



2025-26 Rule Modification for Beach Volleyball

The following rule modification was approved by the NCAA National Collegiate Beach Volleyball Committee and the Playing Rules Oversight Panel. This modification will be implemented for the 2025-26 season.

Modification	Rule Modification and Rationale
4.1.4.5	<p>To allow for coaching, including instruction, between rallies.</p> <p>Rationale: Research shows that the coach-athlete relationship in the field of competition is a performance factor. While at the highest level of beach volleyball (FIVB-International), restrictions on coaching between rallies are considered appropriate, it is too restrictive a rule in the collegiate environment.</p>