

Badger Region Volleyball
Referee Advancement Policy for Jr. National and National Candidates

This policy is in place to assist potential USAV Jr. National and National Referee candidates, and the Badger Region, in preparing for and enhancing the potential for successfully completing their National rating sessions.

Effective immediately, all Badger Region Jr. National and National Referee candidates must complete the following requirement before Badger Region approval will be granted for attending a USAV national rating session.*

The potential candidate is required to:

1. Be a Badger Regional Referee in good standing.
2. Notify the Badger Region Referee Chair in writing/via email of their desire to be rated at a USAV National rating event by January 15 of the year prior to their event. (i.e. notification must occur by January 15, 2016 for those desiring to attend the 2017 rating session.)**
3. Attend a USAV National Clinic.
4. Work appropriate age divisions at the Badger Region Girl's Qualifier.
5. Obtain written approval/sign-off from at least three Badger Region USAV Jr. National and/or National Referees (the Badger Region Referee Advancement Committee***) who have observed the candidate at both the R1 and R2 positions.
6. Be paired up with other potential candidates, and observed by referee advancement committee members, during appropriate age division Girl's matches.

It is highly recommended that the candidate also:

1. Attend a USAV and/or PAVO Training Camp.
2. Attend a USAV and/or PAVO Advanced Training Camp.
3. Work, and be observed at, Badger Region Boy's events as both an R1 and R2.
4. Work, and be observed at, WVC events as both an R1 and R2.

* National Referee candidates may elect to apply for their USAV National Rating without the sign-off of the Badger Region Referee Advancement Committee. Doing so will make the candidate ineligible for Badger Region expense reimbursement for attendance at the rating session.

** In the case where an established Regional Referee is relocating into the Badger Region, the prior year notification requirement may be waived upon approval of the referee advancement committee.

*** The Badger Region Referee Advancement Committee will be comprised of current Jr. National and National referees appointed by the Badger Region Referee Chair.