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part of

Badminton Europe Elite Circuit

10th -13th October 2024

ISTANBUL/TÜRKİYE



**ELITE
CIRCUIT**



Closing date: 10th September 2024

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| Organizer | Turkish Badminton Federation Address: Adnan Menderes Mahallesi, 1047 Sokak No: 1 Keçiören, Ankara / Türkiye Telephone: +90 312 310 80 54 Fax: +90 312 310 99 78 e-mail: info@badminton.org.tr Web : https://www.badminton.org.tr/ | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Date | 10-13 October 2024 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| City | İstanbul | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Eligible Players | All badminton players who are eligible to play for BWF Members. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Competition Format | <table border="1"><thead><tr><th>Event</th><th>Number of entries accepted for main draw</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>Men's Singles</td><td>32</td></tr><tr><td>Women's Singles</td><td>32</td></tr><tr><td>Men's Doubles</td><td>24</td></tr><tr><td>Women's Doubles</td><td>24</td></tr><tr><td>Mixed Doubles</td><td>24</td></tr></tbody></table> <p>In accordance with regulation § 9.2 and § 9.3 in BWF Statutes, Section 5.3.3.1: World Ranking System, an event must contain at least 8 (eight) competitors in the first published version of the main draw. If the required number of competitors is not met in the first published version of the main draw, this particular event shall not count towards any ranking, i.e. BEC Elite Circuit Ranking and BWF World Ranking. In accordance with regulation § 9.4 in BWF Statutes, Section 5.3.3.1: World Ranking System, the first published version of the main draw of an event must contain at least 1 (one) entry from a Member other than the hosting Member. If an event does not contain at least 1 (one) entry from a Member other than the hosting Member, this particular event shall not count towards any ranking.</p> <p>Badminton Europe is not liable for any costs incurred by third persons (players, coaches, umpires, team managers etc.) because of an event not having enough competitors to count for the rankings.</p> | Event | Number of entries accepted for main draw | Men's Singles | 32 | Women's Singles | 32 | Men's Doubles | 24 | Women's Doubles | 24 | Mixed Doubles | 24 |
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| Competition Venue | BAŞAKŞEHİR GENÇLİK VE SPOR İLÇE MÜDÜRLÜĞÜ TESİSLERİ ADRESS: KAYABAŞI MAH. TINAZTEPE CAD. NO.6 BAŞAKŞEHİR/CITY: İSTANBUL, COUNTRY: TÜRKİYE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Invited Countries | All Countries | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Media Links | https://www.youtube.com/@TURKIYEBADMINTONFEDERASYONUTBF | | | | | | | | | | | | |



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| Useful Contact person | <p>Talha GEDİK, Tournament Director</p> <p>e-mail:</p> <p>talhagedik@badminton.org.tr</p> <p>Phone: +90 552 904 40 65</p> |
| Referee Team | <p>Referee</p> <p>Marek KRAWCZYK</p> <p>e-mail: m.krawczyk@pzbud.pl</p> <p>Deputy Referee</p> <p>Sedat TURUNÇ</p> <p>e-mail: badmntn79@gmail.com</p> |
| Insurance coverage | <p>The organizers will not be responsible for any injury sustained, at any time, by any player or official arising from his participation in this Tournament. Players and all members of the national delegation shall hold valid insurance for damages of any nature caused to third parties. Such insurance shall cover bodily injury, including medical and hospitalization expenses incurred in the host country, as well as all expenses and costs associated to repatriating the injured party to its country of residence.</p> |
| Indemnity | <p>To the extent permitted by applicable law, all players and members of the national delegation shall release the BWF, the Tournament Organizer, and their respective officers, officials, employees, agents and representatives, from any and all liability, damage, loss, cost or expense that such players and members of the national delegation may incur as a result or in connection with their participation to the Tournament.</p> |
| Participant Agreement for Use of Photographs and Videos | <p>Players and all members of the national delegation shall agree to give the Turkish Badminton Federation and the Tournament Organizer full television and motion picture rights, including permission to film players and members of the national delegation during all matches and activities around the Tournament, for any commercial, news or other purpose together with the right to transfer such right, including without compensation.</p> |
| Regulations (Conditions of Play) | <p>This tournament will be run in accordance with, but not limited to, the Badminton World Federation (BWF) Statutes, General Competition Regulations (GCR) and BEC Elite Circuit Regulations. In the event of any dispute, the decision of the Tournament Referee will be final. This tournament will strictly enforce the Clothing, Equipment, and Advertising Regulations as outlined in the BWF GCR 20-24. This includes restrictions of certain colors for shirts, shorts, and skirts to avoid issues with virtual</p> |



