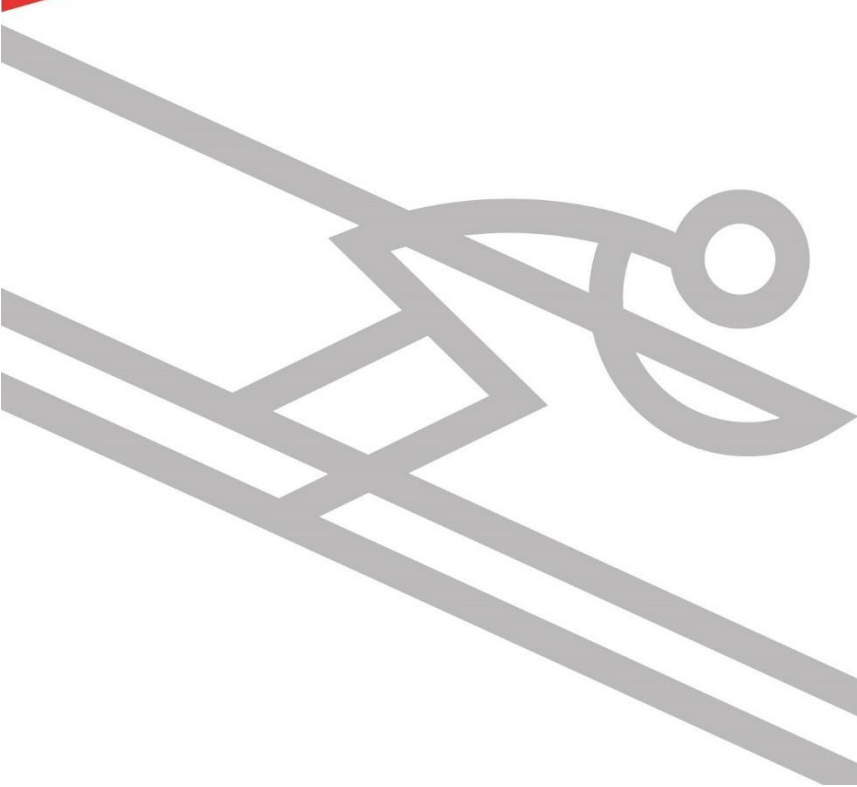


# SPORT TECHNICAL MANUAL “ALPINE SKIING” VERSION 1



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## **Welcome to the EYOF Bakuriani 2025!**

*On behalf of the EYOF Bakuriani 2025 Organizing Committee and the Sport Department, I am delighted to present you with the Sport Technical Manual for this prestigious event. Our team has worked diligently to ensure that all facilities, services, and procedures are in place, providing an ideal environment for the young athletes to achieve their personal best, embody unity in diversity, and inspire the future of European sport.*

*The Sport Technical Manual has been developed in collaboration with International Federations, Technical Delegates, and the EOC Coordination Commission. It contains crucial information to assist you in your planning for the EYOF 2025. This includes:*

- Competition and training processes
- Key dates and personnel
- Competition formats and rules
- Venue facilities, services, and maps
- Information about medal ceremonies, equipment, and more.

*Additionally, we have taken care to include guidance on health protocols, accreditation, accommodation, and other key logistical elements. Please note that some details may be subject to change before the event, so we encourage all National Olympic Committees and sport representatives to regularly check the EYOF Bakuriani 2025 Extranet for the latest updates.*

*For further details on general topics such as transportation, accommodation, and medical services, please consult the Chef de Mission Manual or contact the NOC Relations team at [nocservices@eyof2025.ge](mailto:nocservices@eyof2025.ge).*

*From 4 February 2025, any sport-related queries can be directed to the EYOF Sport Department via [sport@eyof2025.ge](mailto:sport@eyof2025.ge). Information will also be available at the Sport Information Desks located in the Athletes' Village and competition venues during the EYOF 2025.*

*We are deeply committed to ensuring the EYOF Bakuriani 2025 is a safe and successful experience for all participants, and we are excited to welcome Europe's future Olympians to this remarkable event.*

*With warm hospitality and high hopes for the Games, we look forward to seeing you in Bakuriani in February 2025!*

**Good luck,**

**Borut Kolaric**  
**Sports Director**

# 1 EYOF Bakuriani 2025 Summary

## 1.1 Georgia

- Population: 3,809,000
- Time zone UTC/GMT +4 GET Georgia Standard Time
- Dial Code: +995
- Capital: Tbilisi
- Form of Government: Unitary multiparty republic with one legislative house (Parliament)

### Language

Georgian (Kartuli) is a language spoken by Georgians, and it represents the official language of the nation. The Georgian alphabet is one of the 14 original alphabets of the world, and it is fully phonetic. There are 33 letters and the same number of sounds in the language. Therefore, the writing language fully coincides with its pronunciation.

### Currency

Georgian Lari (GEL) - the official exchange [rates](#) can be accessed on the official website of the National Bank of Georgia. The travellers have the opportunity to use different credit cards approved by the International Payment Systems. There are numerous banks in Tbilisi, Georgia. Most of them provide 24/7 services. Visitors can have ATM (cash point machines) services throughout the city. During the EYOF 2025 all participants of EYOF Bakuriani 2025 will have ATM services at the AVLs in Bakuriani, Batumi and Tbilisi.

### Important Facts & Figures

- Unique alphabet
- Endless tourism possibilities
- Cradle of wine
- First European civilization
- High level of safety
- 103 resorts of 5 types including climatic, balneological, peloidal
- More than 2000 mineral & thermal springs

### Weather Conditions

Average Weather in February:

Bakuriani:	Tbilisi:	Batumi:
Low: -7° C High: 3° C Precipitation / Rainfall: 58.0 mm	Low: -3°C High: 8°C	Low: 2°C High: 8°C

### Other

- Electricity – Electrical current – 220 Volts, 50 Hz. EU standard plugs work throughout Georgia.
- Emergency Number – 112.
- Smoking & Alcohol Consumption

The EYOF 2025 OC does not support the consumption, sale or distribution of alcohol, cigarettes and other similar tobacco products during EYOF 2025. A general no-smoking policy applies to all the accommodation facilities and the Athletes' Village area.

## 1.2 Organizing Committee

- Mr. Mamuka KHABARELI Chairman
- Mr. Zurab DARCHIASHVILI Deputy Chairman
- Mr. Shalva GODUADZE Deputy Chairman
- Mr. Borut KOLARIC Project Manager & Sports Director

The Organizing Committee envisage also Organizational Partners, Advisors Board, Heads of different Functional Areas departments, Competition Managers and their Assistants, and other staff.

## 1.3 EOC Coordination Commission

- Mr. Florin MISCA Deputy General Secretary of the Romanian Olympic and Sports Committee, Chair
- Mrs. Merle KALJURAND Project Manager, Youth Sports at the Estonian Olympic Committee, Member
- Mr. Roger SCHNEGG Secretary General of the Swiss Olympic Association, Member
- Mr. Peter BRULL EOC Sports Director
- Dr. Yuhan TAN EOC Medical Delegate

## 1.4 OC Contact information

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### NOC Relations & Services

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## 1.5 Communication channels

- FACEBOOK: <https://www.facebook.com/bakuriani2025>
- INSTAGRAM: [https://www.instagram.com/bakuriani\\_2025\\_eyof/](https://www.instagram.com/bakuriani_2025_eyof/)
- YOUTUBE: <https://www.youtube.com/@europeanolympicfestival6175>
- X: <https://x.com/bakuriani2025>
- LINKEDIN: <https://ge.linkedin.com/company/bakuriani2025-european-youth-olympic-festival>
- TIK-TOK: will be available in October 2024

## 1.6 Key dates

Dates	Key Tasks OC	Key Tasks NOC
<b>2024</b>		
9 October		Nomination of Figure Skating judges in FEN
14 October	1 <sup>st</sup> version of the Sport Technical Manuals	
17 October	Draw of Figure Skating judges	
1 November		FSK judges' nomination by Name
11 November	Opening of Entry by Name – Long List	
6 December		Radio frequency application
<b>2025</b>		
30 days before EYOF 2025		TUE application for substances prohibited in-competition only
6 January		Entry by Name – Long List
6 January		Biathlon rifle application
9 January	2 <sup>nd</sup> edition of the Sport Technical Manuals	
27 January		Final Entry by Name – Short List and Sports Entries
27 January		Figure Skating music info and Planned Program Content Sheet submission
28 January – 5/11 February		Late Athlete & Official Replacement and Withdrawal
4 February	NOC Services Sub-Center in Tbilisi opens	
4 February		Arrival of Ice Hockey girls' teams and Ice Hockey CdMs
7 February	NOC Services Center in Bakuriani and Sub-Center in Batumi opens	
7 February	Arrival of the CdMs and Introductory Meetings	
8 February		Official arrival day
8 February		All TUEs need to be submitted and approved by NADO
8 February	Official opening of Athletes' Villages	
9 – 16 February	TUE program managed by ITA	
9 February	Opening Ceremony	
10 – 16 February	Competition days	
11 February		Departure of Ice Hockey girls' teams
12 February	CdM Party and Aa get-together party	
16 February	Closing Ceremony	
17 February		Official departure day
17 February	NOC Services Centre closes	

Note: Dates may be subject to some changes or modifications.

## 2 Registration and Accreditation

### 2.1 Delegation Registration Process

The Delegation Registration Process (DRP) process is the official registration process for all NOC delegations attending the EYOF Bakuriani 2025 and is conducted through the Accreditation System – PASSPORT.

Within PASSPORT NOCs will submit their Final Entry by Number (FEN) and use the system for inserting members' data. Accreditation functionality is part of PASSPORT with which NOCs will register their NOC members on the Long List. For successful DRP NOCs will complete their Sport Entries for athletes and finalize their NOC Delegation Short List by Name. Unless the NOC has completed the DRP, members of NOC Team Delegations will not be accredited, and therefore not entitled to participate in the EYOF 2025.

Conditions for participation and nationality of competitors are described in detail in the [EYOF Charter](#), Rule 3. Please refer to CdM and Accreditation Manual for more information about categories, quotas, policy, privileges etc.

For questions regarding DRP please contact NOC Relations at [nocservices@eyof2025.ge](mailto:nocservices@eyof2025.ge).

