



BRITISH DISABILITY SWIMMING RECORD CRITERIA

- Swimmers must be eligible to represent Great Britain and be a registered member of a club affiliated to the ASA/WASA/SASA.
- Swimmers must have a current Functional Ability Card (FAC).
- Swimmers must submit their FAC to the race referee prior to the start of the race with the exception of the competitions listed below for automatic approval.
- All records achieved at the following events shall be automatically approved:
 - British Gas Swimming Championships (25m or 50m)
 - British Gas ASA National or National Youth Championships
 - British International Disability Swimming Championships
 - International Open/BT Paralympic World Cup
 - Swim Wales Disability Championships (25m or 50m)
 - UK School Games
 - DSE SC Championships
 - DSE Junior Championships
 - Overseas competitions or championships attended by British Swimming selected teams
- Records shall be recognised for men and women in Long Course and Short Course events.
- Records will be accepted when times are reported by Automatic Officiating Equipment or Semi-Automatic Officiating equipment in the event of Automatic Officiating Equipment malfunction, or by [3] digital watches in the event of Semi-Automatic Officiating Equipment malfunction.
- A pool measurement certificate must be attached if not previously lodged with the ASA.
- Rules applicable to the swimmers classification shall apply in relation to the ratification of British Records.

Swimmers may apply for Long Course and Short Course records achieved at a Licensed competition or competitions approved by IPC Swimming.

Records shall be ratified from International Federation World or Regional Championships providing that prior agreement has been sought from British Swimming a minimum of 4 weeks out from the championships by the appropriate NDSO. Following the championships a full set of results must be submitted (signed by the chief referee) highlighting all records, within 14 days of the championship in order for performances to be recognised.

British Record criteria and application forms can be obtained from the British Swimming website www.britishswimming.org or by contacting the British Swimming Office.

Records must be claimed on the official form and returned together with a copy of the Automatic Officiating Equipment (timing slip) and the full official results to: British Disability Swimming, Medway Building, Loughborough University, Loughborough LE11 3TU within 14 days of the competition. It is recommended that record applications and supporting documentation be sent by Recorded Delivery.