Rostering at Bid Events

Accuracy & Enforcement

Clubs are responsible for ensuring that rosters submitted at Worlds bid competitions and Worlds are true and accurate. Rosters must comply with cheer athlete bid limitations.

Violations & Consequences

- Any team or club found in violation at a bid-qualifying event will be ineligible to receive a bid.
- If a roster violation is discovered after a bid has been awarded, the bid will be forfeited.
- Ineligible rosters will result in one or more of the following non-compliance penalties:
  - Disqualification
  - Fines
  - Repayment of a full or partial-paid bid to the event producer
  - Denial of participation for the team and/or club at future events, including The Cheerleading Worlds
  - Suspension or revocation of USASF membership
  - Other disciplinary action as determined by the USASF Compliance Committee

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- Only teams with eligible rosters attached to the bid-earning event may be awarded a Worlds bid.
- Each team must submit their official roster for the bid-earning event through the USASF member portal.
- The roster must be accurate and include all athletes that took the floor for that team at the bid-earning event.
- The club must report roster changes to an event official and obtain approval before the team takes the floor, allowing adequate time to verify eligibility.
- A team's roster MUST be updated to reflect changes. The club and/or the Event Producer may ask for assistance from the USASF Compliance department to make the necessary changes in the member portal. The accuracy of the roster is the responsibility of the club.

Clubs have 72 hours to verify the accuracy of a bid-receiving team's roster in the member portal. Any discrepancies must be reported to compliance@usasf.net within the 72-hour verification period so corrections can be made to the roster.

Division & Team Size Requirements

- Teams accepting any type of Worlds bid must compete in the same division in which the bid was earned.
- Teams may not compete at Worlds with more athletes than took the floor when the bid was earned.
- Teams must meet the division requirements to compete at Worlds.

Original Team Members

Athletes on the floor for **the team's first performance** at the bid-earning event are designated as original team members. Original team members may be replaced in subsequent performances at the bid-earning event or when the team builds its roster for Worlds. Limits apply to the number of replacements allowed both at the bid-earning event and on the team's final Worlds roster.