



2017 MTB Junior Series : Supplementary Athlete Approval

According to UCI requirement, all athletes competing in a UCI junior series race outside of their country of residence must have at least 20 UCI points in the latest UCI XCO individual junior ranking, or belong to a UCI Elite MTB Team or UCI MTB Team. For riders who do not meet either of these criteria, Cycling Canada may approve a maximum of 5 supplementary athletes for each junior category (men & women).

To apply to be a supplementary athlete, [please click here](#).

Please note:

- All supplementary athletes must still enter the competition independently before the entry deadline.
- Supplementary athletes will be required to complete the National Team information form and CCES online education sessions upon approval. Access to both will be emailed with your approval notice.
- Applications must be submitted in full 4 weeks prior to the race (see the American competitions below as an example. Note the deadline for Bonelli has been extended due to publication date of this process.)

Supplementary athletes will be approved in the following priority order:

1. Top 10 junior athletes at the 2016 National Championships;
2. Top 10 cadet athletes at the 2016 National Championships;
3. Top 11-20 junior athletes at the 2016 National Championships;
4. Top 11-20 cadet athletes at the 2016 National Championships;
5. Order of finish at the 2016 National Championships;
6. Recommended by the National Development Program Coach.

Date	Competition Name	Location	Application Deadline
08 Apr 17	US Cup - Bonelli Park + UCI Junior Series XCO	San Dimas, CA	22 Mar 17
10 Jun 17	Missoula XC + UCI Junior Series XCO	Missoula, MT	13 May 17
23-25 Jun 17	Chile Challenge + UCI Junior Series XCO	Angel Fire, NM	10 Jun 17
12-13 Aug 17	Windham Pro GRT/XCT + UCI Junior Series XCO	Windham, NY	15 July 17

The full competition list can be found on the UCI website: <http://www.uci.ch/mountain-bike/calendar/>

For more information please contact jennifer.mahoney@cyclingcanada.ca