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CHAMPIONSHIP
MONCTON, NB

September 9th - 20th, 2026



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GROUP-A														
No.	Date	Time	Teams				Set	Result per set (points)						
								1	2	3	4	5	Total	Time
3	11-sept	13:30	MEX	vs	PUR	3-1	26-24	14-25	25-18	25-23		90-90	02:10	
4	11-sept	19:00	CAN	vs	CUR	3-0	25-12	25-20	25-14			75-46	01:10	
6	12-sept	13:30	MEX	vs	CUR	3-0	25-12	25-22	25-18			75-52	01:23	
8	12-sept	19:00	CAN	vs	PUR	3-0	25-19	25-17	25-17			75-53	1:27	
10	13-sept	13:30	PUR	vs	CUR	3-0	25-18	25-22	25-23			75-63	01:32	
12	13-sept	19:00	CAN	vs	MEX	3-0	25-15	25-18	25-20			75-53	01:28	
GROUP-B														
No.	Date	Time	Teams				Set	Result per set (points)						
								1	2	3	4	5	Total	Time
1	11-sept	11:00	USA	vs	GUA	3-0	25-13	25-13	25-11			75-37	01:15	
2	11-sept	16:30	CUB	vs	DOM	3-0	25-18	25-17	25-19			75-54	01:18	
5	12-sept	11:00	CUB	vs	GUA	3-0	25-13	25-14	25-10			75-37	01:14	
7	12-sept	16:30	USA	vs	DOM	3-0	25-17	25-15	25-19			75-51	01:44	
9	13-sept	11:00	DOM	vs	GUA	3-0	25-20	25-19	25-15			75-54	01:20	
11	13-sept	16:30	USA	vs	CUB	3-1	19-25	25-23	25-18	25-14		94-80	01:57	
QUARTERFINALS														
No.	Date	Time	Teams				Set	Result per set (points)						
								1	2	3	4	5	Total	Time
13	14-sept	16:30	CUB 2ND B	vs	3RD A PUR	3-0	25-21	25-23	25-14			75-58	01:39	
14	14-sept	19:00	MEX 2ND A	vs	3RD B DOM	1-3	25-16	19-25	19-25	19-25		82-91	01:56	
CLASSIFICATION 5/8														
No.	Date	Time	Teams				Set	Result per set (points)						
								1	2	3	4	5	Total	Time
15	15-sept	11:00	GUA 4TH B	vs	LOSER OF M13 OR (M14) PUR	0-3	14-25	21-25	15-25			50-75	01:23	
16	15-sept	13:30	CUR 4TH A	vs	LOSER OF M14 OR (M13) MEX	0-3	20-25	19-25	20-25			59-75	01:25	
SEMIFINALS														
No.	Date	Time	Teams				Set	Result per set (points)						
								1	2	3	4	5	Total	Time
18	15-sept	16:30	CAN 1st. A	vs	WINNER OF M14 OR (M13) CUB	3-0	26-24	25-22	25-17			76-63	01:34	
17	15-sept	19:00	USA 1st. B	vs	WINNER OF M13 OR (M14) DOM	3-0	25-20	25-15	25-19			75-54	01:24	
FINAL CLASSIFICATION 7/8														
No.	Date	Time	Teams				Set	Result per set (points)						
								1	2	3	4	5	Total	Time
19	16-sept	11:00	(GUA) LOSER OF M15	vs	LOSER OF M16 (CUR)	0-0								
FINAL CLASSIFICATION 5/6														
No.	Date	Time	Teams				Set	Result per set (points)						
								1	2	3	4	5	Total	Time
20	16-sept	13:30	(PUR) WINNER OF M15	vs	WINNER OF M16 (MEX)	0-0								
FINALS														
No.	Date	Time	Teams				Set	Result per set (points)						
								1	2	3	4	5	Total	Time
21	16-sept	16:30	(DOM) LOSER OF M17	vs	LOSER OF M18 (CUB)	0-0								
22	16-sept	19:00	(USA) WINNER OF M17	vs	WINNER OF M18 (CAN)	0-0								
SEMI FINALS CONTINETAL QUALIFICATIONS														
No.	Date	Time	Teams				Set	Result per set (points)						
								1	2	3	4	5	Total	Time
23	18-sept	16:30	2ND	vs	3RD	0-0								
24	18-sept	19:00	1ST	vs	4TH	0-0								
FINAL CONTINETAL QUALIFICATIONS														
No.	Date	Time	Teams				Set	Result per set (points)						
								1	2	3	4	5	Total	Time
25	19-sept	16:30	LOSER OF M23	vs	LOSER OF M24	0-0								
26	19-sept	19:00	WINNER OF M23	vs	WINNER OF M24	0-0								



MEN NORCECA CONTINENTAL CHAMPIONSHIP

Moncton, New Brunswick,
CANADA

9-20 SEPTEMBER, 2026



Dia / Day	Hora / Time	Competition Venue	Hora / Time	Training Court 1	Training Court 2	
09-sep-26			TBD	TBD	TBD	
			TBD	TBD	TBD	
			TBD	TBD	TBD	
			TBD	TBD	TBD	
10-sep-26	08:00	MEX			Preliminary Inquiry	
	09:30	CUB			Time	TIME
	11:00	CUR			09:00	CUR
	12:30	USA			09:45	USA
	14:00	PUR			10:30	CAN
	15:30	GUA			11:15	PUR
	17:00	CAN			12:00	GUA
	18:30	DOM			12:45	CUB
					13:30	MEX
					14:15	DOM
	20:00	PRACTICAL CLINIC				
11-sep-26			08:00	CUB	08:00	DOM
			09:30	CAN	09:30	CUR
	11:00	USA VS GUA				
	13:30	MEX VS PUR				
	16:30	CUB VS DOM	18:30	USA	18:30	GUA
	19:00	CAN VS CUR	20:00	MEX	20:00	PUR
12-sep-26			08:00	USA	08:00	DOM
			09:30	CAN	09:30	PUR
	11:00	CUB VS GUA				
	13:30	MEX VS CUR				
	16:30	USA VS DOM	18:30	CUB	18:30	GUA
	19:00	CAN VS PUR	20:00	MEX	20:00	CUR
13-sep-26			08:00	USA	08:00	CUB
			09:30	CAN	09:30	MEX
	11:00	DOM VS GUA				
	13:30	PUR VS CUR				
	16:30	USA VS CUB	18:30	DOM	18:30	GUA
	19:00	CAN VS MEX	20:00	PUR	20:00	CUR
14-sep-26			08:00	2ND GROUP B CUB	08:00	3RD GROUP A PUR
			09:30	2ND GROUP A MEX	09:30	3RD GROUP B DOM
			11:00	1ST GROUP B USA	11:00	4TH GROUP B GUA
			12:30	1ST GROUP A CAN	12:30	4TH GROUP A CUR
	16:30	CUB 2ND GROUP B VS 3RD GROUP A PUR				
	19:00	MEX 2ND GROUP A VS 3RD GROUP B DOM				
15-sep-26			09:30	1ST GROUP A CAN	09:30	WINNER M13 OR M14 CUB
			11:00	1ST GROUP B USA	11:00	WINNER M14 OR M13 DOM
	11:00	GUA 4TH GROUP B VS LOOSER M13 OR M14 PUR				
	13:30	CUR 4TH GROUP A VS LOOSER M14 OR M13 MEX				
	16:30	CAN 1ST GROUP A VS WINNER M14 OR M13 CUB	18:30	4TH GROUP B GUA	18:30	LOSER M13 OR M14 PUR
	19:00	USA 1ST GROUP B VS WINNER M13 OR M14 DOM	20:00	4th GROUP A CUR	20:00	LOSER M14 OR M13 MEX
16-sep-26			09:30	(DOM) LOSER M17	09:30	LOSER M18 (CUB)
			11:00	(USA) WINNER M17	11:00	WINNER M18 (CAN)
	11:00	(GUA) LOSER M15 VS LOSER M16 (CUR)				
	13:30	(PUR) WINNER M15 VS WINNER M16 (MEX)				
	16:30	(DOM) LOSER M17 VS LOSER M18 (CUB)				
	19:00	(USA) WINNER M17 VS WINNER M18 (CAN)				
17-sep-26	08:00	4TH				
	09:30	3RD				
	11:00	2ND				
	12:30	1ST				
18-sep-26	08:00	2nd				
	09:30	3rd				
	11:00	1st				
	12:30	4th				
	16:30	2ND VS 3RD				
	19:00	1ST VS 4TH				
	08:00	LOSER M23				
	09:30	LOSER M24				



