

2024 MTB Eliminator World Championships Entry Information

GENERAL INFORMATION

All riders are advised to carefully read and understand all the information below. There are several mandatory requirements that must be met to be eligible for entry along with an application process.

PARTICIPATION

See the UCI Rules and Regulations for further detail (MTB World Championships rules start on page 15) [Part 9 World Championships](#) – 9.2.034

For cross-country eliminator (XCE), each national federation can enter an unlimited number of riders per category.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

To be eligible to enter the MTB Eliminator World Championships you MUST meet all the following eligibility criteria:

- Have a current International Race Licence with the nationality marked as NZL. International Licencing and Insurance information can be found on the Cycling New Zealand website.
- Fully complete the Rider Application process by the date specified;
- Not be under investigation for any breach of the Cycling New Zealand Constitution or any rule, regulation or requirement of Cycling New Zealand, or the UCI;
- Not have any outstanding debts owed to Cycling New Zealand;
- Not have acted in a manner so as to bring themselves, the sport of cycling, or Cycling New Zealand, into public disrepute;
- Not have used or administered any substance which, if it had been detected as being present in the rider's body tissue or fluids, would have constituted doping, or used any prohibited method or committed any other doping offence as defined in the Cycling New Zealand antidoping rules (which are the Sports Anti-Doping Rules), or the UCI's anti-doping rules;
- Not be under investigation for any breach or anti-doping rule violation of any part of the Sports Anti-Doping Act 2006, the Sports Anti-Doping Rules, the UCI Anti-Doping Regulations, or the WADA Code;
- Have provided Cycling New Zealand with key contact details for communication purposes (including a current physical address, email address, and telephone number); and
- Be eligible to represent New Zealand at the applicable International Competition(s) for which the Team is being selected, including complying with any relevant age restrictions, which status is to be determined in accordance with the rules of the relevant competition(s).

HOW TO APPLY

Please complete the application form via the link: <https://forms.office.com/r/ONWPAwBuge>

It is important that you provide a current email address and regularly check it when overseas as this will be the method of passing on information from the UCI or event organisers. Last minute changes to venues and event schedules do occur. Cycling New Zealand will use the information provided to contact riders with any changes.

In addition to completing the online application form, the following are required to be emailed to rebekah.cullinane@cyclingsnewzealand.nz

- Copy of Passport
- Copy of International Insurance meeting UCI requirements for racing
- Copies of any medical certificates or TUE's relating to condition and medication.
- Accommodation details – full address
- Name and contact details for an emergency contact during racing

If you are allocated an entry, you will also be required to complete the following:

- Cycling New Zealand athlete agreement – this will be sent to you to complete if you are allocated an entry.
- If required, informed consent documentation (see [International Event Entry Process](#)).
- All participants must wear New Zealand team uniform (bib shorts and short sleeved race jersey). This is a UCI requirement. These items will be made available for purchase from Champion Systems.

ENTRY ALLOCATION

Entries will be allocated as per dates listed in the table below from applications received in the order they were received in, provided the eligibility criteria is met.

Event	Application Due Date	Allocation Date
MTB Eliminator World Championships, Aalen, Germany - 13 July 2024	15 May 2024	17 May 2024

ANTI-DOPING

We encourage all riders competing overseas to complete education through Drug Free Sport NZ (DFSNZ). If you have not completed any DFSNZ education in the 2024 calendar year, please complete the [DFSNZ e-learning module](#). Please complete Level 1 if you have done no prior education or Level 2 if have completed education previously.

The latest information on the Anti-doping rules can be found on the [Drug Free Sport NZ website](#). The [Cycling New Zealand website](#) also contains the latest information.

If you have any questions regarding the requirements please contact Cycling New Zealand HP Programmes Administrator, Rebekah Cullinane rebekah.cullinane@cyclingsnewzealand.nz

Please note that the UCI have a no needle policy, more information can be found [HERE](#).

For all other UCI rules and policies, please see the [UCI Medical Rules](#)

