19 Male Female
<b>F</b> Ambulant PTS5	√		√	F 11 – 12 Male Female	F 13 - 14 Male Female	F 15 - 16 Male Female	F 17 - 19 Male Female

<b>Category</b>	Must hold Swimming Australia or Athletics Australia classification <b>to be eligible to compete</b>	Must hold a classification through the relevant classifying body to compete <b>&amp; be eligible for medals</b>	Must hold Triathlon Australia Provisional Classification <b>to be eligible for medals</b>	<b>11 – 12 YEARS AQUATHLON</b>	<b>13 – 14 YEARS AQUATHLON/ TRIATHLON</b>	<b>15 – 16 YEARS AQUATHLON/ TRIATHLON</b>	<b>17 – 19 YEARS AQUATHLON/ TRIATHLON</b>
<b>G</b> ID (III), HoH/D, Transplant		√		G 11 – 12 Male Female	G 13 - 14 Male Female	G 15 - 16 Male Female	G 17 - 19 Male Female
<b>H*</b> Short Stature	Medical Certificate must be provided	√ Swimming Australia or Athletics Australia		H 11 – 12 Male Female	H 13 - 14 Male Female	H 15 - 16 Male Female	H 17 - 19 Male Female
<b>I</b> II2 Significant Impairment (Down Syndrome)		√		I 11 – 12 Male Female	I 13 - 14 Male Female	I 15 - 16 Male Female	I 17 - 19 Male Female
<b>J</b> II3 ASD		√		J 11 – 12 Male Female	J 13 - 14 Male Female	J 15 - 16 Male Female	J 17 - 19 Male Female