NORCECA Men Continental Championship 2026

O-1 VOLLEYBALL - Uniform colors



No	Date	Hour	City	Hall	Teams	Team uniform	Libero
17	15-Sep-2026	19:00	Moncton	Avenir Centre	USA	Navy	White
					DOM	white	Red
18	15-Sep-2026	16:30	Moncton	Avenir Centre	CAN	Black	Red
					CUB	White	Blue

Final 7-8

No	Date	Hour	City	Hall	Teams	Team uniform	Libero
19	16-Sep-2026	11:00	Moncton	Avenir Centre	GUA	Blue	Light Blue
					CUR	White	Yellow

Final 5-6

No	Date	Hour	City	Hall	Teams	Team uniform	Libero
20	16-Sep-2026	13:30	Moncton	Avenir Centre	PUR	Blue	White
					MEX	White	Red

Final 3-4

No	Date	Hour	City	Hall	Teams	Team uniform	Libero
21	16-Sep-2026	16:30	Moncton	Avenir Centre	DOM	Red	Blue
					CUB	Blue	Red

Final 1-2

No	Date	Hour	City	Hall	Teams	Team uniform	Libero
22	16-Sep-2026	19:00	Moncton	Avenir Centre	USA	White	Navy
					CAN	Red	White

Semifinals QF

No	Date	Hour	City	Hall	Teams	Team uniform	Libero
23	18-Sep-2026	16:30	Moncton	Avenir Centre			
24	18-Sep-2026	19:00	Moncton	Avenir Centre			

Final 3-4 QF

No	Date	Hour	City	Hall	Teams	Team uniform	Libero
25	19-Sep-2026	16:30	Moncton	Avenir Centre			

Final 1-2 QF

No	Date	Hour	City	Hall	Teams	Team uniform	Libero
26	19-Sep-2026	19:00	Moncton	Avenir Centre			



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P-4 Collated results & ranking

Results as of 15 September 2026



MATCHES RESULTS

Pool A

No	Date	Teams	Set	1	Result per set (points)				5	Total Points	Duration	Spectators
3	11-Sep-2026	MEX - PUR	3-1	26-24	14-25	25-18	25-23			90-90	2:10	289
4	11-Sep-2026	CAN - CUR	3-0	25-12	25-20	25-14				75-46	1:10	520
6	12-Sep-2026	MEX - CUR	3-0	25-12	25-22	25-18				75-52	1:23	800
8	12-Sep-2026	CAN - PUR	3-0	25-19	25-17	25-17				75-53	1:27	2041
10	13-Sep-2026	PUR - CUR	3-0	25-18	25-22	25-23				75-63	1:32	500
12	13-Sep-2026	CAN - MEX	3-0	25-15	25-18	25-20				75-53	1:28	2000

Pool B

No	Date	Teams	Set	1	Result per set (points)				5	Total Points	Duration	Spectators
1	11-Sep-2026	USA - GUA	3-0	25-13	25-13	25-11				75-37	1:15	1200
2	11-Sep-2026	CUB - DOM	3-0	25-18	25-17	25-19				75-54	1:18	310
5	12-Sep-2026	CUB - GUA	3-0	25-13	25-14	25-10				75-37	1:14	506
7	12-Sep-2026	USA - DOM	3-0	25-17	25-15	25-19				75-51	1:44	1500
9	13-Sep-2026	DOM - GUA	3-0	25-20	25-19	25-15				75-54	1:20	365
11	13-Sep-2026	USA - CUB	3-1	19-25	25-23	25-18	25-14			94-80	1:57	1500

Quarterfinals

No	Date	Teams	Set	1	Result per set (points)				5	Total Points	Duration	Spectators
13	14-Sep-2026	CUB - PUR	3-0	25-21	25-23	25-14				75-58	1:39	302
14	14-Sep-2026	MEX - DOM	1-3	25-16	19-25	19-25	19-25			82-91	1:56	530

Classification 5-8

No	Date	Teams	Set	1	Result per set (points)				5	Total Points	Duration	Spectators
15	15-Sep-2026	GUA - PUR	0-3	14-25	21-25	15-25				50-75	1:23	604
16	15-Sep-2026	CUR - MEX	0-3	20-25	19-25	20-25				59-75	1:25	400

Semifinals

No	Date	Teams	Set	1	Result per set (points)				5	Total Points	Duration	Spectators
17	15-Sep-2026	USA - DOM	3-0	25-20	25-15	25-19				75-54	1:24	1000
18	15-Sep-2026	CAN - CUB	3-0	26-24	25-22	25-17				76-63	1:34	680





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Final 7-8

No	Date	Teams	Set	Result per set (points)					Total Points	Duration	Spectators
				1	2	3	4	5			
19	16-Sep-2026	GUA - CUR							-		

Final 5-6

No	Date	Teams	Set	Result per set (points)					Total Points	Duration	Spectators
				1	2	3	4	5			
20	16-Sep-2026	PUR - MEX							-		

Final 3-4

No	Date	Teams	Set	Result per set (points)					Total Points	Duration	Spectators
				1	2	3	4	5			
21	16-Sep-2026	DOM - CUB							-		

Final 1-2

No	Date	Teams	Set	Result per set (points)					Total Points	Duration	Spectators
				1	2	3	4	5			
22	16-Sep-2026	USA - CAN							-		

TEAM RANKING

Pool A

Rk	Code	Team	Matches			Pts	Results details							Sets			Points		
			W	L	T		3-0	3-1	3-2	2-3	1-3	0-3	W	L	Ratio	W	L	Ratio	
1	CAN	Canada	3	0	3	9	3	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	MAX	225	152	1.480	
2	MEX	Mexico	2	1	3	6	1	1	0	0	0	1	6	4	1.500	218	217	1.004	
3	PUR	Puerto Rico	1	2	3	3	1	0	0	0	1	1	4	6	0.666	218	228	0.956	
4	CUR	Curacao	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	9	0.000	161	225	0.715	

Pool B

Rk	Code	Team	Matches			Pts	Results details							Sets			Points		
			W	L	T		3-0	3-1	3-2	2-3	1-3	0-3	W	L	Ratio	W	L	Ratio	
1	USA	United States	3	0	3	9	2	1	0	0	0	0	9	1	9.000	244	168	1.452	
2	CUB	Cuba	2	1	3	6	2	0	0	0	1	0	7	3	2.333	230	185	1.243	
3	DOM	Dominican Republic	1	2	3	3	1	0	0	0	0	2	3	6	0.500	180	204	0.882	
4	GUA	Guatemala	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	9	0.000	128	225	0.568	





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[P-2] Match result

Classification 5-8

Match: 15 **Date:** 15/09/2026 **Spectators:** 604
City: Moncton
Hall: Avenir Centre
Match duration: **Start:** 11:00 **End:** 12:23 **Total:** 1:23

Teams	Sets	1	2	3	4	5	Total
GUA	0	14	21	15			50
PUR	3	25	25	25			75
Duration:		0:23	0:24	0:20			1:07

Referees:

GUA - Guatemala													
No	Name	Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	
2	Lopez (C)	OH	3	2	3			1	4			5	
3	Morales	S	2	1	2				1			1	
6	Samayoa	MB	6		10				1			1	
8	Zuñiga	S	12	12									
9	Delgado (L)	L	L	L	L								
10	Duran	OH	6	5	6			1	3	2		6	
11	Blanco	OP	5	4	5			3	5	5		13	
12	Alvarez	MB	1	6	1				1	2		3	
15	Hernandez	MB	4	3	4			4	1	1		6	
17	Izaguirre (L)	L	L	L	L								
19	Carrillo	OP			3								
21	Hernandez A.	MB											
Head Coach:			Reider Lucas Mora (CU)										
Assistant:			Luis Fernando Castañeda Maldonado (GT)										

