

## INTERNATIONAL WEIGHTLIFTING FEDERATION (IWF)

### A. Events and Quotas

MEN'S EVENTS (6)	WOMEN'S EVENTS (5)
56 kg	48 kg
62 kg	53 kg
69 kg	58 kg
77 kg	63 kg
85 kg	+63 kg
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QUOTA	QUALIFIED VIA IF	NOC UNIVERSALITY PLACES	HOST COUNTRY PLACES	TOTAL
Men	47	12	1	60
Women	39	10	1	50
TOTAL	86	22	2	110

#### NOC QUOTA

Maximum of four (4) athletes per NOC (2 Men and 2 Women).  
Within this total quota, a maximum of one (1) athlete per NOC per weight category will be permitted.

#### ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible for the YOG, athletes must be born between 1 January 1993 and 31 December 1994

### B. Qualification System

#### PERFORMANCE & CONTINENTAL REPRESENTATION

##### GENERAL PRINCIPLES

- NOCs will achieve qualification places according to their position in the team classification by points at the 2009 Youth World Championships or at their respective Continental Qualification event (see tables below).
- One continental qualification event will be held for each continent. Participation will be open to all NOCs of the continent, however only NOCs which have not gained qualification places in the 2009 Youth World Championships may win qualification places for the YOG.
- The team classification is calculated from the Total results as per the IWF Technical Rules.

##### MEN'S QUALIFICATION EVENTS

- 2009 Youth World Championships:

Team placing: 1 <sup>st</sup> to 9 <sup>th</sup>	2 athletes / NOC
10 <sup>th</sup> to 16 <sup>th</sup>	1 athlete / NOC
Altogether: 16 NOCs	25 athletes

- YOG Continental Qualification Events in 2010 (5 continents):

Europe:	1 <sup>st</sup> to 5 <sup>th</sup>	1 athlete / NOC
Asia:	1 <sup>st</sup> to 5 <sup>th</sup>	1 athlete / NOC
Pan-Am.:	1 <sup>st</sup> to 4 <sup>th</sup>	1 athlete / NOC
Africa:	1 <sup>st</sup> to 4 <sup>th</sup>	1 athlete / NOC
<u>Oceania:</u>	<u>1<sup>st</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup></u>	<u>1 athlete / NOC</u>
Altogether:	22 NOCs	22 athletes

#### WOMEN'S QUALIFICATION EVENTS

- 2009 Youth World Championships::

Team placing:	1 <sup>st</sup> to 7 <sup>th</sup>	2 athletes / NOC
	8 <sup>th</sup> to 15 <sup>th</sup>	1 athlete / NOC
Altogether:	15 NOCs	22 athletes

- YOG Continental Qualification Events in 2010 (5 continents):

Europe:	1 <sup>st</sup> to 4 <sup>th</sup>	1 athlete / NOC
Asia:	1 <sup>st</sup> to 4 <sup>th</sup>	1 athlete / NOC
Pan-Am.:	1 <sup>st</sup> to 3 <sup>rd</sup>	1 athlete / NOC
Africa:	1 <sup>st</sup> to 3 <sup>rd</sup>	1 athlete / NOC
<u>Oceania:</u>	<u>1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup></u>	<u>1 athlete / NOC</u>
Altogether:	17 NOCs	17 athletes

#### HOST COUNTRY REPRESENTATION

The host country will be able to send one (1) male athlete and one (1) female athlete to the YOG

#### C. Reallocation of unused quota places

##### UNUSED IF QUOTA PLACES

Any unused IF quota places will be reallocated by the IWF considering the following principles (in order of priority):

1. NOCs not yet qualified for the YOG
2. NOCs which participated in at least one (1) of the YOG Qualification events
3. Universality
4. Gender
5. Performance

##### UNUSED HOST COUNTRY PLACES

Any unused host country places will be reallocated by the IWF considering the following principles (in order of priority):

1. NOCs not yet qualified for the YOG
2. NOCs which participated in at least one (1) of the YOG Qualification events
3. Universality
4. Gender
5. Performance

UNUSED NOC UNIVERSALITY PLACES
Any NOC universality places left vacant will be reallocated by the IWF considering the following principles (in order of priority):
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. NOCs not yet qualified for the YOG</li> <li>2. Universality</li> <li>3. Gender</li> <li>4. Performance</li> </ol>

**D. Qualification timeline**

DATE	MILESTONE
March 2009 to May 2010	YOG 2010 IF qualification period
2009	2009 Youth World Championships ( <i>to be announced in December 2008</i> )
2010	European Continental Qualification event ( <i>to be announced in March 2009</i> )
2010	Asian Continental Qualification event ( <i>to be announced in March 2009</i> )
2010	Pan-Am Continental Qualification event ( <i>to be announced in March 2009</i> )
2010	African Continental Qualification event ( <i>to be announced in March 2009</i> )
2010	Oceania Continental Qualification event ( <i>to be announced in March 2009</i> )
June – 14 July 2010	Reallocation of unused NOC universality places and final reallocation period for unused quota places
15 July 2010	Entries deadline (by name) for all sports