

Classification for Athletes with Vision Impairment

What is Shooting for athletes with Vision Impairment?

- A new discipline in World Shooting Para Sport
- Athletes use air rifles to shoot at a target 10 meters away
- An audio signal guides their aiming
- The pitch of the signal gets higher as the aim gets closer to the centre of the target
- Athletes compete in a standing or prone (with a table) position
- Sport-specific evidence-based classification system

2019 Events

- International Shooting Competition of Hannover
02-12 May 2019, Hannover, Germany
- Osijek 2019 World Shooting Para Sport World Cup
20-28 July 2019, Osijek, Croatia
- *Sydney 2019 World Shooting Para Sport World Championships
09-19 October 2019, Sydney, Australia

*MQS required. More information is available [here](#)

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Before Athlete Evaluation

- Complete all required documents for licensing (including a Medical Diagnostic Form filled in and signed by an ophthalmologist and submitted with diagnostic evidence) ahead of required deadline
- Register and license with World Shooting Para Sport via your National Paralympic Committee
- Enter a competition via your National Paralympic Committee

Am I eligible?

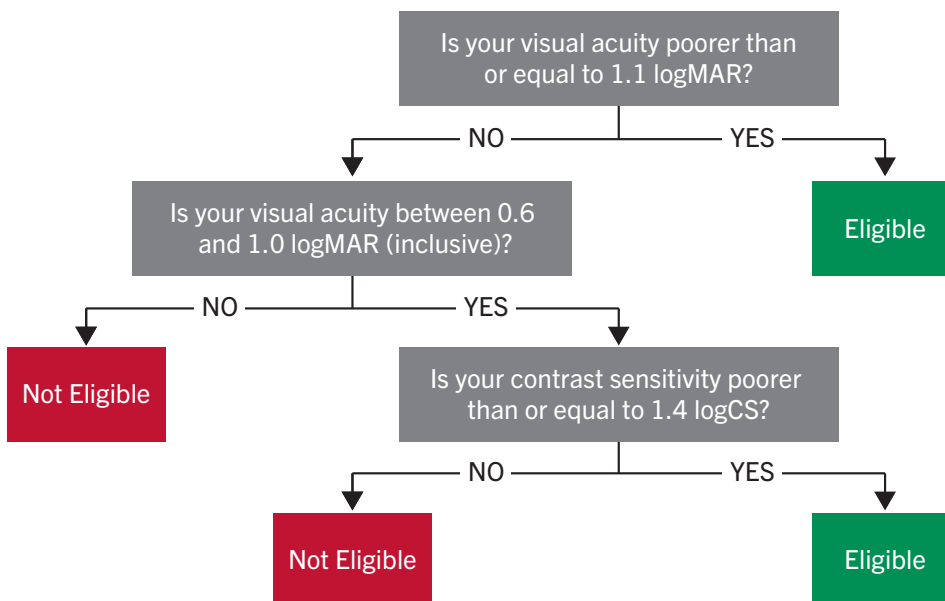
If you have a vision impairment...

During Athlete Evaluation

- Sign or fingerprint a consent form
- Wear your best optical vision correction and bring your optical correction used during competition
- Your vision will be assessed by a panel of 2 International Classifiers
- If you are eligible, you will be given a Sport Class: SH-VI which allows you to enter a competition

Sport Class

SH-VI: One sport class for all eligible athletes



For more information on classification, please follow the link to the Athlete Reference Guide: paralympic.org/classification