## **Classification Flowchart** Version April 2024 **ACTIONS** NO -**UHC ASSESSOR ATHLETE IS NOT ELIGIBLE: DESIGNATION ALLOCATED Condition Assessment Underlying Health** DOES THE ATHLETE HAVE AN UNDERLYING **HEALTH CONDITION (UHC) THAT MAY LEAD STAGE 1 DESIGNATION:** TO AN ELIGIBLE IMPAIRMENT (EI)? 'Not Eligible - Underlying Health Condition' (NE-UHC) Assessment conducted based on a review of the **RE-EVALUATION:** Athlete's Diagnostic Information; Review by second UHC Assessor UHC and EI defined in the Classification Code. **CHALLENGE ROUTE: Appeal** YES **CLASSIFICATION PANEL** NO : ATHLETE IS **NOT ELIGIBLE: DESIGNATION ALLOCATED** DOES THE ATHLETE HAVE AN UNDERLYING **HEALTH CONDITION THAT DOES LEAD TO AN STAGE 2 DESIGNATION: ELIGIBLE IMPAIRMENT?** 'Not Eligible - Eligible Impairment' (NE-EI) Physical assessment conducted in person; **STAGE 3 DESIGNATION:** UHC and EI defined in the Classification Code. 'Not Eligible - Minimum Impairment Criteria' (NE-MIC) **RE-EVALUATION:** YES Review by second Classification Panel **CHALLENGE ROUTE: CLASSIFICATION PANEL** NO Appeal DOES THE ATHLETE MEET THE MINIMUM IMPAIRMENT CRITERIA (MIC) FOR THE ELIGIBLE IMPAIRMENT? **CLASSIFICATION NOT COMPLETED** Physical assessment conducted in person; **DESIGNATION:** 'Classification Not Completed' (CNC) Minimum Impairment Criteria set by International Federation for each sport and each Eligible **CHALLENGE ROUTE: None** Impairment. An Evaluation Session may be suspended and an Athlete designated CNC for several reasons, including suspected YES Intentional Misrepresentation. ATHLETE IS ELIGIBLE **Evaluation Session CLASSIFICATION PANEL ALLOCATION OF FINAL SPORT CLASS AND SPORT CLASS STATUS** WHAT SPORT CLASS AND SPORT CLASS STATUS SHOULD BE ALLOCATED TO THE **SPORT CLASS:** Set by the International Federation **ATHLETE? SPORT CLASS STATUS:** 'Confirmed' (C), 'Review at the Assessment conducted in person; Next Available Opportunity' (R-NAO), or 'Review with Evaluation of the extent to which the Athlete's Fixed Review Date' (R-FRD) El impacts their ability to execute the tasks and activities fundamental to the sport. **CHALLENGE ROUTE(S): PROTEST:** Sport Class only **APPEAL:** Sport Class and/or Sport Class Status **CLASSIFICATION PANEL** IS AN OBSERVATION ASSESSMENT REQUIRED? (IN-COMPETITION ONLY) Following an Observation Assessment, a Panel may either: **ALLOCATION OF PROVISIONAL SPORT CLASS** a. confirm an Athlete's Sport Class and allocate a **AND SPORT CLASS STATUS** Sport Class Status, **b.** require the Athlete to redo any prior stages of Whether an Observation Assessment is required is the Evaluation Session and/or undergo a further determined by the IF for each sport. **c.** designate the Athlete as 'Classification Not Completed' (CNC). Require the Athlete to redo any prior stages of the Evaluation Session, and/or undergo a further Observation Assessment.