#### 2.1.1 Steps of DRP

1. Final Entry by Numbers: FEN is open in the "Passport" system, the process is running successfully, and the deadline is 9 October 2024.
2. Long List: NOCs will have the opportunity to enter their delegation members from 11 November 2024 to 6 January 2025.
3. Short List & Sport Entries: Entry by Name will open after Long List and NOCs will need to shortlist their participants by 27 January 2025.
4. Final Confirmation: Within online DRMs and Introductory Meetings NOCs will need to confirm their Short List and Sport Entries by 7 February 2025.
5. Late Athletes' Replacement: From 28 January 2025 and up until the first Team Captains' Meeting NOCs can make a permanent replacement due to medical or exceptional circumstances.

After 27 January 2025 deadline, PASSPORT will close.

#### 2.1.2 Sport Entries

Sport Entries is part of the Short List process for athletes where NOCs enter Short List and Sport Entries data and the athlete's assignment to sports discipline(s) must be recorded for each athlete via Passport.

Specific Sport Entry data is FIS code.

#### 2.1.3 Late Athletes Replacement (LAR) and Withdrawals

In case of injury, urgent medical problems, or other exceptional circumstances, it is possible to make Late Athlete (LAR) or Official (LOR) Replacements or Withdrawal. Athletes may be replaced by substitutes only in the same sport, discipline and gender event, and official within the SDO quotas.



Late Athlete or Official replacement would be possible, if:

- Substitute (replacement) athlete is eligible to take part in the EYOF 2025.
- Substitute (replacement) athlete or official stands in the delegation Long List.
- LAR is possible until the first Team Captains' Meeting, 9 February 2025, and LOR is possible until the Introductory Meeting.

Please find more information in the LAR / LOR policy on [Extranet](#), where also applicable forms are available.

Please note that LAR is not possible if the date of birth is not according to SDO. Technical delegates will check birth and nationality data at TCM.

Replaced athlete or official must leave the AVL and the participation fee will not be reimbursed if a withdrawal occurs.

## 3 Transport

### 3.1 Arrival and Departure

#### 3.1.1 Travel by Air

The official entry points are Tbilisi International Airport, Kutaisi International Airport, and Batumi International Airport. The OC will provide free transportation for all accredited people between the official airports and AVLs.

Personal luggage will be transported with participants, while oversized baggage for sports will be collected at the assigned airport location for further transportation to the respective venue.

##### 3.1.1.1 Transport of Sports and Other (large) Equipment

There will be specific transport procedures for sports equipment and other large luggage by monitoring and counting to ensure safe and accurate transportation. The following procedure is in force:

- Upon the arrival of the luggage at the airport, the amount of luggage that arrived will be counted, recorded and signed by both parties, the NOC and OC.  
*Note: At the airport, a designated area will be clearly marked and easily identifiable with EYOF 2025 patterns. Upon retrieving your luggage, please proceed to this designated area where it will be counted and monitored. Afterward, you will be directed to the dedicated bus waiting outside.*
- During the loading of luggage on the truck the amount of luggage will be counted and recorded by the OC, after which the luggage will be loaded on the truck.  
*Note: Luggage will be loaded on the bus/truck if the amount of luggage corresponds to the number recorded upon arrival at the airport.*
- At the destination the amount of luggage will be counted and checked against the existing luggage registration list signed at the airport.  
*Note: When the luggage reaches its destination, NCS will inform CdM about the arrival of the luggage and NOC can receive the luggage upon presenting the signed document provided to the NOC at the airport. If any issues arise, contact the NCS team for assistance.*

Please note that more detailed information will be available in the Transport manual issued before EYOF.

### 3.1.1.1 Luggage Labeling

NOCs will label the luggage with a special sticker/label, which will make it easier to identify the luggage and transport it safely to the right destination.

The sticker/label will be different from each other, each of them representing the specific destination, according to which it will be easier to divide, record, monitor, and make safe transportation.

### 3.1.2 Travel by Road

Delegations arriving by their own vehicles will receive detailed information in advance to facilitate smooth transport to the AVL1, including the delivery of sports equipment or large luggage to the venues.

## 3.2 Local transport – Shuttle bus line

EYOF shuttle buses will ensure transfers for all accredited participants from the AVL1 to competition and training venues and the hotels. These buses will operate according to the defined training and competition schedules. If the competition is postponed for any reason, the bus schedule will be adjusted accordingly.

EYOF 2025 Route Network will start running with the 1<sup>st</sup> training session and will operate with frequency based on the training and competition schedule. The EYOF 2025 Route Network will stop running on 16 February 2025, the day of the CLOCER.

All athletes and coaches can use TA and TF lines.

### 3.2.1 Bakuriani Cluster

#### 3.2.1.1 EYOF shuttle bus (TA)

##### TA green line & TA blue line

(Transport Athletes; direct “bubble to bubble” line)



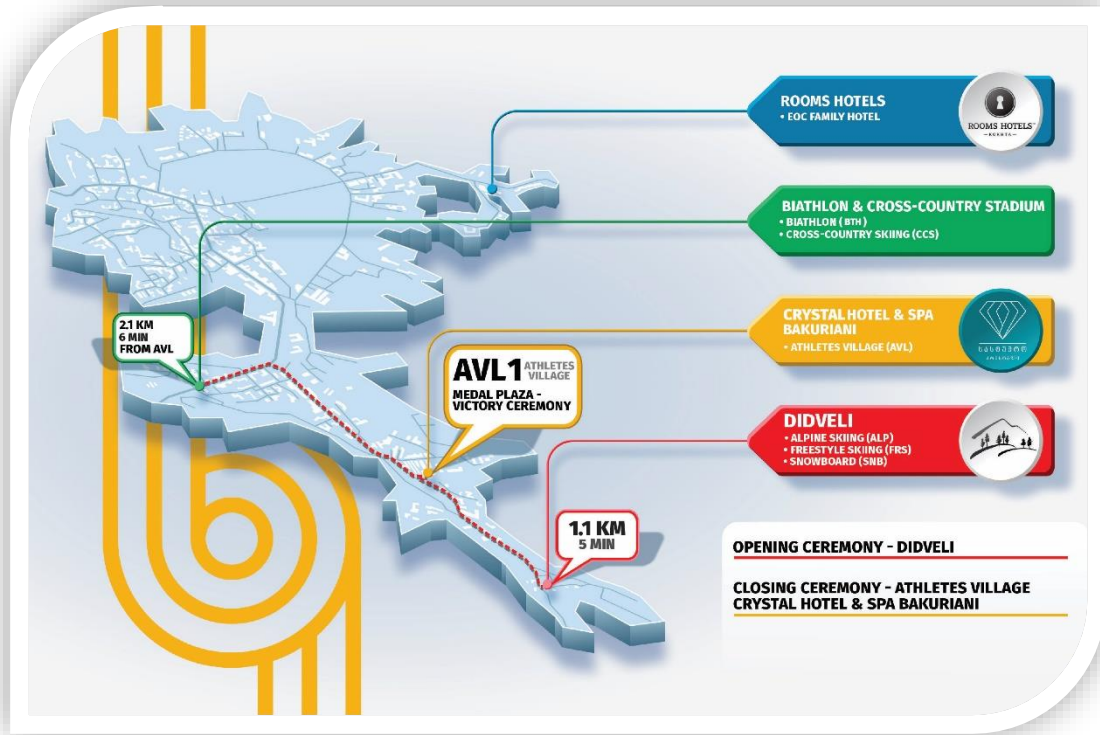
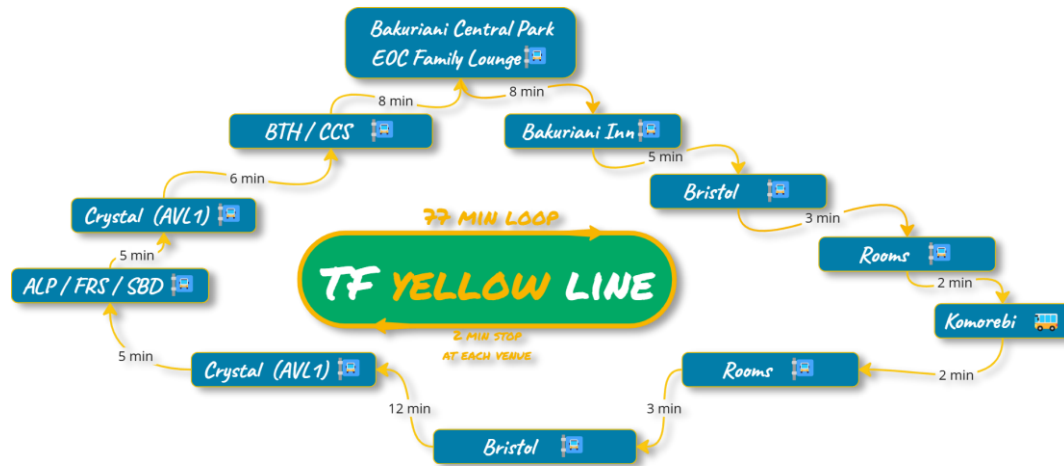


