

## **2024 Athlete Stipend and EAHl Information**

Athlete eligibility for Athlete Stipends and Elite Athlete Health Insurance (EAHI) will be based upon a tiered system from January 1st, 2024 – December 31st, 2024. Direct Athlete Support (DAS) is based on a four-tier system as outlined below.

Athletes assigned a tier level will be eligible for both Athlete Stipend and EAHI benefits.

Athlete Stipends will be disbursed to athletes four times throughout the 2024 calendar year. Payments will be disbursed on or before the last day of February 2024, May 2024, August 2024, and November 2024.

**Tier 1:** Athletes that have been named to the 2024 Training Squad. Athletes with six (6) or more years of National Team membership over the last 10 years. Athletes must have more than two (2) years of consecutive membership on the National Team within the Tokyo 2020 and/or Paris 2024 Quad.

**Tier 2:** Athletes that have named to the 2024 Training Squad. Athletes with a minimum of five (5) years of National Team membership over the last 10 years. These athletes may meet Tier 1 criteria but do not meet the consecutive experience requirement.

**Tier 3:** Athletes that have been named to the 2024 Training Squad. Athletes with a minimum of four (4) years of National Team membership over the last 10 years.

**Tier 4:** Athletes that have been named to the 2024 Training Squad. Athletes with three (3) years or less of National Team membership.

Athletes were assigned to the appropriate Tier after the Training Squad was named. Training squad athletes remain in that Tier throughout 2024. The 2024 Training Squad was named December 17, 2023.