



2011 CANADA WINTER GAMES

BOXING TECHNICAL PACKAGE

Technical Packages are a critical part of the Canada Games. They guide the selection of athletes by prescribing the age and eligibility requirements, assist the organizing committees by detailing tournament formats and scoring procedures, assist Chefs de Mission in verifying eligibility, help with budgeting by describing the number of participants permitted, advance coaching certification by stating minimum requirements, and generally contribute to athlete development by identifying each National Sport Organization's (NSO) version of prospective high performance athletes.

Every Games' coach, manager, sport leader, and mission staff has an obligation to read and understand every aspect of the Technical Package. Failure to do so could cost an athlete his or her eligibility for the Games or could affect final standings or the conduct of the competition. If someone does not understand an aspect of the Technical Package, he or she is to seek clarification from the Sport Committee of the Canada Games Council through his or her Chef de Mission or National Sport Organization.

Technical Packages are developed primarily by National Sport Organizations, following principles, guidelines, and requirements of the Canada Games Council. As the overall governing body of the Games, the Council has the ultimate authority for Technical Packages, but this authority is exercised only with the knowledge and understanding of the NSO concerned.

If an individual wishes to initiate a change to a Technical Package leading up to the Games, the desired change should be first directed to the National Sport Organization or the Chef de Mission. The NSO or Chef will evaluate the merits of the change and will, if it has merit, submit the requested change to the Sport Committee of the Canada Games Council. The NSO or Chef will submit the rationale for the change. Changes to age groups, eligibility requirements, team size or staff complements will not be considered after three years prior to the Games. Substantive changes to events or competition formats will not be considered after 18 months before the Games. Minor corrections will be considered at almost anytime, but will be increasingly difficult to achieve within six months of the Games. These time frames reinforce the importance of complete understanding of the Technical Package early.

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1. SPORT: BOXING

2. PARTICIPANTS:

- 2.1 Competitors: 9 male
- 2.2 Staff: 1 manager, 2 coaches if more than 5 competitors
1 manager, 1 coach if 2-5 competitors
1 coach if 1 competitor

* Only two accredited personnel (coach or manager) can access the corner at the same time and only a certified NCCP Level III or NCCP Competition Development (trained) coach can enter the ring between rounds.

3. CLASSIFICATION:

Youth: open category boxers only

Year of birth: 1993 and 1994. Athletes were born in 1995 and are upgraded to Junior by their provincial association by December 31, 2010 are eligible (CABA Rules 8:1 to 8:5)

4. ELIGIBILITY:

4.1 Coaches:

Any staff listed as coaches on the official registration form must be fully certified (theory, technical and practical) under the National Coaching Certification Program to at Least Level 3 **or NCCP Competition Development (trained status)** in boxing. These coaches must be so certified not later than 90 days before the opening of the Games. (i.e. November 13, 2010).

4.2 Competitors:

Excluded from the Canada Games are:

- a) Athletes that have held C or Senior cards (as defined by Sport Canada's Athlete Assistance Program) at any time;

- b) Athletes that have been National Senior Team members (as defined by the Canadian Amateur Boxing Association and approved by the Canada Games Council at any time;
- c) Athletes that have competed for any nation at any senior Pan American Games, senior Commonwealth Games, senior Olympic Games or senior World Championships.

No athletes can be rendered ineligible within 90 days of the opening of the Games due to carding status or national team status (i.e. No athlete will be excluded if they become National Senior Team Members for the first time or are granted carding status after November 13, 2010).

5. COMPETITION:

C.A.B.A. Rules.

Preliminaries:

Straight elimination – no seeding with a draw.

Male Weight Categories:

- Over 46 kg. and not exceeding 49 kg.
- Over 49 kg. and not exceeding 52 kg.
- Over 52 kg. and not exceeding 56 kg.
- Over 56 kg. and not exceeding 60 kg.
- Over 60 kg. and not exceeding 64 kg.
- Over 64 kg. and not exceeding 69 kg.
- Over 69 kg. and not exceeding 75 kg.
- Over 75 kg. and not exceeding 81 kg.
- Over 81 kg. and not exceeding 91 kg.

One competitor per category is allowed per province or territory.

Weight class is determined at initial weigh-in and medical examination in the morning of the first day beginning at 8:00 a.m. If a competitor is overweight at the initial weigh-in, he may be moved up to the next weight category provided his team has a vacancy in that weight and he remains within that class bracket.

A competitor must be medically examined and weighed-in on each day thereafter that he is scheduled to box.

Draw:

The draw will take place within one hour after the medical examination and weighing in the presence of the team manager or coaches.

Duration of Male Bouts:

Three (3) rounds of three (3) minutes each

6. SPORT SCORING:

3 points for a win in the finals
2 points for a win in the semi-finals
1 point for each wins in the quarterfinals or preliminaries
No points for losses or byes.