Figure 1: Maps of TA lines in Bakuriani

### 3.2.1.2 Circular route bus (TF)

#### TF yellow line



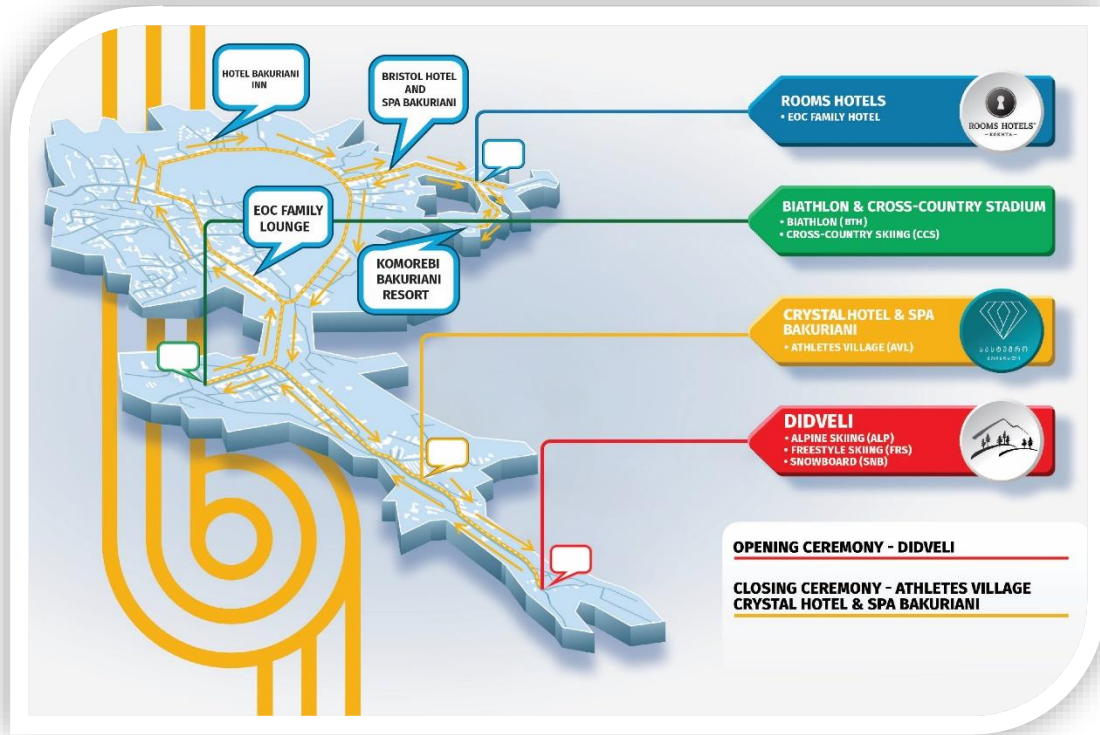
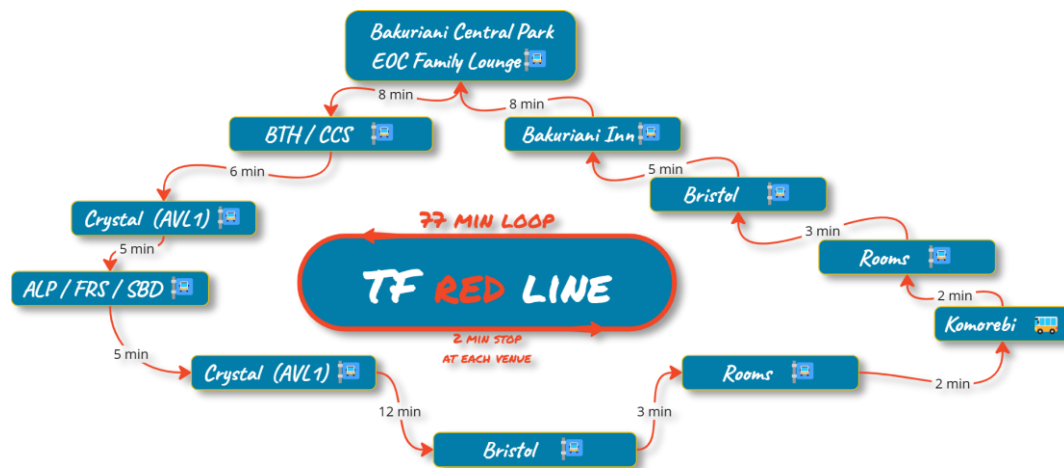


Figure 2: Stops and map of TF yellow line in Bakuriani

### TF red line



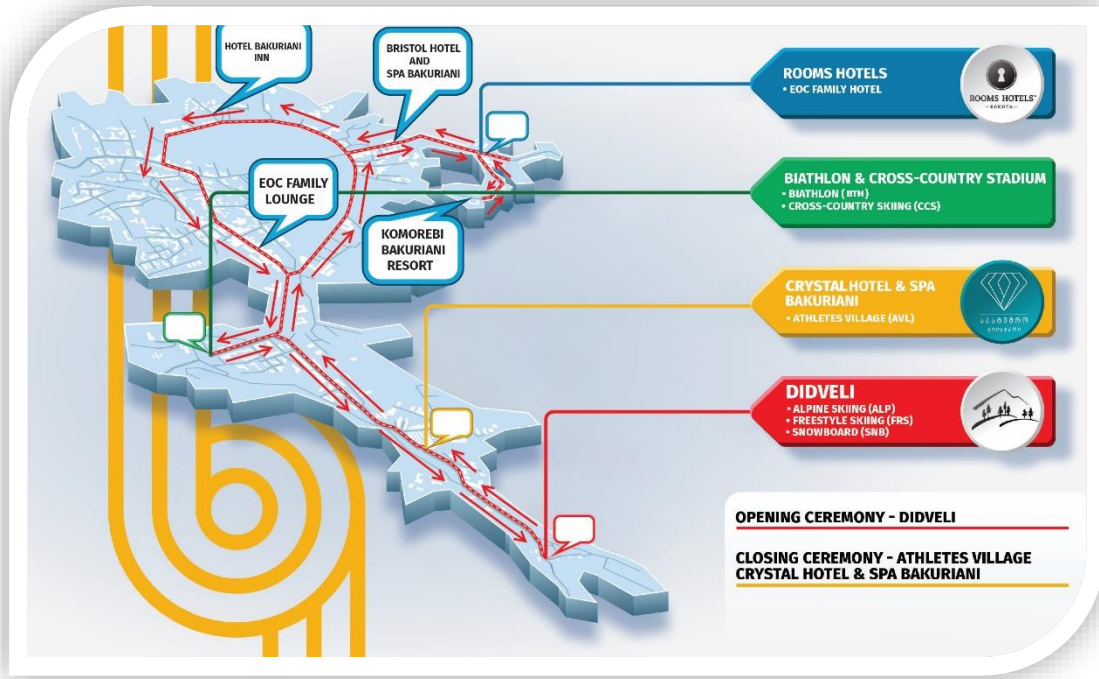


Figure 3: Stops and map of TF red line in Bakuriani

### 3.3 Vehicle Access and Parking Permits (VAPPs)

VAPPs are available to NOCs and will allow access to the accredited parking areas in the venues and AVL1. Parking at the venues is very limited and will be communicated at a later time.

## 4 Accommodation

EYOF 2025 is hosted in three cities where also Athletes' Villages (AVL) will be: Bakuriani, Tbilisi and Batumi. AVLs are high-standard hotels, and Alpine Skiing, Biathlon, Cross-Country Skiing, Freestyle Skiing and Snowboard participants will be accommodated in the main AVL1, located in Bakuriani. The participants in Ice Hockey will be accommodated in Tbilisi (AVL2), while Figure Skating and Short Track delegations will be accommodated in Batumi (AVL3).

AVL1 – Crystal Complex, is a 5-star hotel located in the mountain ski resort of Bakuriani, 185 km from Tbilisi and a few minutes before the Didveli ski lift. The hotel is near the town center.

Address: D. Aghmashenebeli str., Near Didveli ski-lift

All competition venues are within a max 2 km radius of the AVL1.

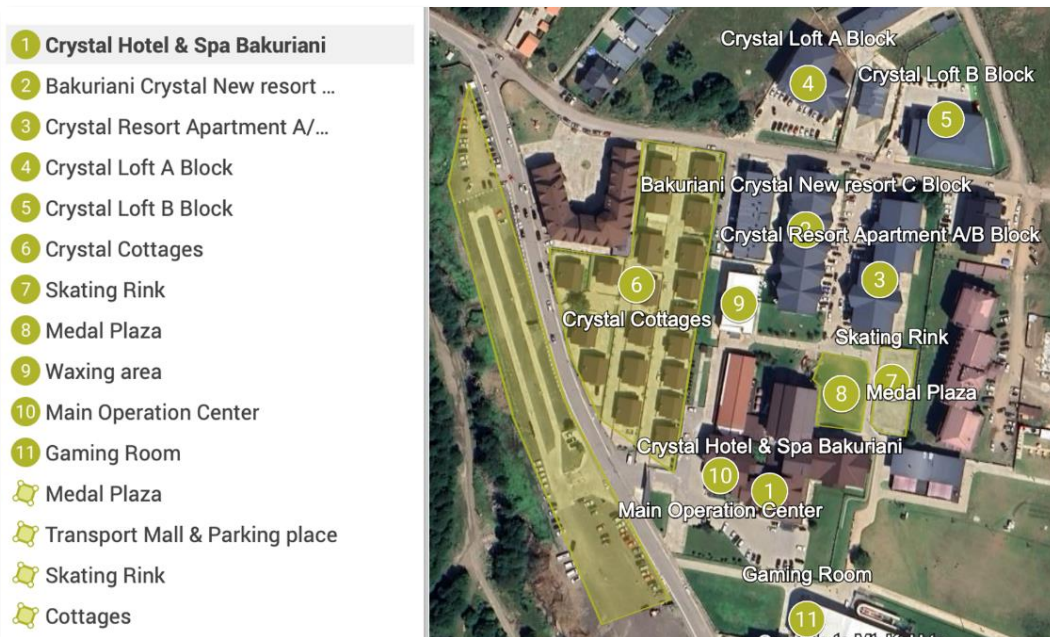


Figure 4: AVL1 layout

## 4.1 AVL Services

AVL1 has 24/7 access control at each entrance. Access to facilities will be closely monitored and controlled to ensure the safety and security of athletes and team personnel throughout the event.

There is an info Accommodation Desk at NOC SC open from 7:00 to 22:00. Emptying bins and cleaning sanitary facilities will be performed routinely, while essential hygiene supplies, such as toilet paper and soap, will be replenished as needed. In alignment with global environmental sustainability efforts, participants can ask to change used towels and bed sheets for fresh ones at the Accommodation Desk if required.

Laundry services will be available for athletes and officials at the AVL at a fee, and more information will be available at a later date.

During the EYOF 2025 high-speed free Wi-Fi will be provided in AVL1.

## 5 Catering

For all national teams staying in Bakuriani, meals are provided in the Dining Hall at AVL1. The first meal is lunch on 8 February and the last meal is lunch on 17 February, and catering services will provide three meals a day in AVL's Dining Hall. The catering operation hours are as follows:

- breakfast: 06:00 - 10:00
- lunch: 11:00 - 16:00
- dinner: 17:00 - 22:00

To ensure that only the people who have access privileges can enter the Dining Halls, everyone entering the premises should display an accreditation card and be prepared to

present it upon request. Due to the size and capacity of the dining halls, athletes are kindly asked not to bring their bags and luggage inside.

For health and food safety reasons, users of the Dining Halls may only take out of the dining hall one drink, one piece of fruit, and handheld food currently being consumed. Exceptions will only be made for injured and ill athletes. If an athlete is ill or sick or has an injury and it prevents him/her going to the Main Dining Area, CdM or a proxy should fill out a form with the NOC Service Desk. This information will be forwarded to catering with all the details needed for the timely preparation of a lunch box or hot meal.

