



2022 IBSA Blind Football World Grand Prix

29th July - 8th August 2022

PUEBLA, MÉXICO

**Invitation and Entry Forms for the
IBSA Blind Football World Grand Prix 2022**



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Welcome Message

Dear friends,

We are delighted to host the Blind Football World Grand Prix in Mexico. For the very time Mexico will be hosting the First Men's Blind Football World Grand Prix.

We are confident that the event will live up to all expectations. We look forward to seeing you in great numbers and eager to take part in this event.

*- Tournament Director & Project Director,
Mexican Federation of Sports for the Blind and
Visually Impaired (LOC)*



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The Mexican Federation of Sports for the Blind and Visually Impaired (FEMEDECIDEVI) the official affiliate of the National Commission of Physical Culture and Sports (CONADE) and Mexican Paralympic Committee (COPAME) is delighted to take up the Local Organizing Committee (LOC) role for the IBSA Blind Football World Grand Prix 2022

1. Dates and Contacts

The 2022 IBSA Blind Football Men's World Grand Prix will be held in [Puebla, México](#) from the 29th of July to the 8th of August 2022.

Main contact person for national teams:

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Website: <https://www.deporte.gob.mx/fmdcdv/index.asp>

2. Travel Information

a) Travel to/from/in Puebla, Mexico

- **Airport:** Mexico City International Airport ([AICM](#))

Local transportation between Mexico City International Airport and the competition venue/hotel will be provided to all accredited delegation members, from the official arrival day to the official departure day.

National teams must provide information on travel arrangements. Pickup at airport/ can only be guaranteed if the travel details are provided by the dates requested on the booking form.

b) Passports, Visas and Covid-19 regulations

The participants need a valid passport for entering Mexico.

In addition, as entry restrictions to Mexico are frequently changing based on the **COVID-19** situation, please check the updated rules and regulations by the Ministry of Health ([click here](#)).



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1. The Championship

Schedule

Arrival of the teams: **29th July 2022**
Classification Period: **30th to 1st August 2022**
Opening Ceremony: **1st August 2022**
Opening Game: **2nd August 2022**
Competition Period: **2nd to 7th August 2022**
Closing Ceremony: **7th August 2022**
Departure: **8th August 2022**

A more detailed schedule of the event can be found as **Appendix 1 “Competition Schedule”** at the end of this document.

Format

- 8 Men’s national teams* - 2 groups (4 teams for each group)
- After the group stages, the teams finishing 1st and 2nd will progress to the semi-finals
- Teams finishing 3rd will play off for 5th and 6th position
- Teams finishing 4th will play off for 7th and 8th position



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The Referees will be **official IBSA referees**, and all the matches shall be played according to the current **IBSA Blind Football regulations 2022-2025**, [link](#).

Prior to the event, **team training sessions** will be guaranteed at the practice grounds.

Changing rooms will be available for all teams inside the venues. Showers and toilets are located with the changing rooms.

The event is subject to **random doping tests** in accordance with IBSA regulations. Athletes should refer to the IBSA Anti-Doping Policy. Any athlete taking medication subject to doping controls must be in possession of a valid IBSA Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE). For information on IBSA's anti-doping policies and how to apply for a TUE, [click here](#).

Classification process will respect IBSA procedure, as defined by IBSA Classification rules ([click here](#)) only athletes competing in this event can be classified.

Procedure for the classification of an athlete at a competition:

- A fully filled MDF, dated and signed by a certified ophthalmologist, must be uploaded on ISAS **6 weeks prior to the event**. Only updated MDF versions will be accepted ([download here](#)).
- For athletes with a Review status - tests and complementary medical exams requested in previous competitions should be uploaded at the same time of MDF (6 weeks prior to the event, **25th June 2022**). Every athlete should state in the MDF if they wear optical correction (glasses, contact lenses, filters) during competitions.
- If the MDF is not uploaded before the deadline, the athlete will **NOT** be scheduled for classification, and will **NOT** enter the competition. **There will be no exception.**

Teams who do not have their own team doctor will be able to receive the **event medical assistance**. The medical assistance will operate daily during the competition time.

Participating member organizations are **responsible for their own insurance** requirements for travel, personal accident, liability, and medical matters.

