

## **Qualification criteria for U23 to the Triathlon European Championships**

**U23:** National Federations may name a maximum of six (6) men and six (6) women to their National U23 Team based on the following qualification criteria:

- a. **NF's quota:** Every National Federation has the right to enter three (3) athletes automatically to the European Championships.
- b. **Previous European Championships:** Based on the number of athletes the NF had in the previous year's European Championships results:
  - i. If the NF had three (3) or more athletes in the top 15 of the previous year, they will be allowed an additional three (3) entries.
  - ii. If the NF had three (3) or more athletes in the top 30 of the previous year, they will be allowed an additional two (2) entries.
  - iii. If the NF had two (2) athletes in the top 30 of the previous year, they will be allowed an additional one (1) entry.
- c. **Host Nation:** The Host National Federation has the right to enter one (1) more athlete per category, but not above the six (6).
- d. **Wild Cards:** Invited athletes may be awarded starting positions by ETU upon application from their NF no later than 20 days prior to the European Championships. ETU shall have the sole authority to award any or the entire invited athlete-starting positions.