



NCAA Division II Softball Championship Executive Summary

Dates

- May 31 – June 6, 2029 (Practice Day: May 30)
- May 30 – June 5, 2030 (Practice Day: May 29)
- May 29 – June 4, 2031 (Practice Day: May 28)

Facility Requirements

- Field must be compliant with NCAA rules.
- National championship site must use a 6-foot, non-collapsible outfield fence.
- Home and away bullpens must be similar in composition (same material as the pitching surface on the game field preferred) and similar in proximity from each dugout. Pitchers for subsequent games may have access to bullpens, with priority given to the game in progress.
- Hosts must be able to accommodate all players wearing metal cleats.
- Permanent, enclosed dugout must accommodate 30 persons.
- The facility must be enclosed in order to charge admission, and minimum seating should provide no fewer than 500 unobstructed seats.
- Locker rooms are not required but are preferred; **however**, if the host team has a locker room, a comparable area must also be provided for the visiting teams.
- There must be a designated area for a private umpire's lounge. Umpires should have the ability to lock this area upon leaving.

Lodging Requirements

- All hotels should be within 30 miles of the event venue.
- The team hotels must be of comparable quality and distance from the playing venue.
- Generally, each team will need 14 to 15 double rooms and two single rooms (the official traveling party is 26 per team).
- Umpires and NCAA committee representatives should not be housed in the same hotel as the participating teams unless there are no other accommodations available.





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Hotel Room Blocks										
Block	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.	Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.
Teams	0	144	144	144	144	144	72	36	36	36
Headquarters & Officials	3	11	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23
TOTAL	3	155	167	167	167	167	95	59	59	59

Attendance History

- Paid attendance and ticket prices over the past four championships.

Year	Location	Attendance	All-Session Ticket Prices
2022	Metropolitan State University of Denver	2,532	\$40
2023	Chattanooga Sports, Lee University and University of North Georgia	4,217	\$40
2024	Greater Orlando Sports Commission, Rollins College	2,3967	\$40
2025	Chattanooga Sports, Lee University and University of North Georgia	2,534	\$40

Average Expenses

- Average expenses over the past three championships.

Expense Category	Expense 3-Year Average
Entertainment	\$28,000
Equipment	\$4,000
Facility	\$8,000
Promotions	\$8,000
Personnel	\$31,000
Ticket Expenses	\$2,000