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| | advertising on TV courts, as per GCR 21.7. |
| Clothing | Color, design, lettering and advertising on clothing shall be regulated by BWF General Competition Regulations § 20 to 24. Any breach of these regulations will be forwarded to BWF. It is mandatory that partners in doubles wear the same color of the T-shirt and shorts/skirts at all time during play in both the qualification and the main draw. Failing to do so shall result in an administrative fine of 100,00 EUR. |
| Scoring System | Best of three games to 21 points, as per the Laws of Badminton (BWF Statute 4.1) |
| Instant Review System | The Instant Review System (IRS) will not available all of the matches. |



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| Key Dates | Entry deadline | 10 September 2024 |
| | World Ranking date used for M&Q report | 10 September 2024 |
| | Publication of M&Q-report | 13 September 2024 |
| | World Ranking date for seeding/draw | 17 September 2024 |
| | Deadline for booking accommodation | 16 September 2024 |
| | Deadline for booking transport | 16 September 2024 |
| | Deadline for accommodation and transportation payment | 20 September 2024 |
| | Last day for withdrawal without fine | 30 September 2024 |
| | Date for the draw | 01 October 2024 |
| | Team managers meeting | 09 October 2024 |
| | | NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED |
| Draws | The draw will be performed by Badminton Europe. Knock - out system for all 5 events. 01 October 2024 | |



2.ENTRIES DETAIL

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| Online Entries | <p>All entries must be submitted using the BWF Online Entry System – click on the following link to enter your players:</p> <p>https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/42B5491B-6297-4AE7-9346-686137472762</p> <p>Players cannot be entered unless they already have a BWF ID-number. In case you wish to enter players, who do not have a BWF ID-number, please contact the BWF office well in advance of the tournament, so that the players concerned can receive a BWF ID-number before the closing date of the tournament.</p> <p>No late entries will be accepted.</p> |
| Withdrawals | <p>Withdrawals Until the withdrawal deadline 30 September 2024 all withdrawals shall be made through the BWF online entry system.</p> <p>22.1 Any withdrawal after the Monday immediately preceding the draw, for any reason whatsoever, renders the Member concerned liable to an amount of US\$ 150,00 for the inconvenience caused by the withdrawal (as defined in BWF General Competition Regulations). 22.2 Any player not showing up for a match at the tournament, without having been withdrawn in advance, renders the Member concerned liable to an additional amount of US\$ 500,00 for the inconvenience caused by the “no show” (as defined in BWF General Competition Regulations).</p> |
| Closing Date | <p>10th September 2024 at 23:59 BWF HQ-time (GMT+8) (18:59 LOCAL TIME ISTANBUL)</p> |
| Entry Fees | <p>Entry fees Single: 75 Euros per player Double and Mix Double: 65 Euros per player per event</p> <p>Beneficiary: IC – Player’s Name</p> <p>Deadline for payment: 20 September 2024</p> <p>The Member that enters a player into a BEC Elite Circuit tournament is responsible for paying the entry fees for that player. The entry fees become due if a player is entered and has not been withdrawn when the entry deadline passes. The entry fees will not be refunded in the case of a withdrawal.</p> <p>For all the withdrawn players the organizers can invoice the entry fee to the relevant Member. Organizers are allowed to refuse entries if Members or their players have outstanding fees from a previous year. Payment in Euros by bank transfer only.</p> |



Transportation

Official point of arrival and departure: Istanbul International Airport

During the event, transport will be provided ONLY between the official hotels and the venue. Timing will be communicated at the official hotel's lobby and in the players' lounge. « Transportation service will be provided only to delegations having decided to be accommodated in one of the official hotels and through the Organizing Committee » Stating your flight number, date and time of arrival will also be a helpful information to us. All info and reservation please send to e-mail: talhagedik@badminton.org.tr

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| Arrival date | 09 October 2024 |
| Departure date | 14 October 2024 |

People who want to arrive at a different airport in Istanbul will be charged €30 per person.