7. PROVINCIAL/TERRITORIAL RANKING:

Final provincial/territorial team standings will be determined by adding all individual points accumulated from each weight category (see 6. Sport Scoring). Points for the Games Flag will be as follows:

1 st place - 10 points	6 th place - 5 points	11 th place - 1.5 points
2 nd place - 9 points	7 th place - 4 points	12 th place - 1 point
3 rd place - 8 points	8 th place - 3 points	13 th place - 0.5 point
4 th place - 7 points	9 th place - 2.5 points	
5 th place - 6 points	10 th place - 2 points	

8. THE BREAKING RULE – COMPETITION:

A winner must be nominated after each contest.

9. PROVINCIAL/TERRITORIAL RANKING – TIE BREAKING:

If a tie occurs in the final provincial/territorial team ranking, the province/territory with the greater number of event first places will be assigned the higher rank if still tied, the procedure is repeated for event second places, then third places, etc.

If a tie persists, the province/territory with the higher standing in the last event completed will be assigned the higher rank.

10. MEDALS:

GOLD:	10 (one per weight division)
SILVER:	10 (one per weight division)
BRONZE:	20 (two per weight division)

11. COMPETITIVE UNIFORM:

Vest (singlet with no sleeves), shorts, cresting to be determined by the individual provinces or territories (no swim trunk), mouthpiece, headgear, light soled shoes with no heels (boxing shoes or running shoes).

NOTE: AIBA approved headgear (red and blue) is mandatory and must be supplied by the athlete.

12. EQUIPMENT:

Regulation Ring with all standard corner accessories (incl. 3 stairs), 6 sets (12 pair) AIBA approved 10 oz. Competition gloves, supply of bandages (hand wraps), bell, watch, stretcher.

13 APPENDIX:

The appendix forms are an integral part of this technical package.

APPENDIX 1
2011 (Halifax) Canada Winter Games

Competitor Eligibility

1. Competitors must meet all eligibility requirements outlined in the Technical Package.
2. The Canada Games are open to Canadian citizens and permanent residents.
3. The Games are open to athletes who are members in good standing of their provincial and/or national sport organization.
4. An athlete's permanent domicile or actual residence must be located, for at least the 180 days prior to the opening of the Games, within the recognized boundaries of the province or territory they are representing. An athlete can have only one domicile.
5. Students attending school on a full-time basis outside their province of permanent residence during the year of the Games shall be permitted to compete for either their province of permanent residence or the province in which the athlete attends school. To be eligible to compete for the province where the athlete attends school, the student must be enrolled on a full-time basis during the 2010-2011 academic years.
6. If a non-student athlete attends a recognized national training centre outside his or her province of permanent residence, the athlete is encouraged to represent his or her province of permanent residence; however, the athlete could represent the province where the centre is located under the terms of paragraph (7), below.
7. Exceptions to the domicile requirement will be possible if the athlete can demonstrate a commitment to the province or territory she or he wishes to represent by such means as having been a member of a club or provincial sport organization in that province for the entire previous competitive season, having represented that province or territory at a previous national or regional championship, or having attended school full-time the previous academic year, or a recognized national training centre full-time during the previous 12 months. Other similar circumstances may be considered.
8. An athlete is permitted to try out for only one province or territory per Games.
9. The eligibility of any athlete that is not clearly established by these rules and by the Technical Package shall be determined by the Sport Committee of the Council. **Coaches or Provincial Sport Organizations must bring forward any unclear cases to their Chef de Mission and to their National Sport Organization as early as possible before the competition for forwarding to the Sport Committee of the Canada Games Council.**

10. Where a team/province or territory/Chef wishes to challenge the eligibility of an athlete on another provincial/ territorial team, it is expected that such a challenge will be made as soon as the protesting team knows that an athlete may be ineligible. Every effort must be made to ensure that protests on eligibility are lodged before an athlete competes.

OTHER

1. All teams are reminded of the Canada Games Council's regulations concerning advertising on uniforms: only the uniform manufacturer's name or trade mark logo may be worn on team competition uniforms to *a maximum size of 60 square centimeters*.
2. The only coaching permitted is by those accredited coaches identified in the Technical Package. Personal coaches of athletes or additional coaches of any type will not receive accreditation and will not have access to competition or training areas.
3. Canada Games rules do not allow team staff to practice as therapists, physicians or other medical or paramedical practitioners. The Host Society (organizing committee) is responsible for providing high quality medical care at a central clinic at the Athletes' Village and at competition and training venues. The Canada Games Council assists the Host Society through its medical partners by providing additional medical practitioners to ensure that French and English speaking and male and female persons are available, to ensure that Boxing-specific medical expertise is available and to ensure that all regions of Canada are represented. Team staff will not be permitted to administer medical care to athletes.