



2027 Selection Criteria for the Premier Inter Provincial

To be eligible for selection, a player must meet the following criteria:

- Be handicapped and be in good standing at a club in the Gauteng North Region for a minimum period of 6 months prior to the IPT.
- Be a South African resident or meet the minimum criteria set out by GolfRSA for foreign nationals.

Selection time frame:

Selection will be done based on the 12-month period based on the Open GolfRSA ranking on 21 February 2027 (GNGU Open).

Selection:

- On the 30th of November 2026 the captain will be selected along with a squad of 12 players.
- After the summer swing - 21 February 2027
 - The **top four (4)** Gauteng North players on the **National Order of Merit** will be automatically selected.
 - In addition, **four (4) wild card** players will be selected by the Selection Committee.
 - * 1 of these spots may be used to meet the transformation requirements.
 - * Should a player in the top 4 not be available, the players will just shift up.
 - * Captain selection to come out of auto selection spots or wild cards based on ranking.

In addition to the above criteria, the Selection Committee will also consider the following:

- National Colours and Performance in International Tournaments.
- A player with regular offenses (WD, NR or DQ) may not be eligible for selection in the current season. Offences will be handled on merit by selection committee.
- National Junior and Mid-Amateur Rankings
- Other relevant factors at the selector's discretion such as breach of code of conduct and team involvement will also be taken into account.

Player requirements:

- Players must inform GNGU as soon as possible about any injuries and keep GNGU up to date with the recovery process.
- Make themselves available for squad alignment sessions and team preparation.

The final decision of the selection of the team rests with the Selection Committee of the Gauteng North Golf Union and they may alter the published selection criteria without notice. It must be remembered that the aim of the selection process is to identify a team of players that can represent the Union with dignity and honour.