PUR - Puerto Rico													
No	Name	Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	
2	Lawrence	OH	4	6	6			6	4	1		11	
3	Santiago	OP	55	5	5			2	3	7		12	
4	Del Valle (L)	L											
5	Henwood	S	2	3	2				2			2	
9	Molina	OH	5					4				4	
10	Torres	OP	9	55				1	3			4	
14	Vargas	OH	2	3	3			5	6	6		17	
15	Rodriguez	MB											
17	Alomar	MB	3	4	4			2	3	2		7	
24	Cabrera (C) (L)	L	L	L	L								
25	Salva	MB	6	1	1				1			1	
44	Figueroa	MB	25		25			1		1		2	
55	Rodriguez	S	1	2				2				2	
Head Coach:			Alberto Jamille Torres Rosario (PR)										
Assistant:			Jesus Echevarria (PR)										
2nd Assistant:			Anthony Melendez (PR)										
			Felix Alejandro Roman Rivera (PR)										

TEAMS AND PLAYERS PERFORMANCES

Won Points	Total Atts	No	Name	Scoring Skills	Won Points	Total Atts	No	Name
31	78	Total Team		Attack	43	77	Total Team	
13	31	11	Blanco		12	23	14	Vargas
5	10	10	Duran		11	18	3	Santiago
5	8	15	Hernandez		8	14	2	Lawrence
2	23	Total Team		Block	9	37	Total Team	
1	4	2	Lopez		2	4	2	Lawrence
1	4	12	Alvarez		2	9	14	Vargas
0	2	3	Morales		2	3	17	Alomar
2	51	Total Team		Serve	10	74	Total Team	
1	5	10	Duran		3	14	14	Vargas
1	11	15	Hernandez		2	12	17	Alomar
0	8	2	Lopez		2	9	55	Rodriguez
15		Total Team		Opp. error	13		Total Team	
50	152	Total Team		Total	75	188	Total Team	
13	44	11	Blanco	Best scorers	17	46	14	Vargas
6	16	10	Duran		12	27	3	Santiago
6	22	15	Hernandez		11	33	2	Lawrence

■ Starting line-up with position Atts = Attempts (C) = Captain MB = Middle blocker S = Setter
□ Substitute with shirt number Opp. = Opponent (L) / L = Libero OP = Opposite OH = Outside Hitter





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[P-2] Match result

Classification 5-8

Match: 16 **Date:** 15/09/2026 **Spectators:** 400
City: Moncton
Hall: Avenir Centre
Match duration: **Start:** 13:30 **End:** 14:55 **Total:** 1:25

Teams	Sets	1	2	3	4	5	Total
CUR	0	20	19	20			59
MEX	3	25	25	25			75
Duration:		0:24	0:25	0:22			1:11

Referees:

CUR - Curaçao													
No	Name	Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	
1	Marchena	S	1	1	1								
2	Molina	OP	8	5									
3	Gabriel	MB		6	3			6	5			11	
4	Mota (L)	L	L	L	L								
5	van Henneigen	OH	2	2				1	1			2	
6	Clemencia	OP		9	1								
8	Valeriano	OH	5	5	5			3	4	1		8	
9	Kleinmoedig	OP	4	4	4			8	4	2		14	
10	Colina	L			2					5		5	
11	Isernia (C)	MB	6		6			1	2			3	
12	Inocente	MB	3	3				3				3	
15	Elsevijf	OH											

Head Coach: Henrich Daal (NL)
Assistant: Remey Janga (NL)
2nd Assistant: Gilbert Paulina (NL)

MEX - Mexico													
No	Name	Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	
1	Righetto	OH		47					3				3
3	Bravo	L	47		47								
5	Parra	MB											
6	Lopez (C)	OH											
7	Gonzalez	OP	4	5	4			3	4	6			13
8	Mendoza	S	1	2	1					1			1
9	Rodriguez	MB	3	4	3			2	6	4			12
11	Lopez B.	MB	8	8	8								
12	Fuentes	OH	5	6	5			3	4	3			10
13	Garcia	MB	6	1	6			5		2			7
15	Cravioto	MB		13					1				1
17	Izaguirre (L)	OH	L	L	L								
47	Milantony	OH	2	3	2			4	2	4			10
96	Garcia	S			7								

Head Coach: Carlos Eduardo Schwanke (BR)
Assistant: Renato Lucio Soares Junior (BR)

TEAMS AND PLAYERS PERFORMANCES

Won Points	Total Atts	No	Name
39	85	Total Team	
14	28	9	Kleinmoedig
7	10	3	Gabriel
7	16	8	Valeriano
4	35	Total Team	
4	5	3	Gabriel
0	2	1	Marchena
0	0	2	Molina
3	60	Total Team	
1	11	8	Valeriano
1	4	10	Colina
1	7	12	Inocente
13		Total Team	
59	180	Total Team	

Scoring Skills
Attack
Block
Serve
Opp. error
Total

Won Points	Total Atts	No	Name
42	83	Total Team	
10	19	7	Gonzalez
10	12	9	Rodriguez
9	19	47	Milantony
10	27	Total Team	
4	6	13	Garcia
2	3	7	Gonzalez
2	5	12	Fuentes
5	74	Total Team	
1	3	1	Righetto
1	12	7	Gonzalez
1	11	9	Rodriguez
18		Total Team	
75	184	Total Team	

Best scorers

Won Points	Total Atts	No	Name
13	34	7	Gonzalez
12	29	9	Rodriguez
10	34	12	Fuentes

■ Starting line-up with position Atts = Attempts (C) = Captain MB = Middle blocker S = Setter
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P-2 Match result
Semifinals

Match: 17 **Date:** 15/09/2026 **Spectators:** 1,000
City: Moncton
Hall: Avenir Centre
Match duration: **Start:** 19:00 **End:** 20:24 **Total:** 1:24

Teams	Sets	1	2	3	4	5	Total
USA	3	25	25	25			75
DOM	0	20	15	19			54
Duration:		0:25	0:22	0:23			1:10

Referees:

USA - United States													
No	Name	Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	
1	Anderson	OH	2	3	1			3	4	3			10
3	Briggs (L)	L				L							
4	Jendryk	MB	6	1				3	2				5
7	Pasteur	OH				4				6			6
8	Rogers	OH	24	24	1					3			3
12	Marshman	MB				2				5			5
14	Ma'a (C)	S	1	2	15			4	3				7
15	Rowan	S	4	14	6								
17	Hanes	OP	4	5				4					4
18	Hartke	OP				3				5			5
22	Shoji (L)	L	L	L									
24	McHenry	MB	3	4				5	6				11
26	Knigge	MB				5				1			1
29	Ewert	OH	5	6				3	2				5
Head Coach:		Karch Kiraly (US)											
Assistant:		Javier Weber (AR)											
		Luka Slabe (US)											

DOM - Dominican Republic													
No Name		Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	
2	Reinoso	OH	12	14									
5	Mieses (L)	L	L	L	L								
6	Figueroa	OP	5	4	5			4	3	2			9
7	Andujar	MB	4										
8	Rojas	OH	6	5	6			4	1	2			7
9	Almonte	OH	7	18	18								
12	Ortiz	S	2	6	2				1	1			2
14	Ramirez	S	6	1									
15	Rosario	MB	1	3	1			2	1	2			5
18	Ortiz	MB		6	4				1	1			2
19	Cruz (C)	OH	3	2	3			2	3	1			6
21	Molina	OH											
Head Coach:			José Dante Aristides Mañon Torres (DO)										
Assistant:			Francisco Jose Lerebours (DO)										
2nd Assistant:			Luiyi David Tolentino (DO)										

