

Cycling New Zealand - Selection Regulations

Schedule 4 – BMX Racing

21 January 2022



NOTICE: Covid-19 has had an unprecedented impact on the world and continues to evolve both internationally and in New Zealand. As such there could be further changes to the international cycling calendar which could result in changes to these regulations.

As per clauses 2.4 and 9.2 of the CNZ General Selection Regulations 2021-2024 a Risk Assessment will be completed for each event and selection will be conditional on risk management process conditions being met. For more details on the International Event Entry Application (IEEA) part of this process please see <https://www.cyclingnewzealand.nz/about-us/covid-19/international-event-entry-process/>

- 1. Mandatory Eligibility Requirements for Athletes Seeking Selection:** All athletes seeking selection to the Team must:
 - 1.1** Complete the Athlete application process by providing all the information requested in the online Rider Application Form by the date set out in Paragraph 8 below; and
 - 1.2** Participate in the BMX New Zealand 2022 National Championships in Hamilton from 12-13 March 2022 unless non-participation is agreed to in writing by the High Performance Director (HPD) or designate, pursuant to Clause 8 of the Cycling New Zealand General Selection Regulations.

- 2. Performance / Selection Time Period:** 12 months prior to the Selection Date as specified in Paragraph 10 of this selection schedule.

- 3. Selection Process**
 - 3.1** There is no obligation on the Relevant Selection Panel to fill the maximum number of positions specified by the UCI pursuant to the UCI BMX World Championships participation rules.

- 4. Primary Selection – Men and Women Elite**
 - 4.1** Subject to available national starting positions at the 2022 World Championships, any female athlete who achieves a semi-final start (either six or eight starters) at the 2020 Tokyo Olympic Games or the 2021 BMX (Racing) Elite World Championships or a UCI

BMX Racing World Cup event in the twelve months prior to the 2022 World Championships Team Selection Date is entitled to selection.

- 4.2** Subject to available national starting positions at the 2022 World Championships, any male athlete who achieves a quarter final start (either six or eight starters) at the 2020 Tokyo Olympic Games or the 2021 BMX (Racing) Elite World Championships or a UCI BMX Racing World Cup event in the twelve months prior to the World Championships Team Selection Date is entitled to selection.

5. Secondary Selection – Men and Women Elite

- 5.1** The Secondary Selection applies if:

5.1.1 more athletes would be entitled to selection under the Primary Selection than there are available national starting positions; or

5.1.2 an athlete has not qualified for selection by the Primary Selection.

- 5.2** Under the Secondary Selection, athletes eligible to be considered for selection will be selected according to their UCI individual ranking positions at the 2022 World Championships Team Selection Date (“individual ranking positions”).

Only male athletes ranked in the top 200 and female athletes ranked in the top 120 of the UCI individual ranking positions at the 2022 World Championships Team [selection date](#) will be considered for selection.

6. Primary Selection – Men and Women U23

- 6.1** Subject to available national starting positions at the 2022 World Championships, any female athlete who achieves a semi-final start in a combined event or final in a U23 event (either six or eight starters) at the 2021 BMX (Racing) Elite or U23 World Championships or a UCI BMX Racing World Cup event in the twelve months prior to the 2022 World Championships Team Selection Date is entitled to selection.

- 6.2** Subject to available national starting positions at the 2022 World Championships, any male athlete who achieves a quarter final start in a combined event or semi final in a U23 event (either six or eight starters) at the 2021 BMX (Racing) Elite or U23 World Championships or a UCI BMX Racing World Cup event in the twelve months prior to the World Championships Team Selection Date is entitled to selection.

7. Secondary Selection – Men and Women U23

7.1 The Secondary Selection applies if:

7.1.1 more athletes would be entitled to selection under the Primary Selection than there are available national starting positions; or

7.1.2 an athlete has not qualified for selection by the Primary Selection.

7.2 Under the Secondary Selection, athletes eligible to be considered for selection will be selected according to their UCI individual U23 ranking positions at the 2022 World Championships Team Selection Date (“individual ranking positions”).

Only male athletes ranked in the top 100 and female athletes ranked in the top 60 of the UCI individual U23 ranking positions at the 2022 World Championships Team [selection date](#) will be considered for selection.

Note: U23 riders to advise at time of licencing if going to race the year as U23 or Elite.

8. Primary Selection – Men and Women Junior

8.1 Subject to available national starting positions at the World Championships, any female athlete who achieves a semi final start (either six or eight starters) at a UCI BMX Racing World Cup event in the twelve months prior to the World Championships Team Selection Date or at the previous World Championships in the rider’s eligible category is entitled to selection.

8.2 Subject to available national starting positions at the World Championships, any male athlete who achieves a quarter final start (either six or eight starters) at a UCI BMX Racing World Cup event in the twelve months prior to the World Championships Team Selection Date or at the previous World Championships in the rider’s eligible category is entitled to selection.

9. Secondary Selection – Men and Women Junior

9.1 The Secondary Selection applies if:

9.1.1 more athletes would be entitled to selection pursuant to the Primary Selection than there are available national starting positions; or

9.1.2 an athlete has not qualified for selection by the Primary Selection.

9.2 Athletes eligible to be considered for selection under the Secondary Selection are to be ranked according to the following criteria:

9.2.1 The process of ranking under this paragraph will be based on the accumulation of points earned at the best two out of three results from the Junior / U19 events

identified in clause 9.2.2. No event or events shall be accorded any particular weight.

9.2.2 26 February 2022, North Harbour BMX Club

27 February 2022, Rotorua BMX Club

13 March 2022, BMX New Zealand 2022 National Championships, Hamilton

9.2.3 Note: for all events listed in 9.2.2 only results recorded at BMX New Zealand 2022 National Championships and / or results recorded in the other events on an 8m start ramp will be considered.

Only results from finals will be considered for points and the points will be awarded from 1 point for 1st through to 8 points for 8th.

For example:

Name	Event 1	Event 2	Event 3	Total
Rider A	1	3	1	2
Rider B	2	1	3	3
Rider C	3	2	2	4

Note: Due to Covid-19 and the ever-changing situation, if any of these events are unable to be run, Cycling New Zealand reserves the right to reschedule these events or run alternative selection arrangements if required.

10. International BMX Racing Competitions where formal Selection is needed:

BMX Racing Teams will be selected and named at the dates set out below, unless Cycling New Zealand is required to change those dates for reasons out of its control.

International BMX Competition	Competition Date	Application Date	Team Selection Date
2022 BMX (Racing) World Championships, Nantes, France	26-31 July 2022	30 April 2022	15 June 2022

11. Additional Competitions:

Without limiting the Board's power under clause 1.5 of Cycling New Zealand's General Selection Regulations, the HPD or designate may, in his / her sole discretion, decide to send Teams to compete in additional International Competitions as outlined in clause 5.4 of Cycling New Zealand's General Selection Regulations.