Meal options for our daily menus include a wide variety of options, such as:

- Breakfast: A selection of cereals, fresh fruits, yogurt, eggs, bread, pastries, and hot dishes.
- Lunch & Dinner: Balanced meals featuring lean proteins (chicken, fish, beef, vegetarian), carbohydrates (pasta, rice, potatoes), and a wide variety of vegetables and salads.

We will provide a variety of beverages, including bottled water and juices. Please note that bottled water will be provided also at the resident area.

To ensure efficient service and minimize queues, the dining area will feature a separate number of stations for different types of food and beverages. These stations will include dedicated lines for main courses, salads, desserts, fruit, coffee, and other drinks.

Service will be organized in a self-service style to enhance efficiency and convenience for all participants. Clear and prominent signage will be placed throughout the facilities to guide participants to various service stations, amenities, and important locations, ensuring a seamless and navigable experience. Access to the dining hall will be once per meal, and no meal vouchers will be available for purchase.

All food items will be clearly labeled with allergen information to ensure the safety of those with food allergies. Question about special dietary requirements (food / lactose intolerance, allergies, celiac disease) will be part of PASSPORT and NOCs will be asked to inform OC well in advance. This will enable our catering teams at all AVLs to adequately prepare.

At all competition venues, in the Athletes' Lounge, bottled water, soft drinks, fruit, biscuits, tea will be available.

## 6 Medical Services

During the EYOF 2025 quality and timely medical services will be available free of charge to all accredited participants from the beginning of the first official training day until the end of the EYOF 2025. Basic care will be provided from 8 to 17 February in the Athletes' Village Clinic (AVC) in Crystal Hotel. For extended medical care additional medical centers at partner hospitals and clinics are available. For emergency issues please call number – 112, which will operate throughout the EYOF 2025.

The EOC has appointed Dr. Yuhan Tan as EOC Medical Delegate, who will be supervising that all medical services are in place. To successfully implement the medical services during the EYOF 2025 the OC appointed Mr. Dimitri Kvaratskhelia as Chief Medical Officer (CMO).

During EYOF 2025 CMO is available to be contacted for all general health-related issues at +995 599 21 03 02, while at each competition venue there is a medical manager handling all health-related issues and injuries. The medical manager will take care of communication

between doctors, hospitals and NOC (medical) teams. They will perform also medical briefings at TCMs to communicate all issues related to the venue and sport.

The EYOF Bakuriani 2025 OC Medical Department will organize a meeting for NOC medical representatives, held on 9 February 2025 at 10:00 in the AVL1 located in Crystal Hotel Bakuriani. Live streaming will be possible for those who cannot attend personally.

## 6.1 Medical care at the Athletes' Village Clinic

Athletes' Village Clinic (AVC) is in the AVL1, and will be equipped with essential medical equipment, medications for basic and emergency care. AVC will operate on a daily basis for primary medical care and the medical doctor will be present:

- 8 February 2025: 12:00 - 22:00
- 9-16 February 2025: 07:00 - 22:00
- 17 February 2025: 07:00 - 12:00

Outside of the opening hours there is emergency medical personnel available on call (phone No. TBD), and extended medical care will be provided at partner hospitals.

### 6.1.1 Partner hospitals, dentist and pharmacy

All medical centers are staffed with professional medical personnel and equipped with essential medical equipment and medications for basic and emergency care.

Name	Address	Phone	Operating hours
Bakuriani Clinic	St. Tsakadze, 2, urban settlement Bakuriani, Borjomi municipality, Samtskhe-Javakheti, Georgia		24/7
Borjomi Clinic Contact person: Irakli Diasamidze	№3 Saakadze Street, Borjomi	+995 577 090 900	24/7
Dental Clinic Bakuriani	King Tamar 40, Bakuriani	+995 599 554 342	10:00 – 18:00
Aversi Pharmacy	Tamar Mepe 5, Bakuriani	+995 551 531 517	10:00 – 22:00

## 6.2 Medical care at sport venues

Medical services will be available at all training and competition venues. On-site emergency services and medical staff will be stationed at sports venues, training areas, and spectator areas.

The first aid team will be on site at all competition and training venues according to the specific needs of the sport with the following support:

- Medical zone and medical room
- Medical personnel
- Ambulances + helicopter
- Venue rescue team
- Services plan and protocol for training and competition



#### Emergency Procedure:

- In case of emergency, the Medical Manager in the venue will be the linking to coordinate all action:
  - The Medical Manager will inform the hospital of the arrival of the injured (sick) person.
  - The Medical Manager will then inform all relevant parties including EOC.
  - The people involved in the medical services will all be equipped with radio or phones.
  - Relevant specialists from traumatology and dental / Ortho dentistry etc. will be on call to handle special cases.
  - The medical services have a number of interpreters available who can be called to handle formalities if these are required.

#### Medical procedures by steps:

- First care on the FOP.
- Second care in a medical point provided at the venue:
  - Upgraded level of medical services, based on IF protocol.
  - In specific cases expert rescue personnel will always be present at the start and able to reach the injured athlete.
- Third intervention is according to the grade of injury the doctor will decide whether an athlete will be transported to the clinic or hospital for the appropriate treatment by an emergency car, and if it is necessary, advanced life support car or a helicopter will manage the situation.

## 7 Antidoping & TUE

### 7.1 Doping Control Rules and Program

The EOC has delegated the independent management of the anti-doping program to the International Testing Agency (ITA). The anti-doping program ensures the right of athletes to fair and clean competition, and since at EYOF many young athletes have their first experience with doping control procedures, it will be carefully planned and implemented. Doping control and anti-doping education will be part of EYOF 2025, and please read more about at <https://www.eurolympic.org/clean-sport/introduction-to-anti-doping/>.

### 7.2 Medication Use and TUE

All Athletes and Athlete Support Staff must be familiar with the Prohibited Substances and Methods (List), which is valid from 1 January 2025. If an Athlete has diseases or conditions that require the use of medications that are prohibited, the Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE) may grant him or her permission to take the required medication. Athletes and their support staff must be aware of the EOC TUE recognition process and the TUE application process (<https://www.eurolympic.org/clean-sport/therapeutic-use-exemption-process/>).

In particular, the ITA ITUEC (TUE Committee) will automatically recognize TUEs previously granted by your National Anti-Doping Organization (NADO) and IFs for purposes of the EYOF 2025 without the need to review the relevant clinical information. If the TUE is correctly entered in the Anti-Doping Administration and Management System (ADAMS), there is no need to contact the committee. Nevertheless, should an athlete require confirmation, NOC

can submit the request to the ITA at [tue@ita.sport](mailto:tue@ita.sport) in writing quoting athlete's ADAMS TUE reference number. All TUEs need to be submitted and approved by NADO by 8 February 2025, and from 9 February ITA will manage the TUE program with the support of over 20 medical experts forming the ITA International TUE Committee (<https://ita.sport/ituec/>). Please note that for substances prohibited in-competition only, you should apply for a TUE at least 30 days before EYOF 2025, unless one of the exceptions on retroactive TUEs apply.

At all times, athletes are strongly advised to check the status of the medications they are using or considering using with their team doctors. If, during the EYOF 2025, further clarification is required, the athlete should check with the NOC Medical Officer(s).

### **7.3 Whereabouts**

An effective Out-of-Competition testing program is essential in the fight against doping in sport and depends on accurate and complete Athlete Whereabouts information.

Within EYOF such activity has more educational value and since the majority of athletes are not part of ADAMS, OC will give ITA the allotment locations of all NOCs from the date of arrival to the date of departure once allotment process is finished.

### **7.4 Doping Control Stations**

Doping Control Stations (DCS) in Bakuriani will be located in the AVL1, Crystal Hotel. All doping control samples will be conducted in separate processing rooms providing the required privacy and confidentiality for athletes and security for the doping control procedures. DCS will comply with all provisions set out in the EOC Anti-Doping rules and the World Anti-Doping Code.

### **7.5 Doping control procedure**

The ITA will plan and implement all doping control procedures according to the EOC Anti-Doping rules, the World Anti-Doping Code and the International Standard for Testing and Investigations (ISTI).

The doping controls will be carried out with no advance notice. Upon notification of doping control, the athlete will be required to present himself/herself immediately at the DCS, unless the Doping Control Officer (DCO) gives the athlete permission to postpone the doping control for the reasons set out in the ISTI. More information will be available in the Anti-Doping Manual at a later date.

### **7.6 Collection of Samples**

Collected samples will be analyzed in an accredited laboratory of the World Anti-Doping Agency in the Institute of Biochemistry - German Sport University Cologne, Germany.

Responsibility for sample collection has been delegated to the Georgian Anti-Doping Agency (GADA). According to the EOC Anti-Doping Rules and the International Standard for Testing and Investigation (ISTI) athletes may undergo doping control at any time and in any place during the entire period of the EYOF 2025. Urine and blood tests are possible, so

athletes must be familiar with both doping test procedures and their rights and responsibilities during doping control testing. Minor athletes should be notified in the presence of an Athlete Representative (who is not minor) in addition to the DCO/chaperone and may choose to be accompanied and observed by a representative throughout the Sample Collection Session. Bottled water and soft drinks will be available for athletes at the DCS, but no food. The athletes' representative or support staff member can bring food for the athletes if needed. After compilation of the doping control session, athletes and representatives will be provided with transportation to accommodation from the doping control location.

## 7.7 Anti-Doping Education Program

The ITA and GADA will deliver onsite clean sport training workshops during EYOF 2025. All athletes and athlete support personnel are encouraged to participate in educational activities.

## 7.8 Reveal

Athletes and Athlete Support Personnel play a key role in protecting the integrity of sport. Any reasonable grounds for suspecting doping can be reported through [REVEAL](#), the ITA whistleblowing platform.

REVEAL enables anonymous reporting in a secure manner while actively supporting the investigation of Anti-Doping Rule Violations or criminal behavior. All information is treated confidentially and in a sensible manner. You can report anything that you have seen, heard or experienced and every piece of information is important – no matter how small!

# 8 Media & Mixed zone

## 8.1 Media Center, Rooms and Mixed Zones

The Main Media Center is located in "Bakuriani Inn" in Bakuriani, where also media hotel is located.

At the venue, media can use media room for work, and photographers' positions will be specified, and they need to be in contact with venue team in order to follow correct behavior.

