



QUALIFICATION SYSTEM

FIELD HOCKEY

Events

Men's 8-team tournament	Women's 8-team tournament
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Quota

	Qualification	Host NOC Places	Total
Men	112 (7 teams)	16 (1 team)	128
Women	112 (7 teams)	16 (1 team)	128
Total	224	32	256

Quota per NOC

Men	1 team (16 players)
Women	1 team (16 players)
Total	2 teams (32 players)

Athlete Eligibility

Athletes must have signed and submitted the Athlete Eligibility Condition Form.

Athletes must sign and submit the appropriate PAHF eligibility forms to the Pan American Hockey Federation (PAHF).

Qualification System

The following qualification system applies to the men's and women's tournaments:

1. Host NOC (Canada) qualifies automatically.
2. The first- and second-place countries at the IX South American Championships 2014 (as long as a minimum of four countries participate), to be held in Santiago, Chile, during the ODESUR Games.
3. The first- and second-place countries at the XXII Central American and Caribbean Games 2014 (as long as a minimum of four countries participate), to be held in Veracruz, Mexico.
4. The next two countries not already qualified under sections 1–3 above will be based on final rankings of the IV Pan American Cup 2013 (for both men and women).
5. For both men's and women's competitions, if USA is not already qualified under sections 1–4 above, a playoff for the eighth position will be played between USA and the next placed team in the IV Pan American Cup 2013. The form, manner, date and site will be determined by PAHF.

Notes:

- i. If there are less than four participants in either the IX South American Championships or the XXII CAC Games, an additional country will qualify based on the final rankings of the IV Pan American Cup 2013.
- ii. If USA is qualified under sections 1–4 on previous page, the eighth qualified team will be the next-placed country of the IV Pan American Cup 2013.
- iii. In the event of a playoff, all costs for participating are to be borne by the respective National Associations. PAHF will be responsible for covering the cost of neutral officials for such competition.

Confirmation of Quota Places

The Pan American Hockey Federation will officially notify the respective National Sport Federations of their qualification to the TORONTO 2015 Pan American Games. The National Sport Federation will in turn be responsible for confirming funding with the National Olympic Committee and respond to PAHF with confirmation of participation in the TORONTO 2015 Pan American Games.

The Pan American Hockey Federation will communicate to TO2015 the final, confirmed list of participating nations by November 2014.

Reallocation of Unused Quota Places

PAHF will complete the reallocation of any unused quota places by November 30, 2014.

Timeline	
Aug 10–17, 2013	Pan American Cup – men (Brampton, CAN).
September 21–28, 2013	Pan American Cup – women (Mendoza, ARG).
March 7–8, 2014	ODESUR Games (Santiago, CHI).
November 14–30, 2014	Central American and Caribbean Games (Veracruz, MEX).
November 30, 2014	Confirmation of quota places/reallocation of quotas.
March 27, 2015	TO2015 entry by number deadline.
June 15, 2015	TO2015 entry by name deadline.