TEAMS AND PLAYERS PERFORMANCES

Won Points	Total Atts	No	Name	Scoring Skills	Won Points	Total Atts	No	Name
44	80	Total Team		Attack	27	77	Total Team	
8	9	24	McHenry		8	19	6	Figueroa
7	11	1	Anderson		7	18	8	Rojas
6	9	7	Pasteur		6	26	19	Cruz
9	41	Total Team		Block	2	25	Total Team	
3	8	24	McHenry		1	4	6	Figueroa
2	5	12	Marshman		1	7	18	Ortiz
2	6	14	Ma'a		0	2	2	Reinoso
9	74	Total Team		Serve	2	55	Total Team	
5	16	14	Ma'a		2	11	12	Ortiz
2	13	1	Anderson		0	0	2	Reinoso
1	7	4	Jendryk		0	0	5	Mieses
13		Total Team		Opp. error	23		Total Team	
75	195	Total Team		Total	54	157	Total Team	
11	21	24	McHenry	Best scorers	9	29	6	Figueroa
10	29	1	Anderson		7	28	8	Rojas
7	22	14	Ma'a		6	36	19	Cruz

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P-2 Match result
Semifinals

Match: 18 **Date:** 15/09/2026 **Spectators:** 680
City: Moncton
Hall: Avenir Centre
Match duration: **Start:** 16:30 **End:** 18:04 **Total:** 1:34

Teams	Sets	1	2	3	4	5	Total
CAN	3	26	25	25			76
CUB	0	24	22	17			63
Duration:		0:29	0:29	0:22			1:20

Referees:

CAN - Canada													
No	Name	Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	
2	Herr	S	1	6	1								
6	Demyanenko	MB											
7	Maar	OH	5	4	5		2	7	4				13
9	Elgert	S	13	13	13								
11	Wassenaar Ketrzynski	OP	2	2	2								
13	Sho	OP	4	3	4		5	6	3				14
15	Young	OH											
16	Kofi	MB											
17	Howe	MB	6	5	6		2	2	1				5
33	McCarthy	MB	3	2	3		5	1	4				10
80	Loeppky (C)	OH	2	1	2		4	4	6				14
87	Hollands (L)	L			L								
97	Currie (L)	L	L	L	L								
99	Varga	OH			7								
Head Coach: Daniel Lewis (CA)													
2nd Assistant: Chris Voth (CA)													

CUB - Cuba													
No	Name	Pos.	Line-up					Points by set					T.
			1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	
2	Mergarejo	OH	5	5	5		2	4					6
7	Garcia (L)	L	L	L	L								
9	Gonzalez	OP	4	4	4		5	5	2				12
12	Arrechea (L)	L	L	L	L								
13	Simón	MB											
15	Fiel	MB	6	6			1						1
16	Marti	OH			2								
18	Lopez (C)	OH	2	2			4	3					7
20	Thiago	MB			6				2				2
23	Yant	OH	99	9	2				5				5
24	Flaquet	S			9								
28	Thondike	S	1	1	1				2				2
30	Martinez	OP	15	99	28				2				2
99	Wilson	MB	3	3	3		1	1	1				3
Head Coach: Jesus Angel Cruz Lopez (CU)													
Assistant: Mario Raul Izquierdo Perez (CU)													
Borja Resina Montero (ES)													
2nd Assistant: Manuel de Jesus Espinosa Yanez (CU)													

TEAMS AND PLAYERS PERFORMANCES

Won Points	Total Atts	No Name	Scoring Skills	Won Points	Total Atts	No Name
39	78	Total Team	Attack	31	78	Total Team
13	23	80 Loeppky		9	21	9 Gonzalez
10	15	13 Sho		5	18	2 Mergarejo
9	24	7 Maar		5	11	18 Lopez
8	43	Total Team	Block	6	32	Total Team
3	9	7 Maar		2	7	9 Gonzalez
3	7	13 Sho		1	3	2 Mergarejo
2	10	33 McCarthy		1	2	18 Lopez
9	74	Total Team	Serve	3	65	Total Team
6	17	33 McCarthy		1	10	9 Gonzalez
1	14	7 Maar		1	9	18 Lopez
1	13	13 Sho		1	12	28 Thondike
20		Total Team	Opp. error	23		Total Team
76	195	Total Team	Total	63	175	Total Team
14	35	13 Sho	Best scorers	12	38	9 Gonzalez
14	44	80 Loeppky		7	22	18 Lopez
13	47	7 Maar		6	27	2 Mergarejo

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[P-5] Players ranking by skills

All matches



Best Scorers

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Attack	Block	Serve	Total
1	7	González Castañeda Diego	OP	MEX	60	5	3	68
2	9	Gonzalez Rodriguez Alejandro Miguel	OP	CUB	43	13	8	64
3	6	Figuerola Lantigua Adrian Jose	OP	DOM	51	8	3	62
4	47	Hernandez Milantony Franky Adrian	OH	MEX	53	2	5	60
5	14	Vargas Pelegrin	OH	PUR	51	4	3	58
6	80	Loeppky Eric	OH	CAN	42	5	8	55
7	9	Kleinmoedig Marlison	OP	CUR	49	3	1	53
	3	Santiago Sanchez Jair Daniel	OP	PUR	48	4	1	53
9	19	Cruz Cepin Hector Alexis	OH	DOM	47	2	3	52
10	9	Molina Pedro	OH	PUR	37	5	4	46
11	13	Vernon-Evans Sharone	OP	CAN	32	7	6	45
12	12	Fuentes Rascon Mauro Isaac	OH	MEX	34	4	5	43
13	7	Maar Stephen Timothy	OH	CAN	36	4	2	42
	17	Hanes Jake	OP	USA	36	6	0	42
15	23	Yant Herrera Marlon	OH	CUB	31	5	4	40
16	8	Rojas De Jesús Edwad Domingo	OH	DOM	35	1	3	39
17	18	Lopez Castro Miguel Angel	OH	CUB	35	2	1	38
	13	Garcia Ayala Juan Salvador	MB	MEX	19	15	4	38
19	11	Leonardo Blanco Andy Alexis	OP	GUA	36	0	0	36
20	99	Wilson Velazquez Alexis	MB	CUB	17	17	0	34
21	1	Anderson Matthew	OH	USA	26	3	4	33
22	33	McCarthy Fynnian Lionel	MB	CAN	8	8	15	31
23	2	Lopez Santiago Carlos Fernando	OH	GUA	28	2	0	30
24	17	Howe Jackson	MB	CAN	19	9	0	28
	9	Tellez Rodriguez Axel Manuel	MB	MEX	22	5	1	28
	2	Lawrence Vidal Klistan	OH	PUR	21	6	1	28
	8	Rogers Patrick	OH	USA	17	2	9	28
28	5	van Henneigen Timothy	OH	CUR	25	1	1	27
29	2	Mergarejo Hernandez Osniel Lazaro	OH	CUB	22	3	1	26
	15	Rosario Adames Luther Hadasher	MB	DOM	18	5	3	26
	24	McHenry Merrick	MB	USA	15	10	1	26
32	8	Valeriano Shuruendy	OH	CUR	22	1	2	25
	29	Ewert Jordan	OH	USA	22	1	2	25
34	15	Rodriguez Jonathan	MB	PUR	22	1	0	23
35	7	Pasteur Jacob	OH	USA	20	0	2	22
	18	Hartke Cole	OP	USA	20	1	1	22
37	28	Thondike Mejias Christian Manuel	S	CUB	12	5	4	21
	25	Salva Torres Eliel David	MB	PUR	15	6	0	21
39	10	Duran Flores Jerry Jareth	OH	GUA	17	0	3	20
40	18	Ortiz Valdez Moises Alexander	MB	DOM	16	3	0	19
	17	Alomar Ismael	MB	PUR	10	7	2	19
42	13	Simon Aties Robertlandy	MB	CUB	9	3	5	17
	3	Gabriel Sharif	MB	CUR	11	6	0	17
	12	Inocente Ludrich	MB	CUR	12	4	1	17
	5	Parra Valenzuela Victor Manuel	MB	MEX	14	3	0	17
	12	Marshman Michael	MB	USA	10	6	1	17
47	15	Hernández de León Jason Omar	MB	GUA	13	2	1	16
48	11	Isenia Raygid Arcadio Carlos	MB	CUR	15	0	0	15
49	12	Alvarez López Christian Saúl	MB	GUA	9	5	0	14
50	30	Martínez Campos Daniel Guillermo	OP	CUB	9	2	2	13
Total tournament					1,402	246	166	1,814





