



## **Technical Official National Pathway**

## **Minimum Requirements:**

- Must be 18 years or older
- Must have at least a secondary/high school level of education
- Have a basic level of English language
- Citizen of the United States of America.
  - Must be citizens of the United States to be eligible to be a part of Team USA. If dual citizenship is held, your sport nationality must be registered as the United States with the WPPO or other applicable body.
- Have valid United States of America Passport
  - Must possess a USA passport with an expiration date of a minimum of 6 months after the end of the competition, or the entry requirement of the host nation, whichever is the greater.
- Be in good physical health
  - Will be required to disclose personnel health concerns/issues to the designated medical personnel prior to competitions.

## **Specific Requirements (National level)**

- Knowledge of the body and how it works mechanically from an anatomical and physiological perspective
- Knowledge of the various disability categories that are eligible to compete in Para Powerlifting
- Knowledge of the bench press and the most current IPC rules
- Successful completion of an IPC approved entry level Technical Official Course
- Participate in a minimum of two (2) USAPP sanctioned domestic events

## Specific requirement (To be nominated for international events)

- Have 2-5 years of experience officiating at the National Level
  - Must be able to prove experience
- Successful completion of or proof of enrollment in Advanced IPC Technical Official Course during year of consideration for international events.
- Have a valid licensure in good standing with WPPO as a Technical Official
- Must be in compliance with US Center of SafeSport Code and Policies
- Must be in compliance with USOPC Background Check Policy
- Must be a member in good standing of USAPP
  - Good standing means a current membership, no code of conduct violations and no outstanding financial payments within the most recent 12 months

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