

Para Table Tennis Classification Calendar for 2022

Starting in 2019, ITTF made some changes in the classification strategy to achieve several goals:

- To ensure that classification is performed in the best possible environment so that the classifiers can take their decisions without pressure, rush or any other negative circumstances.
- To help spreading classification awareness among national associations
- To ensure the correct development of classification in all continents

The main changes were:

- All tournaments will have a limit of entries for new players, and they will be admitted on a first come first served basis.
- When that limit is reached, no new players will be allowed to enter.
- Reevaluation of already classified players will only take place in selected competitions and there will be also a limit of players who will be admitted for reevaluation in each tournament.
- No player will be admitted to reevaluation unless he or she fulfill these 2 criteria:
 - The classification status must be R or FRD2022. Classification status of players is published here <u>http://stats.ipttc.org/profiles</u>
 - The required medical information is sent one month before the competition starts.
- Classification of players with intellectual impairment will only take place in selected competitions and a limit of players per tournament will be set.

In the following pages, you will see several tables containing the information about the tournaments with reevaluation or classification for intellectual impaired athletes and the limits of entries.

Due to the current pandemic situation, ITTF reserves the right to change the classification calendar whenever needed.

Any enquiries about these matters must be sent by the authorized Member Association representative to classification@ittf.com

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Tournaments with reevaluation for players with physical impairment

Tournament	Country	Max. players allowed
ITTF Fa20 Costa Brava Spanish Para Open 2022	ESP	4
ITTF Fa20 Al-Watani Para Championships 2022	JOR	4
ITTF Fa20 Copa Cristina Hoffmann 2022	MEX	4
ITTF Montenegrin Para Championships 2022	MNE	4
ITTF Fa20 Copa Tango 2022	ARG	4
ITTF Fa20 Finland Para Open 2022	FIN	4
IWAS World Games 2022	RUS	4
Asian Para Games Hangzhou 2022	CHN	6
ITTF Fa20 Copa Costa Rica 2022	CRC	4
ITTF Fa20 Value Jet Lagos Para Open 2022	NGR	4

Tournaments with classification for intellectual impairment

Tournament	Country	Max. players allowed
ITTF Fa20 Costa Brava Spanish Para Open 2022	ESP	4
ITTF Fa20 Al-Watani Para Championships 2022	JOR	3
ITTF Fa20 Copa Cristina Hoffmann 2022	MEX	3
ITTF Fa20 Copa Tango 2022	ARG	3
ITTF Fa20 Finland Para Open 2022	FIN	4
Asian Para Games Hangzhou 2022	CHN	8
Virtus Oceania Asia Games 2022	AUS	8
ITTF Fa20 Copa Costa Rica 2022	CRC	3



Tournaments with classification for new players (only physical impairment)

Tournament	Country	Max. Players allowed
ITTF Fa20 Costa Brava Spanish Para Open 2022	ESP	16
ITTF Fa20 Al-Watani Para Championships 2022	JOR	16
ITTF Fa20 Copa Cristina Hoffmann 2022	MEX	16
ITTF Montenegrin Para Championships 2022	MNE	16
ITTF Fa20 Czech Para Open 2022	CZE	16
European Para Youth Games 2022	FIN	20
ITTF Fa20 Copa Tango 2022	ARG	16
ITTF Fa20 Finland Para Open 2022	FIN	16
IWAS World Games 2022	RUS	16
ITTF Fa20 Brazilian Para Open 2022	BRA	16
Asian Para Games Hangzhou 2022	CHN	24
Youth Parapan American Games Bogota 2022	COL	16
ITTF Fa20 Copa Costa Rica 2022	CRC	16
ITTF Fa20 Value Jet Lagos Para Open 2022	NGR	20