

**Note: the department will only recognise one NT PSB for each sport and recognition does not guarantee funding under this program.**

## Funding eligibility

In order to receive funding each year a PSB must:

- fully acquit any grant funding from the Northern Territory Government
- provide audited financials from the most recent financial year
- provide all policy and procedure documents required by the department
- provide at least one nomination for the Northern Territory Sports Awards
- have a member protection information officer
- ensure all board members, paid staff and representative officials and coaches complete required Play By The Rules modules
- deliver an annual presentation to the department (Tier one only)
- have a department representative attend a board meeting at least once per annum
- provide half yearly management reports (including balance sheet, profit and loss and cashflows) to the department.

Where a PSB does not meet the funding eligibility requirements some or all funding maybe withheld. Withheld funds will not be carried into any new financial year.

## Tiering structure

The three tiered funding structure for PSBs is driven by the department's strategic focus on investing in PSBs to achieve *Quality Participation Outcomes*. There are five *Drivers* that the department has identified as key to achieving *Quality Participation Outcomes*, and they are underpinned by a number of *Objectives* and *Performance Measures*.

Details of the requirements and accountability for each tier are located at [Appendix B](#).

Band	Outcomes and funding purpose
Tier One	Should be capable of sustaining development of the sport across the NT and be progressing toward greater levels of self-sufficiency. Funding is for strategic leadership and building organisational capacity
Tier Two	Have a genuine potential for growth, plans in place to achieve them and some capacity for quality delivery in each region it operates. Funding is for growth and development
Tier Three	Small sport organisations operating in the NT. Focus and funding should be stability, development of the sport and basic operational delivery.

**Figure 1: Whole-of-Sport Driver Map**

