



Curling Canada National Team Program Funding Criteria for the 2025/2026 Season

Funding partners have designated that all National Team Program funding go towards the pursuit and likelihood of Podium Performances at World and Olympic Competitions.

All Curling Canada National Team Program Funding must align with the National Team Program Framework under the supervision of the High-Performance Director and the National Program Managers.

Able Bodied Program:

National Team Program funds will be distributed to five teams per gender, based on the possible scenarios listed below. (Total funds to distribute will be determined by June 15, 2025)

Any team changes must be consulted and approved by the High-Performance Director and Program Manager. Failure to do so could result in removal from the NTP including carding and funding monies.

NTP Funds for 5 Trials Qualifying Teams per Gender			
Scenario 1			
Tier Funding - 2025/2026 Season		2025 Brier and Scotties Champions, team must be ranked in the top 4 from the CTRS as at the end of the 24/25 year.	
Rank			
1	25%	Tier 1	2025 Brier / Scotties Champions
2	21%	Tier 2	Next highest ranked 2 Year CTRS (23 - 25), excluding the Brier/Scotties winner
3	21%	Tier 2	Next highest ranked 2 Year CTRS (23 - 25), excluding the Brier/Scotties winner
4	21%	Tier 2	Next highest ranked 2 Year CTRS (23 - 25), excluding the Brier/Scotties winner
5	12%	Tier 3	Next highest ranked 2 Year CTRS (23 - 25), excluding the Brier/Scotties winner
Total	100%		
Scenario 2			
Tier Funding - 2025/2026 Season		2025 Brier or Scotties Champions if the team is not ranked in the top 4 from the CTRS as at the end of the 24/25 year.	
Rank			
1	22%	Tier 1	2025 Brier / Scotties Champions if not ranked top 4 from the CTRS as at the end of the 24/25 year.
2	22%	Tier 1	Next highest ranked 2 Year CTRS (23 - 25), excluding the Brier/Scotties winner
3	22%	Tier 1	Next highest ranked 2 Year CTRS (23 - 25), excluding the Brier/Scotties winner
4	22%	Tier 1	Next highest ranked 2 Year CTRS (23 - 25), excluding the Brier/Scotties winner
5	12%	Tier 2	Next highest ranked 2 Year CTRS (23 - 25), excluding the Brier/Scotties winner
Total	100%		

Mixed Doubles National Team Program:

National Team Program funds will be distributed to a minimum of 4 Mixed Doubles teams (8 athletes) for the 2025-26 season.

Teams who may be funded are:

- 1) 2025 MD Curling Trials Champions
- 2) 2025 Canadian Mixed Doubles Champions
- 3) 2024 Canadian Mixed Doubles Champions
- 4) Olympic Back Up Team/2025 MD Curling Trials Runner-up (TBC)
- 5) Any MD Team receiving AAP carding funds in the 2025/26 season

If there are any remaining NTP slots available to fill the quota, they will be awarded to the next-highest ranked team on the 2024-25 CMDR as of May 1, 2025.

Each athlete in the MD NTP will receive NTP funding to allocate towards competition, training & sport science. (Total funds to distribute will be determined by June 15, 2025 after our OTP funding allocation)