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All matches



Best Attackers

Limit:15.00%

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Attacks	Faults	Shots	Total Attempts	Succ. %
1	17	Hanes Jake	OP	USA	36	6	17	59	61.02
2	13	Vernon-Evans Sharone	OP	CAN	32	8	15	55	58.18
3	80	Loeppky Eric	OH	CAN	42	8	29	79	53.16
4	9	Gonzalez Rodriguez Alejandro Miguel	OP	CUB	43	13	26	82	52.44
5	1	Anderson Matthew	OH	USA	26	8	16	50	52.00
6	3	Santiago Sanchez Jair Daniel	OP	PUR	48	12	34	94	51.06
7	7	González Castañeda Diego	OP	MEX	60	19	43	122	49.18
8	14	Vargas Pelegrin	OH	PUR	51	13	40	104	49.04
9	7	Maar Stephen Timothy	OH	CAN	36	10	29	75	48.00
10	18	Lopez Castro Miguel Angel	OH	CUB	35	15	25	75	46.67
Total tournament					1,402	462	1,224	3,088	45.40



Best Blockers

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Kill Blocks	Faults	Rebounds	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	99	Wilson Velazquez Alexis	MB	CUB	17	21	12	50	1.06
2	13	Garcia Ayala Juan Salvador	MB	MEX	15	20	21	56	0.88
3	9	Gonzalez Rodriguez Alejandro Miguel	OP	CUB	13	8	13	34	0.81
4	24	McHenry Merrick	MB	USA	10	4	13	27	0.77
5	17	Howe Jackson	MB	CAN	9	8	17	34	0.75
6	33	McCarthy Fynnian Lionel	MB	CAN	8	14	8	30	0.67
7	13	Vernon-Evans Sharone	OP	CAN	7	3	12	22	0.58
8	3	Gabriel Sharif	MB	CUR	6	4	1	11	0.50
	6	Figueroa Lantigua Adrian Jose	OP	DOM	8	7	6	21	0.50
10	12	Marshman Michael	MB	USA	6	3	7	16	0.46
Total tournament					246	523	590	1,359	2.16



Best Servers

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Aces	Faults	Serve Hits	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	33	McCarthy Fynnian Lionel	MB	CAN	15	7	22	44	1.25
2	14	Ma'a Micah	S	USA	10	12	31	53	0.77
3	8	Rogers Patrick	OH	USA	9	4	19	32	0.69
4	80	Loeppky Eric	OH	CAN	8	9	51	68	0.67
5	13	Vernon-Evans Sharone	OP	CAN	6	10	27	43	0.50
	9	Gonzalez Rodriguez Alejandro Miguel	OP	CUB	8	11	22	41	0.50
7	13	Simon Aties Robertlandy	MB	CUB	5	6	40	51	0.31
	5	Henwood Rodriguez Daniel Timothy	S	PUR	5	3	28	36	0.31
9	1	Anderson Matthew	OH	USA	4	9	29	42	0.31
	15	Rowan Andrew	S	USA	4	4	21	29	0.31
Total tournament					166	361	1,911	2,438	1.46



[P-5] Players ranking by skills

All matches



Best Diggers

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Digs	Faults	Receptions	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	5	Mieses Feliz Enger Miguel	L	DOM	55	24	13	92	3.44
2	3	Bravo Moreno Hiram Said	OH	MEX	40	15	14	69	2.35
3	3	Briggs Mason	L	USA	25	2	1	28	1.92
4	24	Cabrera Rivera Arnel	L	PUR	29	10	13	52	1.81
5	80	Loeppky Eric	OH	CAN	21	5	2	28	1.75
6	7	Garcia Alvarez Yonder Roman	L	CUB	27	5	11	43	1.69
7	2	Lopez Santiago Carlos Fernando	OH	GUA	20	1	6	27	1.67
8	8	Rojas De Jesús Edwad Domingo	OH	DOM	25	8	5	38	1.56
	19	Cruz Cepin Hector Alexis	OH	DOM	25	13	15	53	1.56
10	7	Maar Stephen Timothy	OH	CAN	18	6	7	31	1.50
Total tournament					989	373	437	1,799	8.68



Best Setters

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Running Sets	Faults	Still Sets	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	28	Thondike Mejias Christian Manuel	S	CUB	138	2	167	307	8.63
2	2	Herr Luke	S	CAN	83	1	81	165	6.92
3	14	Ma'a Micah	S	USA	83	2	81	166	6.38
4	55	Rodriguez Kevin Joel	S	PUR	84	0	132	216	5.25
5	3	Rivas Morales Adolfo Ariel	S	GUA	59	6	202	267	4.92
6	1	Marchena Raynold	S	CUR	56	3	220	279	4.67
7	96	Garcia Resendiz Miguel Angel	S	MEX	75	1	164	240	4.41
8	5	Henwood Rodriguez Daniel Timothy	S	PUR	58	1	99	158	3.63
9	15	Rowan Andrew	S	USA	46	0	60	106	3.54
10	9	Elgert Max	S	CAN	38	0	27	65	3.17
Total tournament					828	24	2,247	3,099	7.26



Best Receivers

Limit:20.00%

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Excellents	Faults	Serve Receptions	Total Attempts	Eff. %
1	24	Cabrera Rivera Arnel	L	PUR	27	1	46	74	35.14
2	7	Garcia Alvarez Yonder Roman	L	CUB	22	5	35	62	27.42
3	7	Maar Stephen Timothy	OH	CAN	15	3	28	46	26.09
4	97	Currie Landon	L	CAN	15	2	33	50	26.00
5	18	Lopez Castro Miguel Angel	OH	CUB	19	5	39	63	22.22
6	29	Ewert Jordan	OH	USA	14	3	33	50	22.00
7	12	Fuentes Rascon Mauro Isaac	OH	MEX	29	5	80	114	21.05
8	80	Loeppky Eric	OH	CAN	17	3	47	67	20.90
9	23	Yant Herrera Marlon	OH	CUB	19	4	54	77	19.48
10	1	Anderson Matthew	OH	USA	12	5	30	47	14.89
Total tournament					448	166	1,463	2,077	13.58



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All matches



Best Liberos

Rk	No	Name	Pos.	Team	Excellents	Faults	In Play	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	5	Mieses Feliz Enger Miguel	L	DOM	67	27	67	161	4.19
2	24	Cabrera Rivera Arnel	L	PUR	56	11	59	126	3.50
3	7	Garcia Alvarez Yonder Roman	L	CUB	49	10	46	105	3.06
4	3	Bravo Moreno Hiram Said	OH	MEX	52	18	43	113	3.06
5	97	Currie Landon	L	CAN	33	7	43	83	2.75
6	3	Briggs Mason	L	USA	32	3	13	48	2.46
7	9	Delgado Archila Daniel Fernando	L	GUA	29	29	54	112	2.42
8	4	Mota Ernaldo	L	CUR	25	18	65	108	2.08
9	4	Del Valle Dennis	L	PUR	30	9	17	56	1.88
10	17	Izaguirre Rodriguez Jesus Roman	L	MEX	26	10	27	63	1.53
Total tournament					448	163	484	1,095	3.93





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[P-6] Teams ranking by skills

All matches



Best Scorers

Rk	Team		Attack	Block	Serve	Total
1	MEX	Mexico	214	37	20	271
2	PUR	Puerto Rico	215	36	19	270
3	CUB	Cuba	191	53	25	269
4	USA	United States	182	36	38	256
5	CAN	Canada	157	37	34	228
6	DOM	Dominican Republic	186	22	18	226
7	CUR	Curaçao	140	15	7	162
8	GUA	Guatemala	117	10	5	132
Total tournament			1,402	246	166	1,814