16 September 2024 would be the deadline for booking transport.

Payment

Account Name : Türkiye Badminton Federasyonu Başkanlığı
Bank : Türk Ekonomi Bankası (TEB)
Currency Type : EUR
Iban Number : TR50 0003 2000 0000 0098 2844 65
Swift Code : TEBUTRİS311

Prize Money

- The Organizers will pay the prize money **15.000 USD** in cash during the closing ceremony. Semi and quarterfinalists will receive the prize money after the semi/quarter finals.
- No taxes will be deducted.

| RANK | MS | WS | MD (Per Pair) | WD (Per Pair) | XD (Per Pair) |
|--------------|----------------|----------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| WINNER | 1.200\$ | 1.200\$ | 1.350\$ | 1.350\$ | 1350\$ |
| Runner up | 720\$ | 720\$ | 900\$ | 900\$ | 900\$ |
| Semi | 300\$ | 300\$ | 375\$ | 375\$ | 375\$ |
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| Quarter | 120\$ | 120\$ | | | |
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| TOTAL | 3.000\$ | 3.000\$ | 3.000\$ | 3.000\$ | 3.000\$ |

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| Accommodation | Taxes included | Name of Hotel ***** Five Star |
| | | La Quinta by Wyndham İstanbul Güneşli |
| | Single Room | 90 EURO |
| | Double Room | 110 EURO |
| | Tribble Room | 130 EURO |
| | Information | Including Breakfast |
| | Address | 15 Temmuz Mahallesi Bahar Caddesi No: 61 Bağcılar İstanbul I Türkiye T: + 90 212 970 20 10 |
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| Visa | <p>After entering player(s) in the tournament, it is the Member's responsibility to secure visas for their players – if this is needed. It is the Member's responsibility to make sure that visa applications are made early enough. The Tournament Organizer will do everything possible to enable the entered players to get a visa.</p> <p>No later than 13th September 2024.</p> <p>Contact: Talha GEDİK, Tournament Director e-mail: talhagedik@badminton.org.tr</p> | |
| Accreditation | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Access to Tournament venues and other services is provided through personalized and photographic accreditation. ➤ Every accreditation should be requested using the accreditation form. The deadline to submit your accreditation applications is 25 September 2024. Accreditation will be available for collection shortly after your arrival in İstanbul only if everything has been paid (entry fees, accommodation). ➤ The organizing committee reserves the right to refuse entry into any accredited venue or area or service (e.g., transportation) as a result of missing accreditation. The fraudulent use of accreditation is strictly prohibited, and will result in access rights being removed. ➤ The tournament reserves the right to refuse entry into any accredited venue or area or service (e.g. transportation) as a result of damaged or missing accreditation. ➤ The fraudulent use of accreditation is strictly prohibited, and will result in access rights being removed, and penalties being applied. ➤ The fee to replace any lost or damaged accreditation passes will be 20 € on each occasion, charged to the respective Member. ➤ Accreditation will be held on “LA QUINTA BY WYNDHAM” ➤ e-mail: talhagedik@badminton.org.tr | |



Media Accreditation

If media wishing to attend this tournament must complete and submit the Media Accreditation.

Please contact our Tournament

Director e-mail:

talhagedik@badminton.org.tr

Phone: +90 552 904 40 65

25 September 2024

3. TOURNAMENT DETAILS

Competition Provisional Schedule

| Day | Round | Courts | Start | End |
|------------|------------------------------------|--------|-------|-------|
| 10.10.2024 | Qualification (max 100 matches) | 5 | 09:00 | 21:00 |
| 11.10.2024 | Main draw Round 1 & 2 | 5 | 09:00 | 21:00 |
| 12.10.2024 | Quarter finals | 3 | 09:00 | 15:00 |
| | Semi-finals | 2 | 16:00 | 21:00 |
| 13.10.2024 | Finals | 1 | 10:00 | 17:00 |

The above-mentioned times are approximate and depend on final number of entries. The final frame schedule (with the exact planned conclusion of all matches) shall be made at least 20 days before the start of the tournament and shall be published on the organizer's website. 9.5 Players shall not plan their departure less than 2 (two) hours after their last match is planned to conclude. If a player is unable to compete due to early departure, he/she shall be penalized by Forfeiture of rewards (removal of Elite Circuit ranking points and shall not be awarded prizes or prize money). Badminton Europe shall propose to BWF that the gained BWF ranking points are also removed.