For the participation in the event, all the legal **regulations issued by the Mexican Government on Covid-19** will be respected, also considering the **IBSA guidelines** for the safe organization of international sport events.

All the athletes **must be licensed for the current year (2022)**, have a **valid eye classification**, and belong to an **IBSA Member** in good standing.

Team athlete entries should be made using the **ISAS Online Registration System** ([click here](#)).

The **substitution** of an athlete (because of injuries, visa problems or all other reasons) will only be allowed **up to the deadline** of the MDF upload. After that date **NO substitutes** will be allowed to participate.



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4. The Competition Venue



The competition will take place in La Madriguera (Topos Puebla Club), a sports center built in 2021 and located south of the City of Puebla, one artificial grass ground, just 20 minutes from the city center, so the arrival to the place is very accessible. The nearby area is in urban development so there is very little noise.

5. Accommodation

National teams, officials, referees, classifiers, and other invited participants will be staying at the 5 Star category hotel near the Venue.



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6. Food Arrangements

During the Championships, accredited members will be served **Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner** at the Hotel (from the dinner on 29th July to breakfast on 8th August).

The meals will be served at the following times:

Breakfast 06:30 – 09:30 h Lunch: 12:00 – 15:00 h Dinner: 19:00 – 22:00 h

Variations may occur according to the final program of the matches. There will be a vegetarian option at all meals. Gluten-free and other special dietary meals are available on request at an extra cost.

7. Entry fees

Entry fee: € 350 per person for the whole period - 10 nights (arrival on 29th July – departure on 8th August)

- Deposit (30%) to be paid on or before 16th May 2022
- Deposit (Next 40%) to be paid on or before 16th July 2022
- Balance (Total) to be paid on or before 25th July 2022

The fees cover:

- 10 nights, twin sharing accommodation
- Transfers (see section 5)
- Meals (see section 6)

For the accommodation in **single room**, please contact the Local Organizing Committee with specific requirements

The fees do NOT cover:

- IBSA capitation tax (€25 per athlete)
- Optional payment for extra nights or additional group members (priority will be given to delegations) - see Forms 2, 3
- Additional costs associated with arrival/departure from other airports
- Other expenses may be applied on arrival, depending on team requirements. These may include additional ice packs (free ice for matches is provided), snacks, and recreational activities.

Payment:

Payments must always be in Euro (€).

Please note that you are responsible for paying all bank charges, including transfer fees.



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8. Important deadlines (Entry forms)

Form n.		Start Date	Deadline
1	Preliminary Information	15th April	15th May
2	Finance – 30 % deposit		16th May
3	Finance – Next 40 % deposit		16th July
6	Finance – balance of payment and IBSA capitation Fees		25th July
7	Team profile and dietary requirements		16th July
8	Arrival/departure details		29th July/8th August
9	Delegation Form (Entry by name)		15th May



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Appendix 1 – General Schedule

	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Arrival</i>											
<i>Classifications</i>											
<i>Opening Ceremony</i>											
<i>Opening Game</i>											
<i>Preliminary sessions</i>											
<i>Semifinals</i>											
<i>Placement Matches</i>											
<i>Final</i>											
<i>Closing Ceremony</i>											
<i>Players Party</i>											
<i>Departure</i>											



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Appendix 2 – Schedule of the Games

<i>SESSIONS</i>				
	8:00	16:00	18:00	20:00
29 July	Arrival			
30 July	Classification/ Trainings	Classification/ Trainings	Classification/ Trainings	Classification/ Trainings
31 July	Classification/ Trainings	Classification/ Trainings	Classification/ Trainings	Opening Ceremony
1 August	Classification/ Trainings	Classification/ Trainings	Classification/ Trainings	Classification/Prelimi nary Sessions
2 August	Group A	Group B	Group A	Group B
3 August	Group B	Group A	Group B	Group A
4 August	Group A	Group B	Group A	Group B
5 August	Free Day			
6 August	Group A 4th vs Group B 4th (7th/ 8th position)	Group A 3 rd vs Group B 3 rd (5th/ 6th position)	Semifinal-1 Group A 1 st vs Group B 2 nd	Semifinal-2 Group B 1 st vs Group A 2 nd
7 August	3 rd Place Match		Final	Trophy Ceremony
8 August	Departure			