Best Attackers

Limit:15.00%

Rk	Team		Attacks	Faults	Shots	Total Attempts	Succ. %
1	USA	United States	182	30	109	321	56.70
2	CAN	Canada	157	38	106	301	52.16
3	CUB	Cuba	191	51	154	396	48.23
4	PUR	Puerto Rico	215	67	180	462	46.54
5	CUR	Curaçao	140	59	120	319	43.89
6	MEX	Mexico	214	71	215	500	42.80
7	DOM	Dominican Republic	186	85	192	463	40.17
8	GUA	Guatemala	117	61	148	326	35.89
Total tournament			1,402	462	1,224	3,088	45.40



Best Blockers

Rk	Team		Kill Blocks	Faults	Rebounds	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	CUB	Cuba	53	81	73	207	3.31
2	CAN	Canada	37	60	77	174	3.08
3	USA	United States	36	50	82	168	2.77
4	PUR	Puerto Rico	36	83	91	210	2.25
5	MEX	Mexico	37	69	83	189	2.18
6	DOM	Dominican Republic	22	85	78	185	1.38
7	CUR	Curaçao	15	53	42	110	1.25
8	GUA	Guatemala	10	42	64	116	0.83
Total tournament			246	523	590	1,359	2.16





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P-6 Teams ranking by skills

All matches



Best Servers

Rk	Team		Aces	Faults	Serve Hits	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	USA	United States	38	58	219	315	2.92
2	CAN	Canada	34	48	211	293	2.83
3	CUB	Cuba	25	53	289	367	1.56
4	PUR	Puerto Rico	19	55	279	353	1.19
5	MEX	Mexico	20	51	303	374	1.18
6	DOM	Dominican Republic	18	34	275	327	1.13
7	CUR	Curaçao	7	40	180	227	0.58
8	GUA	Guatemala	5	22	155	182	0.42
Total tournament			166	361	1,911	2,438	1.46



Best Diggers

Rk	Team		Digs	Faults	Receptions	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	USA	United States	127	29	30	186	9.77
2	MEX	Mexico	165	74	85	324	9.71
3	DOM	Dominican Republic	147	58	61	266	9.19
4	PUR	Puerto Rico	141	51	80	272	8.81
5	CAN	Canada	103	33	41	177	8.58
6	CUB	Cuba	125	49	66	240	7.81
7	GUA	Guatemala	91	43	43	177	7.58
8	CUR	Curaçao	90	36	31	157	7.50
Total tournament			989	373	437	1,799	8.68



Best Setters

Rk	Team		Running Sets	Faults	Still Sets	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	CAN	Canada	126	2	173	301	10.50
2	CUB	Cuba	160	3	239	402	10.00
3	USA	United States	129	3	186	318	9.92
4	PUR	Puerto Rico	142	2	314	458	8.88
5	MEX	Mexico	109	3	391	503	6.41
6	GUA	Guatemala	59	6	271	336	4.92
7	CUR	Curaçao	56	4	258	318	4.67
8	DOM	Dominican Republic	47	1	415	463	2.94
Total tournament			828	24	2,247	3,099	7.26





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[P-6] Teams ranking by skills

All matches



Best Receivers

Limit:20.00%

Rk	Team		Excellents	Faults	Serve Receptions	Total Attempts	Eff. %
1	CAN	Canada	54	8	117	179	25.70
2	USA	United States	54	13	123	190	21.58
3	PUR	Puerto Rico	70	19	213	302	16.89
4	CUB	Cuba	71	26	170	267	16.85
5	MEX	Mexico	68	19	227	314	15.61
6	CUR	Curaçao	49	26	182	257	8.95
7	DOM	Dominican Republic	38	21	242	301	5.65
8	GUA	Guatemala	44	34	189	267	3.75
Total tournament			448	166	1,463	2,077	13.58



Best Liberos

Rk	Team		Excellents	Faults	In Play	Total Attempts	Avg. by set
1	PUR	Puerto Rico	86	20	76	182	5.38
2	MEX	Mexico	78	28	70	176	4.59
3	DOM	Dominican Republic	67	27	67	161	4.19
4	CUB	Cuba	64	14	51	129	4.00
5	USA	United States	48	8	35	91	3.69
6	CAN	Canada	38	8	43	89	3.17
7	CUR	Curaçao	34	23	73	130	2.83
8	GUA	Guatemala	33	35	69	137	2.75
Total tournament			448	163	484	1,095	3.93



USA will play for gold at NORCECA Championship

MONCTON, Canada, September 15, 2026. – The United States will take on their northern neighbors Canada for gold the NORCECA Men's Continental Championship.

Team USA topped the Dominican Republic 3-0 (25-20, 25-15, 25-19) Tuesday at the Avenir Centre in Moncton, earning a spot in Wednesday's gold-medal game and one of three berths in the 2027 FIVB Volleyball Men's World Cup in Poland.

The Dominicans will meet Cuba in the bronze-medal match, with the third spot in those championships on the line as well. Dominican Republic has also earned a place in the weekend's final NORCECA qualification stage for the Los Angeles 2028 Olympic Games, while the United States is already qualified as the host nation.

It was a strong performance for the undefeated Americans, who came out on top in attacks (44-27), blocks (9-2), aces (9-2). Dominican Republic did gain 23 points from errors, compared with USA's 13.

Dominican Republic held an early lead in the first set and was up 11-10 before the Americans seized momentum and never looked back. Merrick McHenry led the way with 11 points for the United States, including a match-high three blocks, and Matthew Anderson added 10. Micah Ma'a had seven points, including five aces, and led the match with 30 running sets.

Adrian Figueroa was Dominican Republic's top scorer with nine points. Enger Mieses and Edwad Rojas each had a match-high seven digs in a losing effort.

Karch Kiraly, US coach: "We're incredibly happy to be qualified already and it's a great day to do that on our middle #4 Jeff Jendryk's birthday. We're looking forward to a great match with Canada. It should be an awesome crowd here cheering them on."

On Canada as gold medal opponent: "We had an incredible battle. We were down 2-0 and came back to win in the tie-breaker (June 13 at Volleyball Nations League) in Ottawa. I would expect nothing less than another huge battle tomorrow against a really good team from our friends from the north here in North America. All of our teams here want to represent our NORCECA zone really well when we get to competitions like the Olympics and next year's World Cup."

Merrick McHenry, USA: "It was super awesome. Obviously, we played Dominican a little bit earlier (in the group stage) so we didn't really know what we were going to get but I think our team did a good job. Dominican started great in the first but I think we did a great job of just trusting the process and letting our game come. Everyone played so it just shows that every person on our roster is super talented, and anyone that goes on the court can win."

On Canada as gold medal opponent: "It's always a battle. We love playing Canada. They always make us better and we hope we do the same for them. I think this whole tournament, especially tonight, has given us a lot of confidence to play together one last time this summer. We're super excited to battle Canada and see who can be the better team tomorrow."

Estados Unidos jugará por el oro en el Campeonato NORCECA

MONCTON, Canadá, 15 de septiembre de 2026. – Estados Unidos se enfrentará a su vecino del norte, Canadá, por la medalla de oro del Campeonato Continental NORCECA Masculino.

El equipo estadounidense venció a República Dominicana 3-0 (25-20, 25-15, 25-19) este martes en el Avenir Centre de Moncton, asegurando un lugar en el partido por la medalla de oro del miércoles y uno de los tres cupos para la Copa Mundial de Voleibol Masculino FIVB 2027 en Polonia.

República Dominicana se enfrentará a Cuba en el partido por la medalla de bronce, en el que también estará en juego el tercer cupo para la Copa Mundial. República Dominicana también aseguró un lugar en la fase final de clasificación NORCECA del fin de semana rumbo a los Juegos Olímpicos de Los Ángeles 2028, mientras que Estados Unidos ya está clasificado como país anfitrión.