Official Shuttle

VICTOR MASTER ACE

<https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/events/approved-shuttles/>

Court

5 Competition courts

Victor and Enlio (Same color Green)

<https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/events/approved-flooring/>

Practice Facilities

Practice on competition courts will be available 5 courts mat available before the beginning of the tournament: **09 October 2024** between 14:00-20:00, One court/hour free booking/reservation information, please fill the practice court request form with all the details and submit your needs before **01 October 2024**. talhagedik@badminton.org.tr

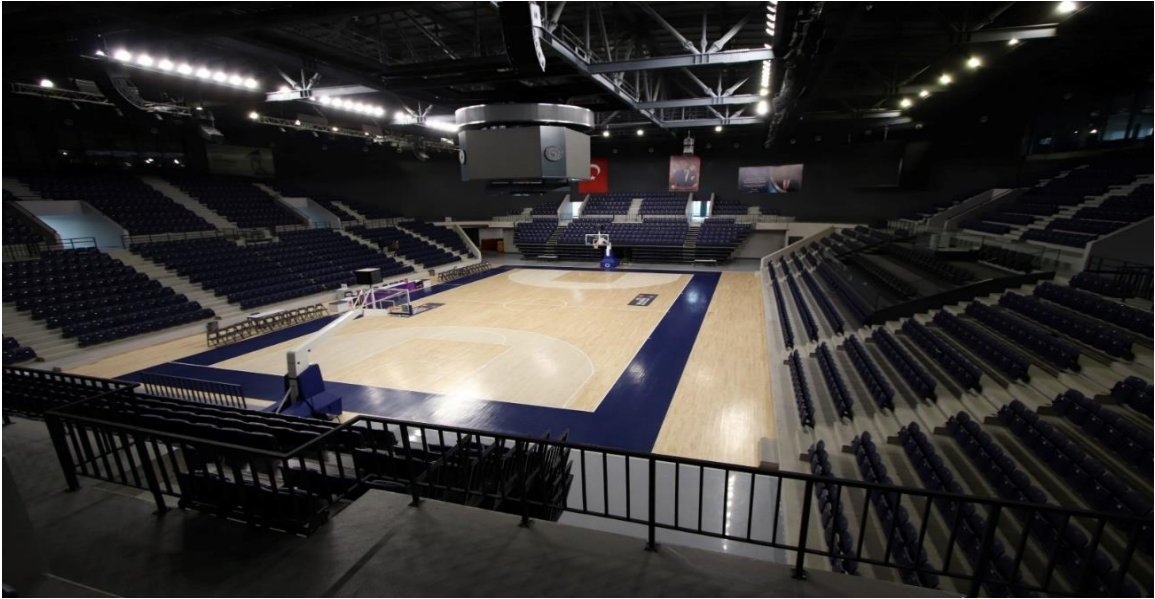
Procedure: Courts will be allocated under the organizer control on an equitable basis, taking into account the number of entries per Member, arrival date and time,



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| | <p>match schedule, and Team Manager preferences.</p> <p>Practice Shuttle Information:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• No shuttles provided• Shuttlecocks are on sale at the stringing stand: Cost 60,00 € per tube <p>The schedule will be published at the "Practice" section of the tournament website.</p> | | | |
| Team Managers Meeting | <table border="1"><tr><td>09 October 2024</td><td>19:00</td><td>LA QUINTA BY WYNDHAM</td></tr></table> | 09 October 2024 | 19:00 | LA QUINTA BY WYNDHAM |
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| Umpire Briefing Meeting | <table border="1"><tr><td>09 October 2024</td><td>20:00</td><td>LA QUINTA BY WYNDHAM<</td></tr></table> | 09 October 2024 | 20:00 | LA QUINTA BY WYNDHAM< |
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| Presentation Ceremonies | <p>All prize ceremonies will take place on 13 October 2024, immediately after the conclusion of each final. Medals and trophies will be presented to all champions and finalists. In accordance with Player Commitment Regulations (BWF Statute 5.3.6), all players participating in the finals of a tournament must attend the final ceremonies directly after the match or must follow the instructions given by the organizers regarding ceremony protocol. No equipment, including rackets and flags, are allowed to be brought onto the podium. Clothing worn during the ceremony must be in accordance with the BWF GCR.</p> | | | |
| Medical Services | <p>A medical officer/physiotherapist service will be available during the tournament, free of charge to players. If you need taping, please bring yours.</p> | | | |
| Doping | <p>Doping control in badminton, in accordance with BWF Anti-Doping Regulations, is conducted out-of-competition and in-competition with the collection of urine and/or blood samples. Athletes are responsible for any substance found in their body. Before an athlete takes any medication, they should check with their doctor, and if necessary, get a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE).</p> <p>For more information about anti-doping, please visit the BWF website: https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-doping-overview/</p> | | | |
| Integrity | <p>Section 2.4 of the BWF Statutes (Code on The Prevention of the Manipulation of Competitions) relates to anti-corruption and anti-match manipulation, and this code applies to all participants at this tournament. To protect the integrity of BWF sanctioned tournaments, participants are not allowed to bet in any way on badminton matches, shall respect the principle of fair play, and shall not attempt to influence the course or result of a game or match. Every person has an obligation to report to the BWF any approaches by anyone to gather inside information or to change the outcome of a match(es).</p> <p>For more information, please refer to BWF's website: https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/</p> | | | |