There is also a Mixed Zone at the sports venue. Access will be granted to photographers or journalists and videographers with the appropriate accreditation.

## 8.2 Press conferences and Media Briefings

Additional information about services, operation dates and hours, media briefings and press conferences and daily highlights will be provided in the Media Info Package.

## 9 Athlete Safeguarding

The OC has adopted and works within the requirements of the EOC Safeguarding Framework and will thus comply with the requirements of the EOC Safeguarding Policy in effect at the time of the event.

EYOF Bakuriani 2025, in collaboration with the EOC and the NOC of Georgia is prioritizing the safety of all participants, regarding which Safeguarding procedures are crucial to maintain a secure and protected sports environment. A single point of contact (SPOC) will be designated by the EOC and the Georgian NOC who will handle reported incidents, oversee related cases, and ensure that appropriate actions are taken.

Overall, the comprehensive safeguarding procedure and the collaboration of the various stakeholders involved demonstrate the commitment to creating a safe and secure environment for all participants at EYOF Bakuriani 2025.

E-mails regarding possible incidents can be sent to the [ethics@eurolympic.org](mailto:ethics@eurolympic.org) and [besafe@eyof2025.ge](mailto:besafe@eyof2025.ge).

## 10 Sport General Information

On EYOF 2025 program it is agreed to organize competitions in 8 sports disciplines, in accordance with Rule 10 of the EYOF Charter, namely Alpine Skiing, Biathlon, Cross-Country Skiing, Freestyle Skiing, Snowboard, Ice Hockey, Figure Skating and Short Track Speed Skating. There are 16 boys' and 16 girls' events, and in addition, there are 5 mixed team and relay events, totaling 37 events with a maximum of 39 boys and 39 girls participating per NOC; respecting gender equality, where 270 medals will be awarded among ± 950 athletes.

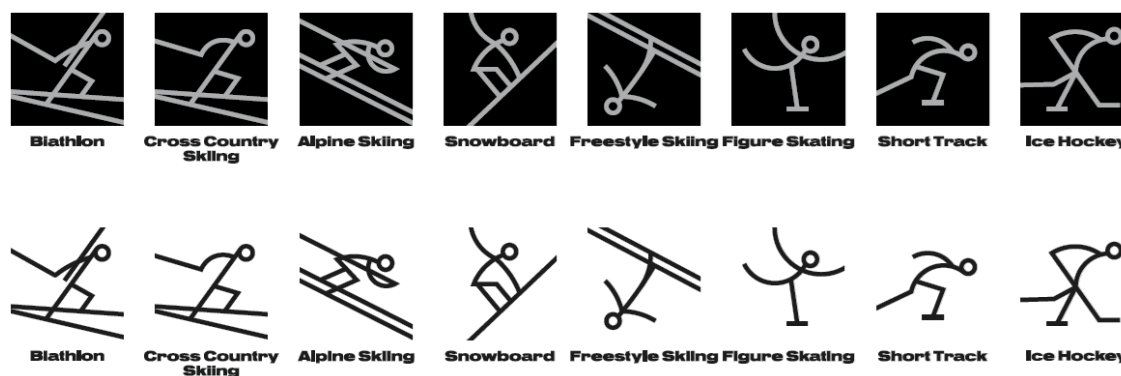


Figure 5: Sport Pictograms

Sports competitions will be held in 5 competition venues and are divided into three clusters: Bakuriani (Alpine Skiing, Biathlon, Cross-Country Skiing, Freestyle Skiing, Snowboard), Tbilisi (Ice Hockey) and Batumi (Figure Skating, Short Track Speed Skating). There is an additional training course for alpine skiing, while training for other sports will be taking place at the competition venue. Although the three clusters are significantly apart, connections between clusters will be possible according to the Transport Connect service and booking procedure. The sports venues within the cluster are very close to AVL and other official accommodations.

## 10.1 General sports schedule

SPORT	TUE 4.2.	WED 5.2.	TUE 6.2.	FRI 7.2.	SAT 8.2.	SUN 9.2.	MON 10.2.	TUE 11.2.	WED 12.2.	TUE 13.2.	FRI 14.2.	SAT 15.2.	SUN 16.2.	MON 17.2.
CER						OC	VIC FLC	VIC FLC	FLC	VIC FLC	VIC FLC	VIC FLC	CC VIC FLC	
ALP					TRN	TRN	B GS	G GS	TRN	B SL	G SL	TEAM PARALLEL B&G		
BTH					Unoff. TRN	Offic. TRN	IND 12.5 km B 10 km G	Offic. TRN	SINGLE MIXED RELAY 6 km G + 7.5 km B	Offic. TRN	SPRINT 7.5 km B 6 km G	Offic. TRN	MIXED RELAY B&G 4x6 km	
CCS					Unoff. TRN	Unoff. TRN	Offic. TRN	CLASSIC 5 km G 7.5 km B	Offic. TRN	FREE 7.5 km G 10 km B	Offic. TRN	FREE SPRINT B / G	MIXED RELAY B&G 4x5 km	
FRS					Unoff. TRN	Offic. TRN	SS B / G QUALIF	SS B / G FINAL		Offic. TRN	BA B / G QUALIF	BA B / G FINAL		
SBD					Unoff. TRN	Offic. TRN	SS B / G QUALIF	SS B / G FINAL		Offic. TRN	BA B / G QUALIF	BA B / G FINAL		
IHO	G Team ARR	G TRN	G CZE: SVK FIN: SWE	G SUI: CZE ITA: FIN	G SVK: SUI SWE: ITA	G SF1 SF2	G 5 <sup>th</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 1 <sup>st</sup>	B TRN	B SVK: LAT CZE: SUI	B UKR: SVK AUT: CZE	B LAT: UKR SUI: AUT	B 5 <sup>th</sup> SF1 SF2	B 3 <sup>rd</sup> 1 <sup>st</sup>	
FSK						Unoff. TRN	Offic. TRN	Offic. TRN	SHORT B / G	FREE G	FREE B			
STK						Unoff. TRN	Offic. TRN	1500 m B / G 2000 m B&G MIXED TEAM RELAY Heats	500 m B / G 2000 m B&G MIXED TEAM RELAY Semi Final			Offic. TRN	1000 m B / G 2000 m B&G MIXED TEAM RELAY Final	

### 10.1.1 Alpine Skiing Schedule

Day	Time	Event	Notes
8/2	12:00 – 15:00	TRN B / G	
9/2	9:00 – 15:00	TRN B / G	16:00 – 17:00 TCM
10/2	9:00 – 13:00	GS B	F
11/2	9:00 – 13:00	GS G	F
12/2	9:00 – 15:00	TRN B / G	
13/2	9:00 – 13:00	SL B	F
14/2	9:00 – 13:00	SL G	F
15/2	9:00 – 13:00	TEAM PARALLEL B&G	F
10/2	19:00 – 20:00	VIC GS B	
11/2	19:00 – 20:00	VIC GS G	
13/2	19:00 – 20:00	VIC SL B	
14/2	19:00 – 20:00	VIC SL G	
15/2	19:00 – 20:00	VIC TEAM PARALLEL B&G	

During the EYOF 2025 there may be delays, postponements or cancellations of the competition program. Should this occur, NOCs will be informed of the revised schedule online and via dedicated sports WhatsApp group.

## 10.2 Information service – start lists, results, data and timing

Timing & Scoring is provided by Atos, and centralized results services will be implemented. All start lists, all relevant sports data and the latest results lists will be available during the races, at the race/competition office and immediately after competition on the EYOF 2025 website at <https://www.eyof2025.ge/> and Mobile App (Eurolympic app).

## 10.3 Sport information desks

The Sport Information Desk (SID) is in AVL1 in NOC Services Center (NOC SC), and ITO hotels. The SID is accessible with No. 2 on an accreditation card and is open daily from 7 to 17 February 2025 from 7:00 to 22:00.

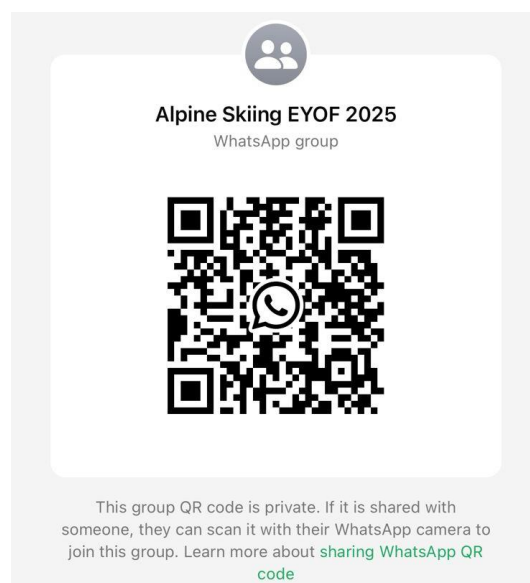
SID will provide information on all start lists, the latest results, schedules, weather and other sports-related matters. Per the EYOF 2025 green policy, no (or limited) hard copies for NOCs will be available in the venues or SID, since all information is available on the official EYOF 2025 website [www.eyof2025.ge](http://www.eyof2025.ge).

## 10.4 Weather information

Weather information will be available at the SIDs. Furthermore, the weather for the following day will be announced at the TCM.

## 10.5 WhatsApp group

OC has opened WhatsApp (WA) group, which will operate during EYOF 2025, and Team Captains/Leaders will get all the information and updates from the WA group. This will be during EYOF 2025 one-way official communication from EYOF 2025 OC side, and we ask Team Officials to register with the group to receive the latest information.



## 10.6 Radio frequency registration and assignment

VHF or UHF radio frequencies are licensed and coordinated by the Communication Commission of Georgia. However, not every two-way radio has to be licensed; some can operate on specific, license-free (PMR446) frequencies.

### License-free (PMR446) frequencies:

- PMR stands for Personal Mobile Radio.
- License-free radios are generally lower-powered, handheld radios with a maximum power output of 0.5 watts.
- PMR446 frequencies are only allowed to be used by lower-powered, shorter-range license-free radios. It's highly illegal to program a higher-performing business radio to these frequencies – these are supposed to operate under a Communication Commission license.

### Licensed professional frequencies:

We recommend NOCs to use license-free frequencies, but if teams want to use professional, higher power radios, NOC can fill [FREQUENCY REQUEST FORM](#) and send it to mail at [post@comcom.ge](mailto:post@comcom.ge) by 6 December 2024. Please click [more](#) about prices and rules.