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FORM 1: Preliminary Information

This form must be returned by E-Mail no later than 15th May 2022 to:

Fernando Bravo Suárez (Federation Director): femedecidevi@hotmail.com

Country	
Name of Federation	
Address	
Telephone	
Mobile	
e-mail	
Name of Contact Person	
Position of Contact Person	
Estimate of Athletes numbers	
Estimate of Staff numbers	



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FORM 2: First Finance Form: Deposit

This form must be returned by E-Mail no later than 16th May 2022 to:

Fernando Bravo Suárez (Federation Director): femedecidevi@hotmail.com

COUNTRY	
<i>Payment of 30 % of the total entry fee amount should be transferred to the following bank account. You are responsible for paying all bank charges, including transfer fees.</i>	
BANK NAME	
ACCOUNT NUMBER	
IFSC CODE	
ACCOUNT HOLDER NAME	
SWIFT CODE	

Payment Summary	Total	30 % deposit payable
€ 350 per person (10 nights - arriving on 29 th July to 8 th August in Twin sharing)	€	€
For the accommodation in Single room , please contact the Local Organizing Committee with specific requirements	€	€
€ 100 per person for any additional night (Twin sharing)		
For the accommodation in Single room , please contact the Local Organizing Committee with specific requirements	€	€
Number of people: Number of nights: Dates:		
Total	€	€



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FORM 3: Second Finance Form: Next 40 % deposit

This form must be returned by E-Mail no later than 16th July 2022 to:
Fernando Bravo Suárez (Federation Director): femedecidevi@hotmail.com

COUNTRY	
<i>Payments of 40 % of the total entry fee. The correct amount should be transferred to the following bank account. You are responsible for paying all bank charges, including transfer fees.</i>	
BANK NAME	
ACCOUNT NUMBER	
IFSC CODE	
ACCOUNT HOLDER NAME	
SWIFT CODE	

Payment Summary	Total	Next 40% payable
€ 350 per person (10 nights - arriving on 29 th July to 8 th August in Twin sharing)	€	€
For the accommodation in Single room , please contact the Local Organizing Committee with specific requirements	€	€
€ 100 per person for any additional night (Twin sharing) For the accommodation in Single room , please contact the Local Organizing Committee with specific requirements Number of people: Number of nights: Dates:	€	€
Total	€	€



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FORM 4: Third Finance Form: Finance –

Balance of payment and IBSA capitation amount

This form must be returned by E-Mail no later than 25th July 2022 to:

Fernando Bravo Suárez (Federation Director) femedecidevi@hotmail.com

COUNTRY	
<i>Payments of 30% of the total entry fee and € 25 per player IBSA Capitation Fees. The correct amount should be transferred to the following bank account. You are responsible for paying all bank charges, including transfer fees.</i>	
BANK NAME	
ACCOUNT NUMBER	
IFSC CODE	
ACCOUNT HOLDER NAME	
SWIFT CODE	

Payment Summary	Total	Next 40% payable
€ 350 per person (10 nights - arriving on 29 th July to 8 th August in Twin sharing)	€	€
For the accommodation in Single room , please contact the Local Organizing Committee with specific requirements	€	€
€ 100 per person for any additional night (Twin sharing)		
For the accommodation in Single room , please contact the Local Organizing Committee with specific requirements)	€	€
Number of people: Number of nights: Dates:		
Total	€	€



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FORM 5: Team Profile and Dietary Requirements

This form must be returned by E-Mail no later than **16th July 2022 to:**

Fernando Bravo Suárez (Federation Director): femedecidevi@hotmail.com

The provided information will be used in the Official Program and event advertising.
Please remember to include to the e-mail a recent picture of your team (jpeg or jpg).