Fue una sólida actuación de los estadounidenses, que permanecen invictos y se impusieron en ataques (44-27), bloqueos (9-2) y puntos de servicio (9-2). República Dominicana obtuvo 23 puntos por errores de su rival, frente a los 13 que recibió Estados Unidos.

República Dominicana tuvo una ventaja temprana en el primer set y estuvo arriba 11-10 antes de que los estadounidenses tomaran el impulso y no volvieran a mirar atrás.

Merrick McHenry lideró a Estados Unidos con 11 puntos, incluidos tres bloqueos, la mayor cantidad del partido, mientras que Matthew Anderson agregó 10. Micah Ma'a anotó siete puntos, incluidos cinco aces, y encabezó el encuentro con 30 acomodadas efectivas.

Adrián Figueroa fue el máximo anotador de República Dominicana con nueve puntos. Enger Mieses y Edwad Rojas registraron siete levantadas cada uno, la mayor cantidad del partido, pese a la derrota.

Karch Kiraly, entrenador de Estados Unidos: "Estamos increíblemente felices de haber asegurado ya la clasificación y es un gran día para hacerlo en el cumpleaños de nuestro central número 4, Jeff Jendryk. Esperamos con entusiasmo un gran partido contra Canadá. Debería haber un ambiente increíble aquí, con el público apoyándolos".

Sobre Canadá como rival por la medalla de oro: “Tuvimos una batalla increíble. Estábamos abajo 2-0 y remontamos para ganar en el tie-break (el 13 de junio en la Liga de Naciones de Voleibol) en Ottawa. No esperaría nada menos que otra gran batalla mañana contra un muy buen equipo de nuestros amigos del norte aquí en Norteamérica. Todos nuestros equipos aquí queremos representar muy bien a nuestra zona NORCECA cuando llegamos a competencias como los Juegos Olímpicos y la Copa Mundial del próximo año”.

Merrick McHenry, de Estados Unidos: “Fue increíble. Obviamente, ya habíamos jugado contra República Dominicana un poco antes (en la fase de grupos), así que realmente no sabíamos con qué nos íbamos a encontrar, pero creo que nuestro equipo hizo un buen trabajo. República Dominicana comenzó muy bien en el primer set, pero creo que hicimos un gran trabajo simplemente confiando en el proceso y dejando que nuestro juego apareciera. Todos jugaron, y eso demuestra que cada jugador de nuestro plantel tiene muchísimo talento y que cualquiera que entre a la cancha puede ganar”.

Sobre Canadá como rival por la medalla de oro: “Siempre es una batalla. Nos encanta jugar contra Canadá. Siempre nos hacen mejores y esperamos hacer lo mismo por ellos. Creo que todo este torneo, especialmente esta noche, nos ha dado mucha confianza para jugar juntos una última vez este verano. Estamos muy emocionados por enfrentar a Canadá y ver quién puede ser el mejor equipo mañana”.

Canada wins again to advance to NORCECA final

MONCTON, Canada, September 15, 2026. – Canada will play for gold at home after winning its semifinal in straight sets Tuesday at the NORCECA Men's Continental Championship.

The host Canadians beat Cuba 3-0 (26-24, 25-22, 25-17) at the Avenir Centre in Moncton to advance to the gold-medal game and earn one of three berths in the 2027 FIVB Volleyball Men's World Cup in Poland.

Cuba will play for bronze and the third spot in those championships. Both teams have earned a place in the weekend's final NORCECA qualification stage for the Los Angeles 2028 Olympic Games.

The undefeated Canadians held the lead in attacks (39-31), blocks (8-6) and aces (9-3). The trio of Sharone Vernon-Evans (14), Eric Loeppky (14) and Stephen Maar (13) did the bulk of the scoring, including a match-high three blocks each from Vernon-Evans and Maar. Maar and Loeppky also tied for top digger with five each. Fynn McCarthy contributed a total of 10 points, including six aces, and Luke Herr had 25 running sets.

Alejandro Gonzalez was Cuba's top scorer with 12 points.

The first set was about as close as it gets. Although Canada held a slim edge most of the way, neither team led by more than four and Canada needed an extra point for the two-point margin of victory. The second set was close again, with the difference just one or two points for the majority. Cuba led 21-19 late, but Canada scored three straight points, including back-to-back blocks by Maar. Cuba called a timeout and tied it 22-22 on Osniel Mergarejo's attack, but Canada charged back with three straight points, punctuated by Loeppky's deciding kill. The hosts then opened the floodgates in the third set, taking it by a comfortable 25-17 score.

Canada's Eric Loeppky: "It was a bit of a weird game, they didn't play some of their top guys. I think we really had to force ourselves mentally to play well and finish in three sets, so I'm super proud of us for that."

On advancing: "It's the gold medal match for this first tournament, but still all we're thinking about is finishing strong Saturday."

Dan Lewis, Canada's head coach: "I'm really happy for the guys. They win 3-0 against a good team, even though Cuba is managing their lineup and resting some of their older players. ... This is a really high-quality team that we defeated tonight and it was a focused effort. It was a good second goal of the tournament. We qualify for world championships, good, take a moment for happiness and pride, and then it's quick reset to play the finals. There will be an opportunity for many more of our athletes to compete now, that's the beauty of winning that. Now it's a short turnaround and the focus is on the Olympic qualifying."

Canadá vuelve a ganar y avanza a la final de NORCECA

MONCTON, Canadá, 15 de septiembre de 2026. – Canadá jugará por la medalla de oro en casa después de ganar su semifinal en sets corridos este martes en el Campeonato Continental NORCECA Masculino.

Los anfitriones canadienses vencieron a Cuba 3-0 (26-24, 25-22, 25-17) en el Avenir Centre de Moncton para avanzar al partido por la medalla de oro y asegurar uno de los tres cupos para la Copa Mundial Masculina de Voleibol FIVB 2027 en Polonia.

Cuba jugará por la medalla de bronce y por el tercer cupo a ese campeonato. Ambos equipos aseguraron un lugar en la fase final de clasificación NORCECA del fin de semana rumbo a los Juegos Olímpicos de Los Ángeles 2028.

Los canadienses, que permanecen invictos, dominaron en ataques (39-31), bloqueos (8-6) y puntos de servicio (9-3). El trío formado por Sharone Vernon-Evans (14), Eric Loeppky (14) y Stephen Maar (13) aportó la mayor parte de la ofensiva, incluidos tres bloqueos cada uno de Vernon-Evans y Maar, la mayor cantidad del partido. Maar y Loeppky también compartieron el liderato en defensa con cinco levantadas cada uno. Fynn McCarthy contribuyó con 10 puntos, incluidos seis aces, y Luke Herr registró 25 acomodadas efectivas.

Alejandro González fue el máximo anotador de Cuba con 12 puntos.

El primer set fue sumamente cerrado. Aunque Canadá mantuvo una ligera ventaja durante buena parte del parcial, ninguno de los equipos llegó a tener más de cuatro puntos de diferencia y Canadá necesitó un punto extra para conseguir los dos de ventaja necesarios para ganarlo. El segundo set volvió a ser parejo, con una diferencia de apenas uno o dos puntos durante la mayor parte del parcial. Cuba tomó ventaja 21-19 en la recta final, pero Canadá respondió con tres puntos consecutivos, incluidos dos bloqueos seguidos de Maar. Cuba pidió tiempo y empató 22-22 con un ataque de Osniel Mergarejo, pero Canadá reaccionó nuevamente con tres puntos consecutivos, culminando con el ataque decisivo de Loeppky. Los anfitriones tomaron entonces el control del tercer set y lo ganaron con comodidad 25-17.

Eric Loeppky, de Canadá: "Fue un partido un poco extraño; ellos no utilizaron a algunos de sus principales jugadores. Creo que realmente tuvimos que exigirnos mentalmente para jugar bien y terminarlo en tres sets, así que estoy muy orgulloso de nosotros por eso".

Sobre avanzar: "Es el partido por la medalla de oro de este primer torneo, pero todavía lo único en lo que estamos pensando es en terminar fuertes el sábado".