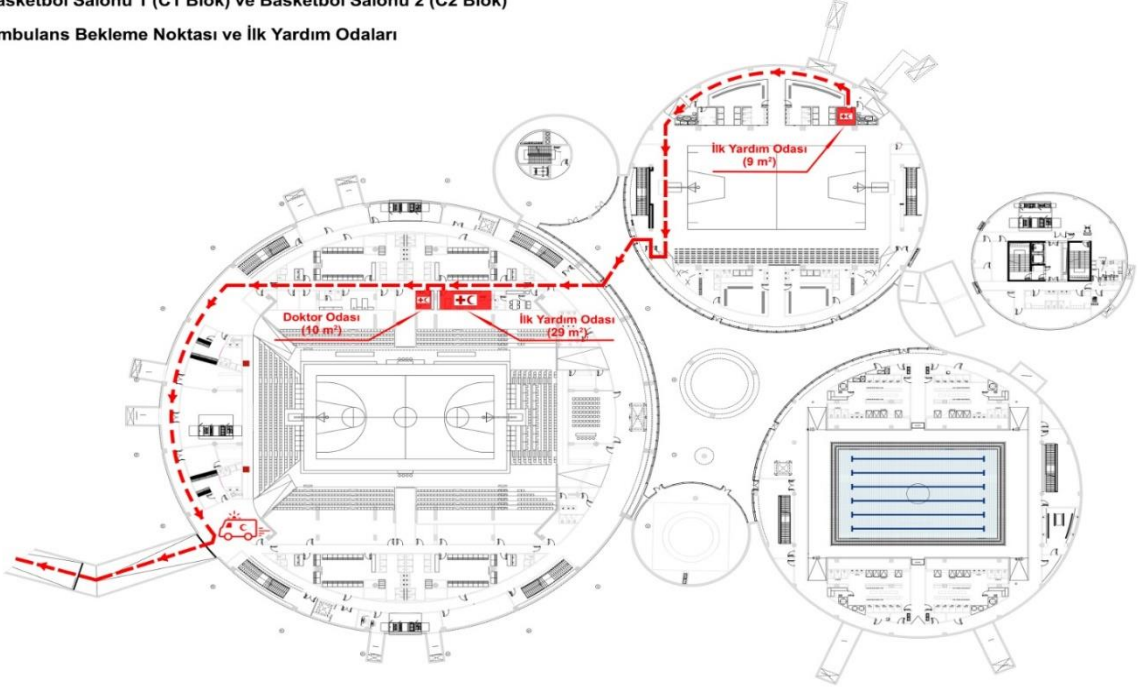
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| General Competition Regulations | GCR 7.9: “In making or authorizing entries, the Member concerned is reconfirming its acceptance, and acceptance by the Players being entered, of the BWF’s regulations and Disciplinary processes.” |
| Force Majeure | The organizing Member can cancel a tournament in case of force majeure. Such cancellation must be announced at least 15 days before the start of the tournament. If a cancellation is announced less than 15 days before the start of the tournament, then the Member organizing the tournament is liable for any expenses incurred by third persons (players, coaches, umpires, team managers etc.). Badminton Europe is not liable for any costs incurred by third persons because of a cancellation of a tournament. |
| Waiver | Member and/or Organizer may be liable for claims originating from the damages incurred by the participants and/or any other persons, arising from or in connection to the particular BEC Elite Circuit tournament, according to local Law. Badminton Europe is not liable for any such claims, actions, damages, costs or expenses of any nature whatsoever, including but not limited to injury or loss to person or property, arising out of or in any way related, directly or indirectly, to the particular BEC Elite Circuit tournament. It is recommended that Member and/or Organizers purchase a proper Insurance Policy that would cover their potential legal liability. |
| TV Broadcast Schedule | It is unknown yet. |
| Video Recording and Photography | Video recording within the competition venue is only permitted by accredited players and team officials of participating Member Associations, from clearly defined positions using video accreditation passes. |