COUNTRY	
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Brief Background of the Team:

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Special Dietary requirements at a cost:

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FORM 6: Arrival / Departure Details

This form must be returned by E-Mail no later than 16th July 2022 to:

Fernando Bravo Suárez (Federation Director): femedecidevi@hotmail.com

Arrival details:

COUNTRY	
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Date	Time	Flight/train n.	Departure from	Arrival to
29 th July 2022				

Departure details:

Date	Time	Flight/train n.	Departure from	Arrival to
8 th August 2022				



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FORM 7: Delegation Form

This form must be returned by E-Mail no later than 15th May 2022 to:
Fernando Bravo Suárez (Federation Director): femedecidevi@hotmail.com

COUNTRY	
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Team Manager / Staff / Coaches:

	<i>Surname (Family Name)</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Date of Birth</i>	<i>Gender (F/M)</i>	<i>Official Position</i>
1.					
2.					
3.					
4.					
5.					

Athletes:

	<i>Surname (Family Name)</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Date of Birth</i>	<i>Nationality</i>	<i>Passport Number</i>
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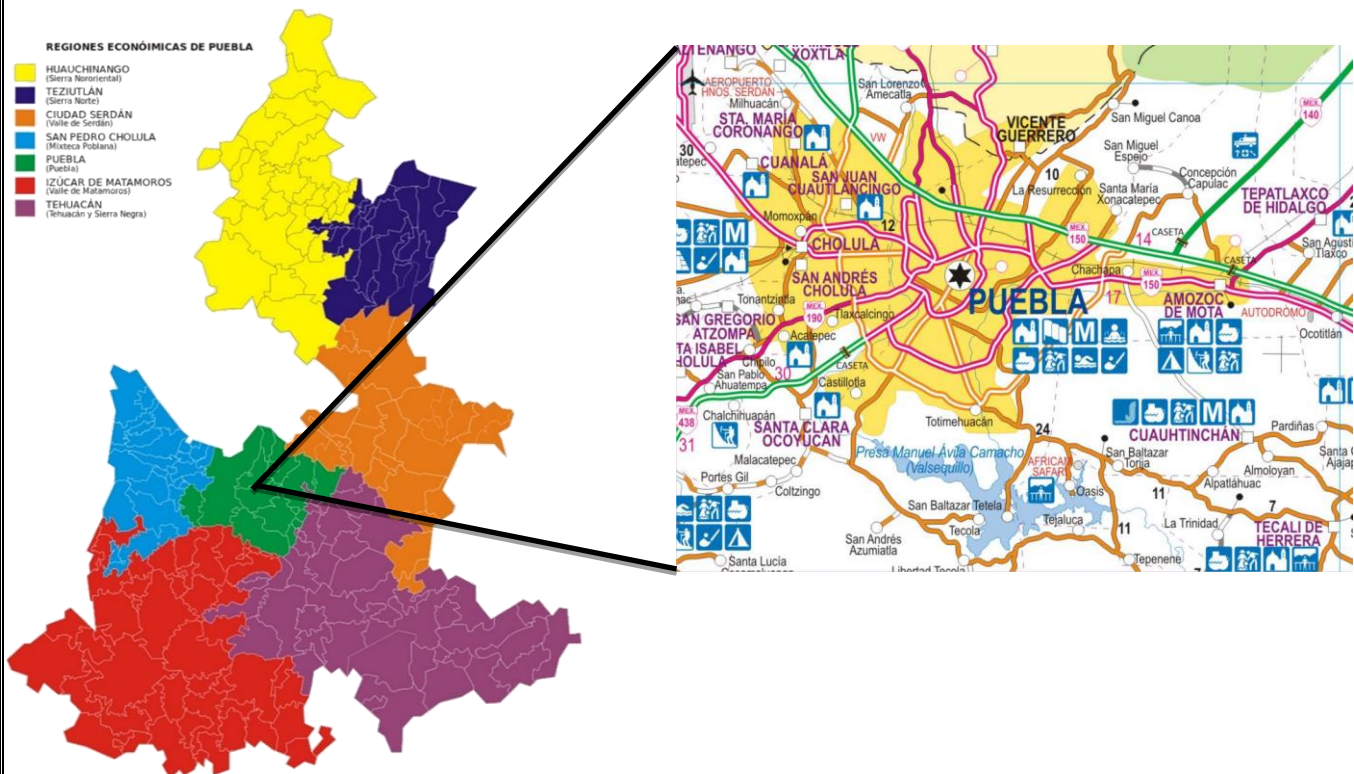
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