



## USA Volleyball Officials' Complimentary Room Policy FAQ's for National Referee Candidates 2016-17 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.