For more details please contact:

- Web site: <https://comcom.ge/ge/contact>
- Contact person: Ani Dabalashvili, +995 599 910 401
- Email: [adabrundashvili@comcom.ge](mailto:adabrundashvili@comcom.ge)

## 10.7 Ceremonies

	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
	9.2.	10.2.	11.2.	12.2.	13.2.	14.2.	15.2.	16.2.
CEREMONIES	OPCER	VIC FLOCER	VIC FLOCER	FLOCER	VIC FLOCER	VIC FLOCER	VIC FLOCER	CLOCER VIC FLOCER

### 10.7.1 Opening and Closing Ceremony

The OPCER will be held on 9<sup>th</sup> February, in Bakuriani in Didveli Ski Resort with an athletes' parade and cultural program that will target the athletes and guests to introduce them to the host country's traditions. The CLOCER will be held on the 16<sup>th</sup> of February, in Bakuriani in AVL1 handing over of the EOC flag to the next EYOF organizer. The CLOCER also involves the last VIC of the Biathlon and Cross-Country Skiing disciplines.

### 10.7.2 Flower Ceremonies

Flower Ceremonies (FLOCER) will be conducted following the EYOF Ceremonies Guidelines and are scheduled only in Bakuriani cluster for Alpine Skiing, Biathlon, Cross-Country Skiing, Freestyle Skiing and Snowboard after each competition event at the respective sport competition venue. Flowers are presented to the athletes/teams for the first three places. No raising flags, no playing of anthems is included in this ceremony.

### 10.7.3 Victory Ceremonies

Victory Ceremonies (VIC) will be conducted following the EYOF Ceremonies Guidelines. This includes handing over medals and mascots to the winners (gold, silver, and bronze medal holders), playing the winner's national anthem, and raising the flags (on a digital screen).

The Victory Diplomas will also be provided for the winning athletes, but they won't be distributed to the winners at the podium. They have to be collected from the NOC SC by the CdM or his/her Deputy the day after the respective VIC. The ceremonies will be conducted in English and Georgian.

In Bakuriani, VIC will be held in Medal Plaza in AVL1 every evening at 19:00 for the events that finish the same day. Exception is 12 February 2025, and on this day no VIC is scheduled, because of Chef de Mission and Athletes' Get Together Party. The VIC for events on this day is scheduled for 13 February 2025.

## 10.8 Water and ice

OC will provide bottled water and ice in AVL1 and at the competition venue. Bottled water is available in the Athletes' Lounge and volunteers can assist the participants to get the ice in the AVL1 in the AVC and at the competition venue at medical staff.

## 10.9 Clothing and advertising

Rule 20 and the By-laws to Rule 20 of [EYOF Charter](#), no form of advertising or publicity, other than that specified below, may appear in any form whatsoever on clothing, accessories or, more generally, on any item of clothing or piece of equipment worn or carried by the delegations and organizers during EYOF 2025, with the exception of the following:

- One (1) manufacturer's identification AND one (1) NOC sponsor logo of no more than 30 cm<sup>2</sup> EACH can be displayed on each piece of non-competition clothing.
- One (1) manufacturer's identification AND one (1) NOC or NF (subject to the approval of the respective NOC) sponsor logo of no more than 30 cm<sup>2</sup> EACH can be displayed on each piece of competition uniform and equipment in accordance with valid IF/EF rules.

Please see more details in [EYOF Commercial, Propaganda and Advertising Rules](#) and [NOC Sponsors Guidelines on Teams' Uniforms](#) documents prepared by the EOC.

The NOCs are requested to bring a sample of the competition uniform to the first TCM for final check in order to avoid any problems in the Field of Play.

## 10.10 Athletes'/Officials' Conduct

The athletes are not allowed to take any sport equipment and/or national flag onto the podium during Medal and Flower Award Ceremonies.

The Athletes and Officials are not allowed to make any kind of demonstration or promote political, religious or racial propaganda in the areas directly or indirectly connected with the EYOF 2025 and they agree that any form of discrimination with regard to a country or a person on grounds of race, religion, politics, gender or otherwise is not permitted in



connection with the EYOF 2025. All Accredited Persons must agree to respect the spirit of fair play and non-violence and behave accordingly.

All Accredited persons must agree that any comments posted by them on social media platforms or websites and tweet during the EYOF 2025 shall conform to the Olympic spirit and fundamental principles of Olympism, be dignified and in good taste, and should not be discriminatory, offensive, hateful, defamatory or otherwise illegal and shall not contain vulgar or obscene words or images or disclose any information which is confidential or private in relation to any other person or organization, and does not damage the Event stakeholders.

Any violation of the above-mentioned Rules may result in disqualification or withdrawal of the accreditation of the person concerned. For further information please consult the [EYOF Social and Digital Media Guidelines](#).

## 10.11 Spectating Athletes

All competitions are free to watch, and athletes are invited to cheer in their free time for other athletes. However, all spectating athletes are kindly requested to give priority on TA lines to competing athletes, and as such are kindly asked to use either TF line or public transportation.

# 11 Technical Sport Information

Responsible organizations:

- FIS (responsible for executing the event under the rules, judging and technical related matters)
- EYOF Bakuriani 2025 OC (responsible for the organization of the event)

## 11.1 Competition management

### 11.1.1 Officials

#### 11.1.1.1 Sports director and managers

- Borut Kolaric, Sports director, [b.kolaric@eyof2025.ge](mailto:b.kolaric@eyof2025.ge), P: +995 599 499 397, WA: +386 51 372 390
- Nino Ninua, Head of Competitions, [n.ninua@eyof2025.ge](mailto:n.ninua@eyof2025.ge), +995 599 743 378
- Giorgi Esakia, Deputy Head of Competitions, [g.esakia@eyof2025.ge](mailto:g.esakia@eyof2025.ge), +995 599 722 074
- Anka Ninua, Sports Coordinator, [a.ninua@eyof2025.ge](mailto:a.ninua@eyof2025.ge), +995 555 500 430

#### 11.1.1.2 Competition manager and assistants

- Vakhtang Kopadze, Competition Manager, [vato.kopadze@gsf.ge](mailto:vato.kopadze@gsf.ge), +995 595 141 414
- Iason Abramashvili, Competition Manager Assistant, [ikaabramashvili@yahoo.com](mailto:ikaabramashvili@yahoo.com), +995 577 222 227

### 11.1.1.3 Technical Delegates

- Janka Gantnerova (SVK), Technical Delegate (girls)
- Reinhard Ebner (AUT), Technical Delegate (boys)

### 11.1.1.4 International Technical Officials and Judges & Referees

- TBD, Chief timer (1x)
- TBD, Deputy chief timer (2x)

### 11.1.1.5 National Technical Officials

Function	No. of staff
Chief of course	1
Chief of start	1
Chief of finish	1
Chief of gate judges	1
Fencing crew & bullets	8
Color crew	4
Data & time manager	1
Race secretary	1
Announcer	1
DJ	1
Ski-doo driver	2
Cat driver/Groomers	2
Logistic cat driver	1
Ski lift operators	8
Snowmaking operator	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>34</b>

## 11.2 Competition Committee and Jury

### 11.2.1.1 Jury

- Janka Gantnerova (SVK), Jury women
- Reinhard Ebner (AUT), Jury men
- Iason Abramashvili, Chief of Race
- TBD, Referee

### 11.2.1.2 Competition Committee

- Vakhtang Kopadze, Competition Manager
- Iason Abramashvili, Chief of Race
- TBD, Chief of course
- TBD, Start Referee
- TBD, Finish Referee
- TBD, Chief of Gate judges
- TBD, Chief of Results
- TBD, Medical Manager
- TBD, Race secretary

## 11.3 Competition regulations

Competition regulations follow the FIS ICR – International competition rules for FIS competitions: [https://assets.fis-ski.com/f/252177/x/906406e415/icr\\_05-07-2024.pdf](https://assets.fis-ski.com/f/252177/x/906406e415/icr_05-07-2024.pdf).

## 11.4 Key sports information

### 11.4.1 Team Captains' (TCM) and other meetings

- All Team Captain Meetings will take place in the conference room at the Crystal Hotel.
- The first Team Captain Meeting is on 09.02.2025 at 16:00.
- Further Team Captain Meetings will be announced at each TCM.

### 11.4.2 Competition Program, Format and Rules

#### 11.4.2.1 Competition Program

##### Disciplines/Events

- |                       |              |
|-----------------------|--------------|
| – Slalom              | Boys         |
| – Slalom              | Girls        |
| – Giant Slalom        | Boys         |
| – Giant Slalom        | Girls        |
| – Mixed Team Parallel | Boys & Girls |

##### Age categories Boys and Girls

- 2007-2008

##### Maximum Quotas

- 4 Girls, 4 Boys, 4 Team officials

#### 11.4.2.2 Competition Format & Rules

##### 11.4.2.2.1 Slalom & Giant Slalom

##### Group Draw and Start Order

- The classification of competitors who are present is made by the Jury.
- The FIS Points List worked out by FIS must be used for the classification of competitors. If competitors do not appear in the last valid FIS points list, they will be assigned to that group of competitors without FIS points.
- The starting order of the competitors in all alpine competitions is determined by their FIS points. A first group of a maximum of the 15 best competitors present regardless of nationality will be drawn.
- The group may be increased if two or more competitors share the 15<sup>th</sup> rank.
- All remaining competitors start in order of their FIS points. All competitors without FIS points will be drawn in the last group.
- If in the first 15 competitors present, the points difference between one and the next competitor is too great; the Jury will decide the number of competitors in the first group. The rest will start in the order of their FIS points.

### Starting Order for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Run

- In competitions with two runs, the starting order for the second run is determined by the result list of the first run except for the first 30 places.
- For the first 30 places, the starting order is as follows:
  - the 30<sup>th</sup> in the result list starts 1<sup>st</sup>
  - the 29<sup>th</sup> in the result list starts 2<sup>nd</sup>
  - the 28<sup>th</sup> in the result list starts 3<sup>rd</sup>
  - the 27<sup>th</sup> in the result list starts 4<sup>th</sup>
  - the 1<sup>st</sup> in the result list starts 30<sup>th</sup>
  - from the 31<sup>st</sup> onward according to the result list of the first run.
- If more than one competitor is ranked 30<sup>th</sup>, the competitor with the lowest start number will start first.