Başakşehir Gençlik ve Spor Tesisleri

Basketbol Salonu 1 (C1 Blok) ve Basketbol Salonu 2 (C2 Blok)

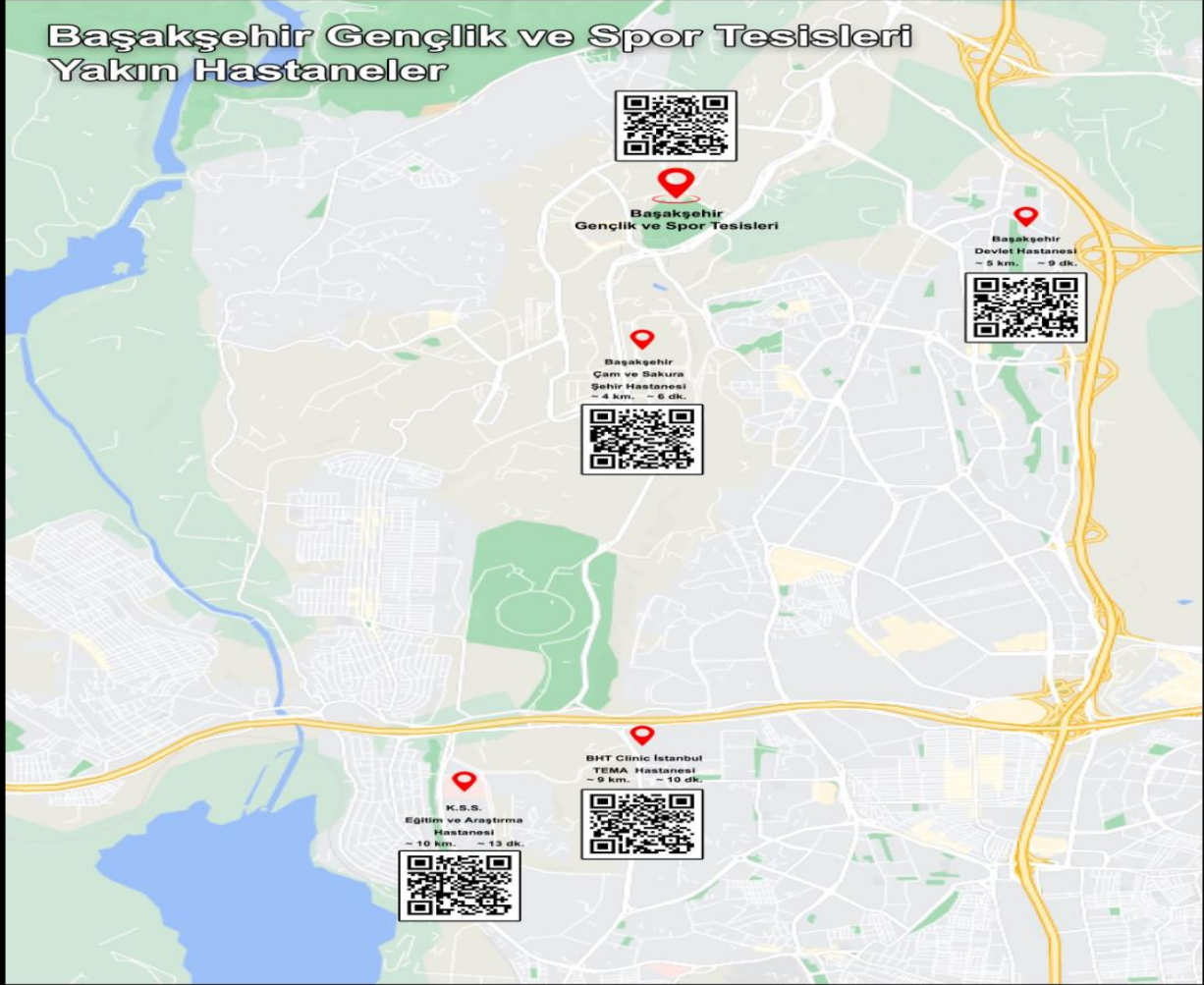
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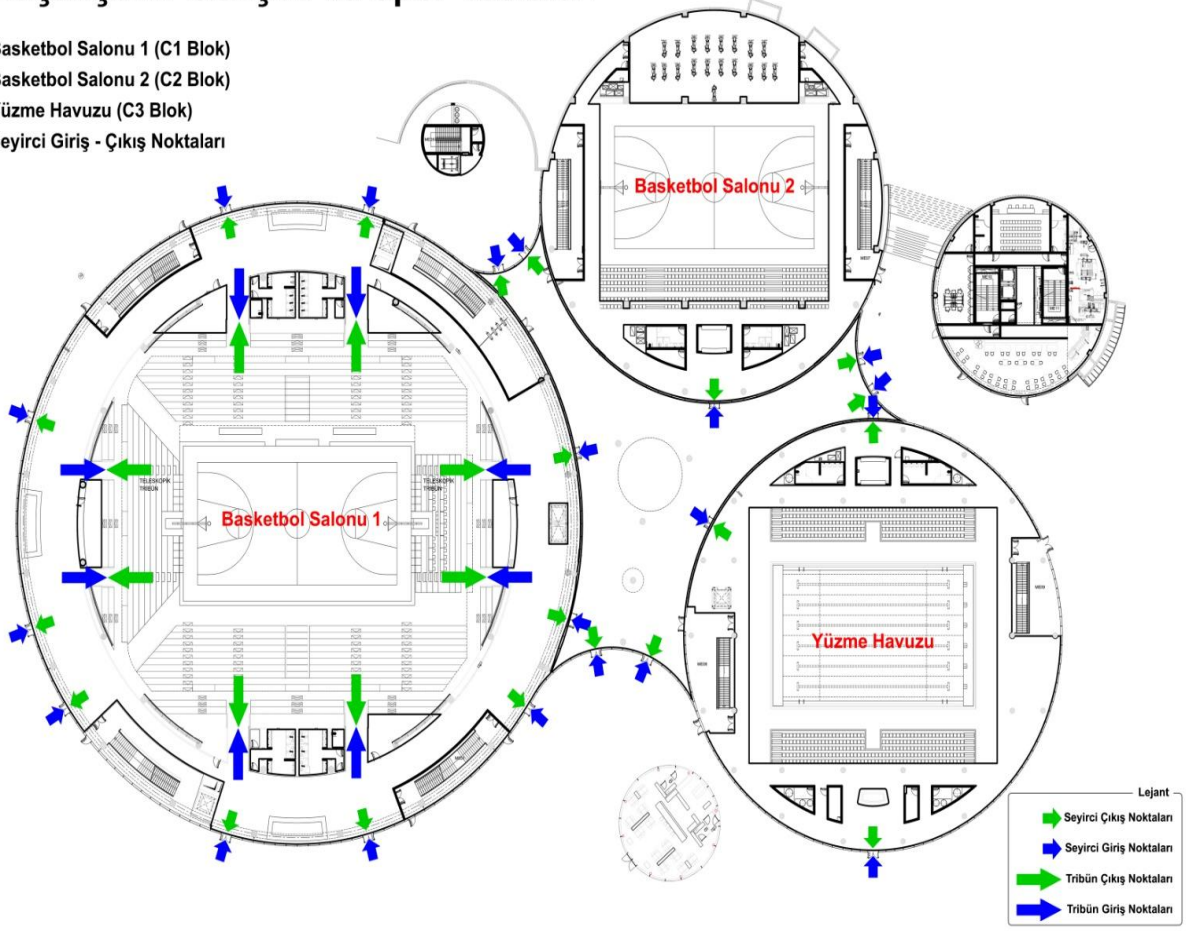


Başakşehir Gençlik ve Spor Tesisleri Yakın Hastaneler



Başakşehir Gençlik ve Spor Tesisleri

Basketbol Salonu 1 (C1 Blok)
Basketbol Salonu 2 (C2 Blok)
Yüzme Havuzu (C3 Blok)
Seyirci Giriş - Çıkış Noktaları







We look forward to seeing you