



Important Definitions

- **International-Level Athlete (ILA):** Athletes included in the Registered Testing Pool, Testing Pool and any other Pool established by the FIPV, as well as Athletes participating in the following FIPV International Events: World Cup (30m, 36m, 54m and Trinquet), Under-22 World Championship (30m, 36m, 54m Frontball and Trinquet), and Senior World Championships (30m, 36m, 54m and Trinquet). you must apply to International Federation of Basque Pelota in advance, as soon as the need arises, unless there are emergency or exceptional circumstances.
- **National-Level Athlete (NLA):** *Athletes* who compete in sport at the national level, as defined by each *National Anti-Doping Organization*, consistent with the *International Standard for Testing and Investigations*
- **Event period:** The time between the beginning and end of an Event, as established by the ruling body of the Event. For FIPV the Event Period refers to the period commencing with the first Competition of the Event until the end of the last Competition of the Event.
- **In-competition period:** The period commencing at 11:59 p.m. on the day before a *Competition* in which the *Athlete* is scheduled to participate through the end of such *Competition* and the *Sample* collection process related to such *Competition*
- **Out-of-competition period:** Any period which is not In-Competition.