### **11.4.2.2.2 Mixed Team Parallel Format**

- The race will be conducted as a parallel GS.
- GS gates and flags are to be used.
- Mixed teams (from 2 or more NOCs) cannot take part in the competition.
- Only one team per NOC can be entered that fulfills the quota of 2 Girls and 2 Boys up to a maximum of six competitors.

### Eligibility of the Teams

- A maximum of 16 teams will start in the heats of the competition.
- Teams will be ranked in accordance with the sum of FIS-points of the best 4 competitors of each NOC from lowest total points to highest.
- Of the Athletes who did not have any FIS-points before EYOF 2025 the FIS-points of the EYOF 2025 GS Competitions will be taken into consideration.
- Teams, including athletes who were not taken into account for FIS-points in the EYOF 2025 GS competitions will receive a score of 999 points.
- If a Team had no FIS-points before EYOF 2025 and their athletes were not taken into account for FIS-points in the EYOF 2025 GS, then the team must compete in a qualification run. Two boys and two girls of the six entered athletes will compete and their times will be added up. At least 3 athletes per team must finish.
- If a team ties on FIS-points, the team with the best competitor in it will be ranked higher.
- The total team size per nation is limited to a maximum of 6 competitors per Nation of which a maximum of 2 Girls and 2 Boys must start.
- The 6 competitors per nation have to be announced by name at the TCM.

### Seeding of the Teams – 16 Nations will form 8 heats, and the bracket list will be arranged as follows

- Heat 1: Nation ranked 1 vs Nation ranked 16 (last)
- Heat 2: Nation ranked 8 vs Nation ranked 9
- Heat 3: Nation ranked 5 vs Nation ranked 12
- Heat 4: Nation ranked 4 vs Nation ranked 13
- Heat 5: Nation ranked 3 vs Nation ranked 14 (3<sup>rd</sup> last)
- Heat 6: Nation ranked 6 vs Nation ranked 11
- Heat 7: Nation ranked 7 vs Nation ranked 10
- Heat 8: Nation ranked 2 vs Nation ranked 15 (2<sup>nd</sup> last)

The best nation, according to the team ranking, will receive bib number 1 and the last nation will receive the last bib number.

Girls will receive bibs from 1 to 4 and Boys from 5 to 8 in alphabetical order.

### Running the Competition

Each individual leg between two opponents consists of one run. The start order will be as follows (as an example for Heat 1):

- "Course Red" Nation 1 Girl 1 against "Course Blue" Nation last Girl 1
- "Course Red" Nation 1 Boy 1 against "Course Blue" Nation last Boy 1
- "Course Blue" Nation 1 Girl 2 against "Course Red" Nation last Girl 2
- "Course Blue" Nation 1 Boy 2 against "Course Red" Nation last Boy 2

The blue course will be located on the skier's right.

### Points Scoring

- The winner of each individual race (leg) scores 1 point for his/her nation.
- In case of a tie in an individual race (leg), both nations are awarded 1 point.
- If there is a tie at the end of the heat (2:2) the nation with the lowest combined time for the best individual Girl and the best individual Boy (or second best in case of a tie for the best time) will win the heat. If both competitors fail in any race, the first competitor to reach the finish successfully will be the winner. If both competitors fail to finish, the competitor who successfully skied the furthest distance will be the race winner.

### Causes for Disqualification (immediate and without protest)

- Changing from one course to another.
- Disturbing the opponent, voluntarily or non-voluntarily.
- Failure to pass through a gate correctly.
- Turn not executed on the outside of the gate.

## **11.4.3 Procedures**

### **11.4.3.1 Pre-competition procedure**

#### **11.4.3.1.1 Equipment control**

The Equipment control will be carried out following the FIS International Competition Rules.

#### **11.4.3.1.2 Final Entries Check**

The Final Entries Check will be done one day before the competition at the TCM.

### **11.4.3.2 Post-competition procedures**

#### **11.4.3.2.1 Mixed Zone**

All athletes shall leave the Field of Play through the mixed zone.

#### 11.4.3.2.2 Flower ceremonies

Athletes positioned from first to third place shall attend the Flower Ceremony, which is scheduled after the end of the competition at the Bakuriani Alpine Skiing Course.

DATE	EVENT	GENDER	TIME_START	TIME_END
10/02/2025	Giant Slalom	BOYS	13:15	13:30
11/02/2025	Giant Slalom	GIRLS	13:15	13:30
13/02/2025	Slalom	BOYS	13:15	13:30
14/02/2025	Slalom	GIRLS	13:15	13:30
15/02/2025	Team Parallel	B&G	13:15	13:30

#### 11.4.3.2.3 Victory ceremonies

Athletes positioned from first to third place shall attend the Victory Ceremony, which is scheduled at 19:00 on the day of the competition at the Medal Plaza in AVL1. The exact order of medal awards during the Victory Ceremony will be confirmed at a later date.

DATE	EVENT	GENDER	TIME_START	TIME_END
10/02/2025	Giant Slalom	BOYS	19:00	20:00
11/02/2025	Giant Slalom	GIRLS	19:00	20:00
13/02/2025	Slalom	BOYS	19:00	20:00
14/02/2025	Slalom	GIRLS	19:00	20:00
15/02/2025	Team Parallel	B&G	19:00	20:00

#### Athletes' appearance/conduct

- The medal winners/teams in each event must attend VIC.
- The athletes are not allowed to take any sports equipment or accessories, national flags or any other national, cultural or religious symbols on the podium.
- No kind of demonstration or commercial, political, religious or racial propaganda is permitted during the VIC.
- Winners must attend the VIC in the official NOC delegation uniform.
- Athletes are expected to take off the caps when receiving medals and keep it in the hand throughout the ceremony (especially when playing the national anthem and raising of the flags).
- Athletes are required to face the flags while they are being raised and the anthem is being played.

#### 11.4.4 **Race Office**

The Competition Office is open one hour before Team Captain Meetings, in the same facility as TCM.

The Race Office at the competition venues is open during competitions and official training from 1 hour before the session and closes after the last activity session.

#### 11.4.5 **Bibs and other equipment**

Bibs will be distributed at the Team Captain Meetings, one day before the competition, or official training.

#### 11.4.6 Protests and Appeals

Protests and Appeals should be made following the FIS ICR – International competition rules for FIS competitions: [https://assets.fis-ski.com/f/252177/x/906406e415/icr\\_05-07-2024.pdf](https://assets.fis-ski.com/f/252177/x/906406e415/icr_05-07-2024.pdf).

#### 11.4.7 Sports Equipment Storage and Wax Cabins

- The sports equipment storage & wax area are in the AVL1 territory, next to the Crystal Palace hotel.
- Storage and wax area is an open facility dedicated to all NOCs open daily from 6:00 to 00:00. NOCs will have dedicated space according to the number of athletes.
- NOCs will have one dedicated space for ALP according to the number of athletes (below is the general approach and may be updated based on actual entries):
  - 1 to 2 athletes: NOC may share 4x3 m area with another NOC
  - 3 to 4 athletes: NOC gets 4x3 m dedicated area
  - 5 to 8 athletes: NOC gets 6x3 m dedicated area
- During opening hours, security will be at the entrance of the area. Outside opening hours area is locked and security patrol in force. Requests for extended hours of operation must be agreed with the Competition Manager and confirmed with the Sports Director.

#### 11.4.8 Ski lifts and passes

Ski passes will be available for Didveli Ski Resort. No additional pass is required.

#### 11.4.9 Competition Clothing and Sports Equipment

Competition Clothing and Sports Equipment follow the FIS ICR – International competition rules for FIS competitions: [https://assets.fis-ski.com/f/252177/x/906406e415/icr\\_05-07-2024.pdf](https://assets.fis-ski.com/f/252177/x/906406e415/icr_05-07-2024.pdf).

### 11.5 Training

The sport-specific training sessions are determined in consultation with the respective IFs and aligned with the sports competition schedule.

8 February 2025 is the first training date, and the OC does not provide any training slots nor training camps prior to the above-mentioned date.

A pre-arranged training will be scheduled according to the groups or NOCs. Groups will be created based on Sport Entries. Training poles are provided by the OC.

#### 11.5.1 Venue

The training is taking place at the Didveli Ski Area, Bakuriani Alpine Training Course using a [ski lift](#) and slope D4 (marked with turquoise color).

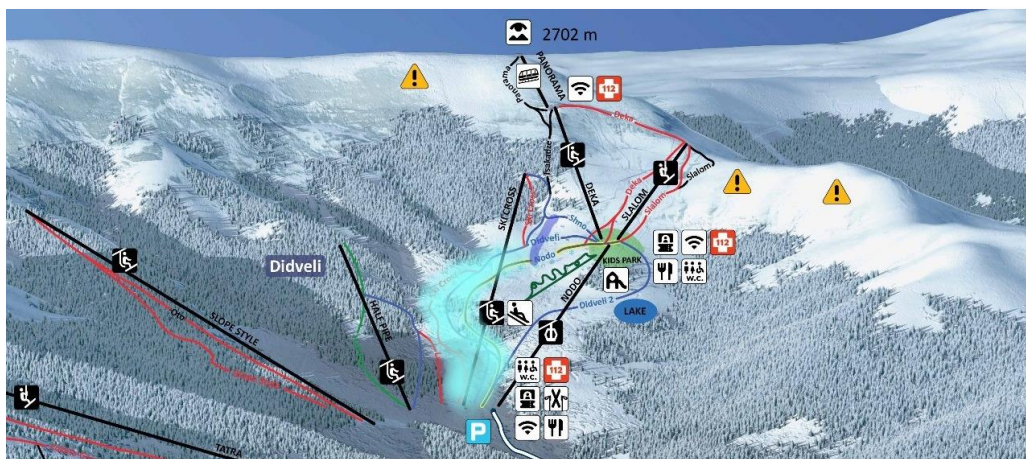


Figure 6: Bakuriani Alpine Training Course on Ski Area Map

## 11.5.2 Schedule

DATE	GENDER	TIME START	TIME END
08/02/2025	B&G	12:00	15:00
09/02/2025	B&G	09:00	15:00
12/02/2025	B&G	09:00	15:00

## 11.6 Competition

### 11.6.1 Venue

The [Bakuriani Alpine Skiing Course](#) is located on the Didveli Ski Area (marked with turquoise color), which is just 1.1 km (5 min drive by car) away from AVL1.

