



USA Volleyball Officials' Complimentary Room Policy FAQ's for National Referee Candidates 2015-16 Season

The Officials' Complimentary Room Program is established by USA Volleyball to help alleviate the lodging expense that officials incur when participating in USAV National Championship events. Candidates for a National Referee or Scorer certification, at the BJNC, may or may not be eligible for this program. The following FAQ's will help you determine your eligibility.

1. How many days must a referee officiate to be eligible for OCRP?

A referee must be available for four consecutive days of competition. On each of those days, a referee must have no conflicts and work a minimum of six matches per day.

2. If I am a National Referee candidate and will be participating in the rating process (three days) but will be officiating for one or more additional days at the tournament, am I eligible for OCRP?

Yes, but you will have to pay for ½ the room cost for the three days during the rating session.

3. If I am a National Referee candidate and will be participating ONLY in the rating process (three days) am I eligible for OCRP?

No, you must officiate a minimum of 4 days to be eligible for OCRP.

4. If I am a National Scorer candidate and not a current National-level referee, am I eligible for OCRP?

No, you are not eligible for OCRP since you will not be a referee at the event.

5. If I am a National Scorer candidate and a current National-level referee, and I referee at the tournament for 3 or more days, and am rated on 1 day, am I eligible for OCRP?

Yes, you are eligible for OCRP, as long as you are available with no conflicts on the days you will be refereeing. You also will have to pay for ½ the room cost for the one night of the rating session.

6. If I am a National Scorer candidate and a current National-level referee, and I referee for 1 or 2 days of the tournament, and am rated on 1 day, am I eligible for OCRP?

No, you are not eligible for OCRP since you are not at the tournament for the minimum number of days required by OCRP.

7. How do I register for OCRP if I am eligible?

When you register for the tournament on VRT, you will have the option of registering for OCRP if you are eligible.

To sum up:

National Referee candidates are eligible for OCRP if they referee a minimum of four days at the BJNC; with the three days of the rating process being included in that total number, but the candidate will be responsible for ½ the room cost during the rating session.

National Scorer candidates are eligible for OCRP at the BJNC if they are also a national-level referee, and are available for a minimum of four consecutive days at the event, with their one day of the rating process being included in that total number.