

World Boccia General International Referee Selection Criteria

1. Priority is on availability for competitions in the International Referee's (IR) own region first. Only if there are not enough regional IRs for a competition will IRs from outside that region be considered. If out of region IRs are required for a competition, priority will be given to IRs from nearby countries.
2. IRs who have never been Head Referee (HR) before can only apply to be Assistant Head Referee (AHR). Only IRs who have performed the role of AHR twice can apply to be HR
3. Whenever possible, the HR and AHR will be from different countries
5. IRs who are selected as an HR or AHR for one event, can be selected for a second event as an IR if there is a need.
6. IRs who have a history of accepting and then declining competitions will be given low priority.
7. While every effort will be made to give IRs at least one competition per year, if an IR only has availability for one competition there is no guarantee they will be selected for it.