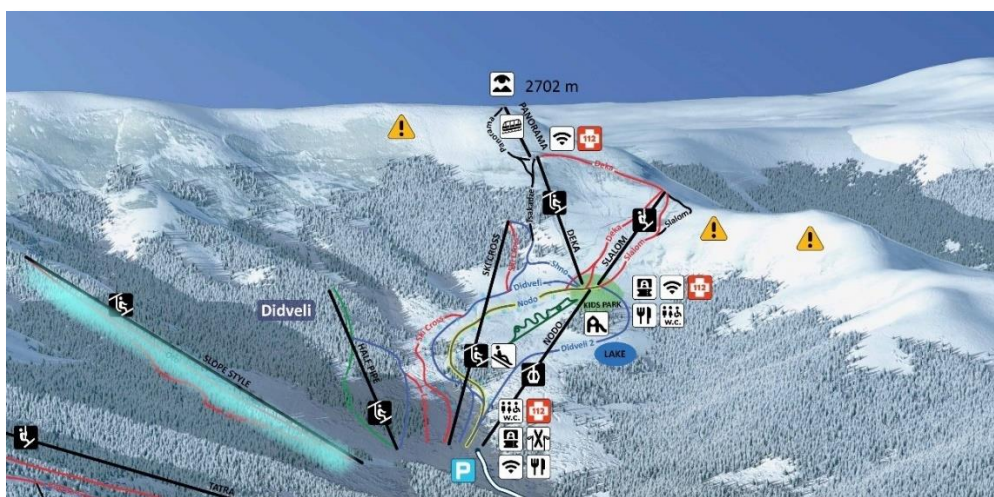


Figure 7: Bakuriani Alpine Skiing Course on a Ski Area Map





Figure 8: Bakuriani Alpine Skiing Course; Ski Terrain Photo

The venue is ready, has chairlift for 6 people, but needs homologation (due to end October), containers for race management, service buildings, parking areas for athletes, media and spectators.

- Bakuriani Alpine Skiing Course (draft):

	Giant Slalom	Slalom	Team Parallel
<i>Start (m):</i>	2183	2183	1995
<i>Finish (m):</i>	1880	1905	1905
<i>Vertical Drop (m):</i>	303	278	
<i>Length (m):</i>	934	796	
<i>* Minimum width (m):</i>	40	40	
<i>Average gradient %:</i>	33%	33%	
<i>Max. gradient %:</i>	57%	57%	
<i>Min. gradient %:</i>	13 %	13%	

### 11.6.1.1 Venue Inspection

The athletes will have the chance to do the course inspection before the start of the competition. The exact time will be announced at TCM the day before the competition.

### 11.6.2 Schedule

DATE	EVENT	GENDER	TIME_START	TIME_END
10/02/2025	Giant Slalom	BOYS	09:00	13:00
11/02/2025	Giant Slalom	GIRLS	09:00	13:00
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## 11.7 Drawings

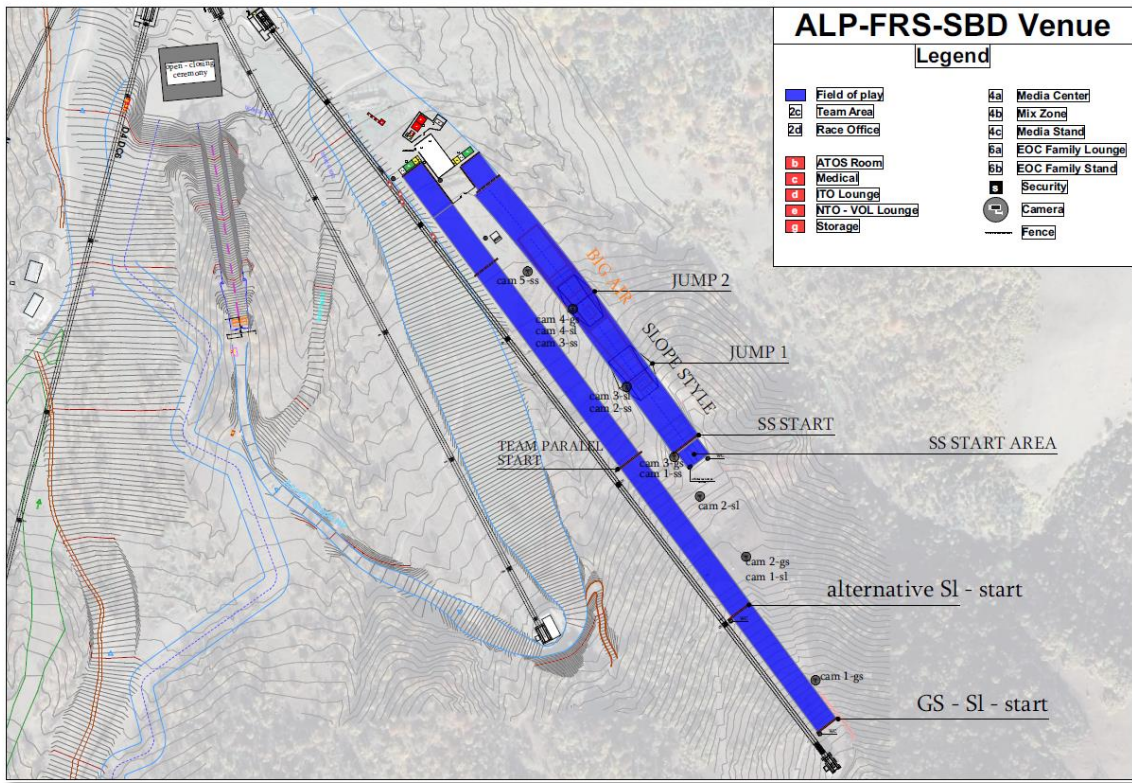


Figure 9: Bakuriani Alpine Skiing Course layout (left slope on the photo)

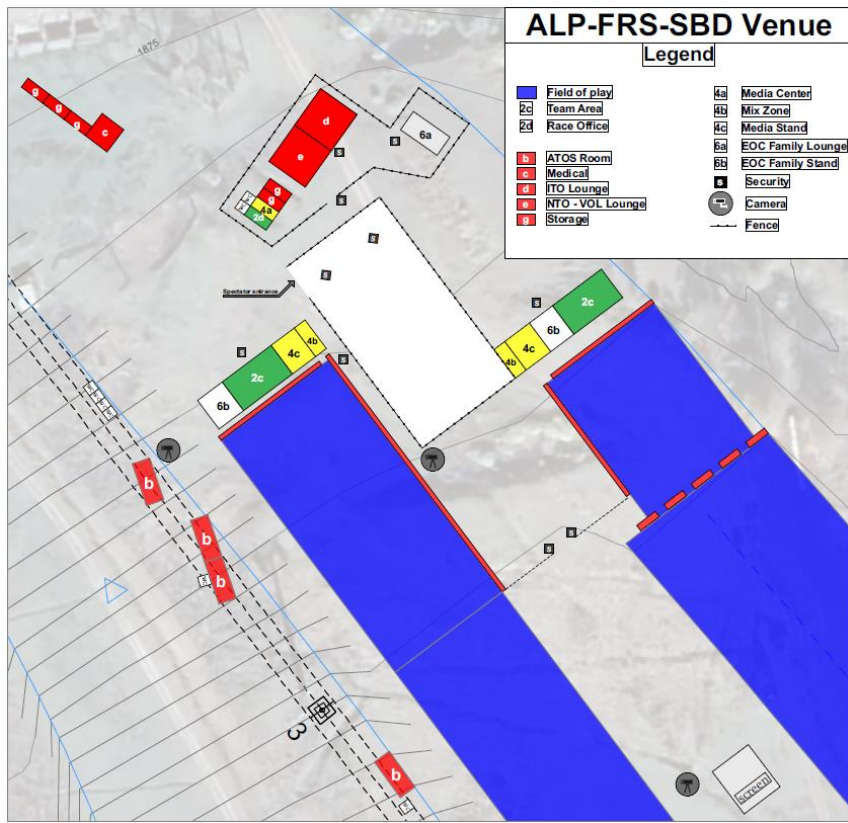


Figure 10: Bakuriani Alpine Skiing Course finish area layout (left side on the photo)

## 12 Appendices

### 12.1 Abbreviations & Acronyms

Acronyms	Various Terminology
AFF	Athletes' Friends and Family
AVL	Athletes' Village
CdM	Chef de Mission
CLOCER	Closing Ceremony
CoCom	Coordination Commission
EF(s)	European Federation(s)
EOC	European Olympic Committee
EYOA	European Young Olympic Ambassador
EYOF	European Youth Olympic Festival
EYOF 2025	European Youth Olympic Festival Bakuriani 2025
FLOCER	Flower Ceremony
IF(s)	International Federation(s)
IOC	International Olympic Committee
ITO	International Technical Official
J/R	Judges/Referees
MAC	Main Accreditation Center
MMC	Main Media Center
NCS	NOC Relations and Services department
NOC SC	NOC Services Center
NF(s)	National Federation(s)
NOC(s)	National Olympic Committee(s)
NTO	National Technical Official
OC	Organizing Committee
OPCER	Opening Ceremony
PASSPORT	Registration system for NOC(s)
MSC	Media Sub-Center
SPOC	Single Point of Contact
TD(s)	Technical Delegate(s)
VIC	Victory Ceremony

Sport related Abbreviations			
<b>SID</b>	Sport Information Desk	<b>BIA</b>	Batumi Ice Arena
<b>LAR</b>	Late Athletes' Replacement	<b>BBC</b>	Bakuriani Biathlon-Cross Country Stadium
<b>STM</b>	Sport Technical Manual	<b>BFS</b>	Bakuriani Freestyle-Snowboard Course
<b>SDO</b>	Sport Data Overview	<b>BAS</b>	Bakuriani Alpine Skiing Course
<b>ITO</b>	International Technical Official	<b>TIA</b>	Tbilisi Ice Arena
<b>NTO</b>	National Technical Official	<b>FOP</b>	Field of Play
<b>J&amp;R</b>	Judges / Referees	<b>TCM</b>	Team Captains' / Leaders' Meeting
		<b>ALP</b>	Alpine Skiing
		<b>BTH</b>	Biathlon
		<b>CCS</b>	Cross Country Skiing
		<b>FRS</b>	Freestyle Skiing
		<b>SBD</b>	Snowboard
		<b>IHO</b>	Ice Hockey
		<b>FSK</b>	Figure Skating
		<b>STK</b>	Short Track Speed Skating
		<b>ALL</b>	All-competition venues



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