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|  **ATSS Perf. Category** | **DSR ATSS Performance Level** | **VWA/VA Team/Squad** | **Sport event** |
| **3****Regional athletes only** | Athlete as a member of a State team travelling to represent Western Australia at national championships. *Note 1\*: if more than 1 WA team attends nationals, only athletes in the highest ranked team are eligible.**Note 2\*\*: only WA athletes selected for Junior Beach Volleyball endorsed by VWA are eligible.* | WA State TeamsIndoor \*VWA: Hornets (M), Pearls (W), U19, U17, U15School Sport WA: U16Beach \*\*Approved National Tour RepresentativesVWA State Teams - U23, U19, U17, U15  | Australian Volleyball LeagueAustralian Junior Volleyball ChampionshipsSchool Sport Australia Volleyball Championships (U16)Australian Beach Volleyball Tour Australian Junior Beach Volleyball Championships |
| **4****Regional athletes only** | Athlete as a member of a WA State squad, WA Country Team or equivalent, travelling to compete in State squad training / competition commitments, vying for selection into a WA State team.  | Invited regional athletes (*not part of National squads*)VWA U17 State Development Teams - IndoorWA State Squads:Indoor Senior, U19, U17, U16 (SSWA) & U15 *(2016 onwards)*Beach U23, U19, U17 & U15 | VA Junior Development Camps (national squad selections)National Championships- IndoorState squad training – Indoor & Beach*Refer to VWA website for athlete prerequisite as to when athlete preparation commences. These are typically:**Indoor Senior: July & Indoor Junior: May**Beach Junior: January* |
| **5****Regional athletes only** | Athlete selected through a formal selection process to represent their sport’s region, travelling to compete in State championships / events vying for selection into a State squad or WA Country Team or equivalent.  | Regional Teams | WA State Championships (Indoor)State team trialsWA Open Beach Volleyball ChampionshipsWA Junior Beach Volleyball Championships |

*Note to Athletes: Athletes are only eligible to apply for* ***out-of-pocket travel and accommodation costs****; Only* ***one application per round*** *per athlete will be considered* ***To be eligible for a subsidy in Round 2****, applications will only be considered if they are in* ***a different ATSS performance category to a subsidy received in Round 1 of the same financial year****.*

***Identified Ineligible events /teams:***

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| **Identified Ineligible events/teams** | **Team** | **Event** | **Rationale** |
|  | All metropolitan athletes | All events | Metro component of scheme no longer available. |
|  | Australian Squads / Teams | All events | No longer eligible for subsidy support. |
|  | School Teams | WA Volleyball Schools Cup | Representing a school team. Not part of the VWA performance pathway |
|  | School Teams | Australian Volleyball Schools Cup | Representing a school team, not a combined WA State school team. Not part of the VWA performance pathway. |
| \* All events where the athlete’s travel and accommodation costs are covered by another organisation are ineligible for subsidy assistance. |