

### USMS Sanction and Recognition Fees as of 4/22/2020

**IMPORTANT 2020 UPDATE:** To encourage the reintroduction of events when safe and appropriate, the USMS Board of Directors decided to waive all national sanction fees for the remainder of 2020 (no changes to recognized event fees). This will include fees for upcoming ePostal and Open Water National Championships surcharges if they're able to be held this year. USMS encourages event directors to offer flexible refund policies including swimmer entry fees and one-event fees (if applicable) for COVID-19 related cancellations.

\*If the one-event fee is refunded to the swimmer, it would not be owed to USMS or the LMSC.

If you have further questions email [volunteer@usmastersswimming.org](mailto:volunteer@usmastersswimming.org).

Type of Event	Sanctioned or Recognized?	Held or Canceled?	USMS Sanction Fee (fixed portion)	USMS Sanction Fee (per swimmer portion)	Due to	USMS National Event Surcharge	Due to	USMS One-Event Membership Fees collected	Due to
Pool meet	Sanctioned	Held	\$0	n/a	LMSC	n/a	n/a	\$15 per OEVT Member (unless refunded to swimmer)	LMSC Membership Coordinator with spreadsheet of OEVT Members
Pool meet	Sanctioned	Canceled	\$0	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	\$15 per OEVT Member (unless refunded to swimmer)	LMSC Membership Coordinator with spreadsheet of OEVT Members
Pool meet	Recognized	Held	\$100	n/a	LMSC	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Pool meet	Recognized	Canceled	\$0	\$0	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Open water swim	Sanctioned	Held	\$0	\$0	LMSC	n/a	n/a	\$15 per OEVT Member (unless refunded to swimmer)	LMSC Membership Coordinator with spreadsheet of OEVT Members
Open water swim	Sanctioned	Canceled	\$0	\$0	LMSC	n/a	n/a	\$15 per OEVT Member (unless refunded to swimmer)	LMSC Membership Coordinator with spreadsheet of OEVT Members
Open water swim	Sanctioned National Championship	Held	\$0	\$0 per participant	LMSC	\$0 per person	National Office	\$15 per OEVT Member (unless refunded to swimmer)	LMSC Membership Coordinator with spreadsheet of OEVT Members
Open water swim	Sanctioned National Championship	Canceled	\$0	\$0	n/a	\$0 per person	National Office	\$15 per OEVT Member (unless refunded to swimmer)	LMSC Membership Coordinator with spreadsheet of OEVT Members
Open water swim	More than one sanctioned National Championship	Held	\$0	\$0 per participant	LMSC	\$0 per person in each event	National Office	\$15 per OEVT Member (unless refunded to swimmer)	LMSC Membership Coordinator with spreadsheet of OEVT Members
Open water swim	More than one sanctioned National Championship	Canceled	\$0	\$0	n/a	\$0 per person in each event	National Office	\$15 per OEVT Member (unless refunded to swimmer)	LMSC Membership Coordinator with spreadsheet of OEVT Members
ePostal event	National Championship	Held	\$0	\$0	n/a	\$0 per person	National Office	n/a	n/a