Dan Lewis, entrenador de Canadá: "Estoy muy contento por los muchachos. Ganaron 3-0 ante un buen equipo, aunque Cuba está manejando su alineación y dando descanso a algunos de sus jugadores de mayor edad. ... Este es un equipo de muy alto nivel al que derrotamos esta noche y fue un esfuerzo muy concentrado. Era un buen segundo objetivo del torneo. Clasificamos al Campeonato Mundial, bien, nos tomamos un momento para disfrutarlo y sentir orgullo, y luego rápidamente cambiamos el enfoque para disputar la final. Ahora habrá una oportunidad para que muchos más de nuestros atletas compitan; esa es la ventaja de haber ganado. Ahora tenemos poco tiempo para recuperarnos y el enfoque está en la clasificación olímpica".

Mexico advances to fifth-place match with win over Curaçao

MONCTON, Canada, September 15, 2026. – Mexico swept Curaçao on Tuesday at the NORCECA Men's Continental Championship to advance to a fifth-place matchup with Puerto Rico.

After a disappointing quarterfinal loss to Dominican Republic Monday, Mexico bounced back with a 3-0 (25-20, 25-19, 25-20) win over Curaçao at the Avenir Centre in Moncton, Canada.

Much of the first set was within a margin of one or two points with Mexico not taking its first lead until 15-14 and only pulling ahead for good at 20-19. The Mexicans led comfortably for most of the second set but Curaçao once again put up an early battle in the third, holding a lead at 11-10 and remaining tied at 14-14. Curaçao stayed within two points, trailing 20-18, but Mexico rattled off five of the last seven points to close it out.

Mexico held a slight edge in attacks (42-39) and aces (5-3) and out-blocked Curaçao 10-4. Opponent errors were a difference-maker, with Mexico benefiting from 18 while committing 13.

Tournament leading scorer Diego González Castañeda paced Mexico with 13 points, followed closely by Axel Téllez Rodríguez with 12. Edgar Alejandro Mendoza Burgueño had a match-high 10 running sets.

Curaçao's Marlison Kleinmoedig was once again the top overall scorer with 14 points. Sharif Gabriel chipped in 11 points, including all four of Curaçao's blocks, tied with Mexico's Juan Salvador Garcia Ayala for most in the match. Curaçao's Erinaldo Mota was the top digger with seven.

Mexico will meet Puerto Rico in Wednesday's fifth-place match at 1:30 p.m. Atlantic Time, with a spot on the line for the weekend's final NORCECA qualification stage for the Los Angeles 2028 Olympic Games. Curaçao will take on Guatemala as both countries look for their first win in the seventh-place game at 11 a.m. Three berths to the 2027 FIVB Volleyball Men's World Cup in Poland will be confirmed on Wednesday.

Carlos Schwanke, Mexico's head coach: "I feel better but sad still about yesterday, I didn't digest the loss. We couldn't do it and it was important for us. But tomorrow is also important and we will try our best against Puerto Rico to advance to the Olympic qualifier. We have a chance so let's try to avoid ups and downs, especially in important decision moments, try to keep the level."

México avanza al partido por el quinto lugar con victoria sobre Curazao

MONCTON, Canadá, 15 de septiembre de 2026. – México venció en sets corridos a Curazao este martes en el Campeonato Continental NORCECA Masculino para avanzar al partido por el quinto lugar ante Puerto Rico.

Después de una decepcionante derrota en cuartos de final ante República Dominicana el lunes, México se recuperó con una victoria 3-0 (25-20, 25-19, 25-20) sobre Curazao en el Avenir Centre de Moncton, Canadá.

Gran parte del primer set se mantuvo con una diferencia de uno o dos puntos. México tomó su primera ventaja hasta el 15-14 y logró despegarse definitivamente en el 20-19. Los mexicanos dominaron con comodidad durante buena parte del segundo set, pero Curazao volvió a presentar batalla al inicio del tercero, tomando ventaja 11-10 y manteniéndose empatado hasta el 14-14. Curazao seguía a dos puntos, 20-18, pero México ganó cinco de los últimos siete puntos para cerrar el encuentro.

México tuvo una ligera ventaja en ataques (42-39) y puntos de servicio (5-3), además de superar a Curazao en bloqueos 10-4. Los errores del rival también marcaron diferencia, ya que México se benefició de 18 mientras cometió 13.

Diego González Castañeda, máximo anotador del torneo, encabezó a México con 13 puntos, seguido de cerca por Axel Téllez Rodríguez con 12. Edgar Alejandro Mendoza Burgueño registró la mayor cantidad del partido con 10 acomodadas efectivas.

Marlison Kleinmoedig, de Curazao, volvió a ser el máximo anotador del encuentro con 14 puntos. Sharif Gabriel aportó 11 unidades, incluidos los cuatro bloqueos de Curazao, igualando al mexicano Juan Salvador García Ayala con la mayor cantidad de bloqueos del partido. Eraldo Mota, de Curazao, fue el mejor en defensa con siete levantadas.

México se enfrentará a Puerto Rico este miércoles en el partido por el quinto lugar a la 1:30 p. m., hora del Atlántico, con un lugar en juego para la fase final de clasificación NORCECA del fin de semana rumbo a los Juegos Olímpicos de Los Ángeles 2028. Curazao se medirá ante Guatemala en el partido por el séptimo lugar a las 11:00 a. m., con ambos países buscando su primera victoria. Este miércoles también se confirmarán los tres cupos para la Copa Mundial Masculina de Voleibol FIVB 2027 en Polonia.

Carlos Schwanke, entrenador de México: “Me siento mejor, pero todavía estoy triste por lo de ayer; aún no he asimilado la derrota. No pudimos lograrlo y era importante para nosotros. Pero mañana también es importante y trataremos de dar lo mejor ante Puerto Rico para avanzar al Clasificatorio Olímpico. Tenemos una oportunidad, así que intentaremos evitar los altibajos, especialmente en los momentos importantes de decisión, y tratar de mantener el nivel”.

Puerto Rico tops Guatemala to advance to fifth-place match

MONCTON, Canada, September 15, 2026. – Puerto Rico moved on to the fifth-place match with a straight-sets win over Guatemala Tuesday at the NORCECA Men's Continental Championship.

Puerto Rico beat Guatemala 3-0 (25-14, 25-21, 25-15) as the classification round got underway at the Avenir Centre in Moncton, Canada.

After dropping the first set, Guatemala's best chance came in the second set, when they held an early lead and stayed within one or two points until late. But they ultimately remained winless at the tournament and will play in the seventh-place game at 11 a.m. Atlantic Time Wednesday.

Puerto Rico is set to compete for fifth place at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, with a spot on the line for next weekend's final NORCECA qualification stage for the Los Angeles 2028 Olympic Games. Three berths to the 2027 FIVB Volleyball Men's World Cup in Poland will also be decided Wednesday.

The Puerto Ricans dominated in attacks (43-21), blocks (9-2) and aces (10-2) on the way to victory.

Puerto Rico's Pelegrin Vargas was the top scorer with 17 points, including a match-high three aces. Jair Santiago Sanchez chipped in 12 points, and Klistan Lawrence Vidal added 11 for the winners.

Andy Alexis Leonardo Blanco led the way for Guatemala with 13 points, all on attacks. Adolfo Ariel Rivas Morales had a match-high 12 running sets, while Carlos Fernando Lopez Santiago was the top digger with seven.

Jamille Torres, Puerto Rico coach: "Our goal is to get to the next tournament and be able to have a chance to qualify for the Olympics and we're in place to do that."

Opposite Jair Santiago Sánchez: "It was important for us because we still have a chance to qualify for the Olympics. It gives us a little morale boost to keep fighting for a spot. I think we were all locked in. We had our game plan already set so we just followed it."

Puerto Rico supera a Guatemala y avanza al partido por el quinto lugar

MONCTON, Canadá, 15 de septiembre de 2026.- Puerto Rico avanzó al partido por el quinto lugar con una victoria en sets corridos sobre Guatemala este martes en el Campeonato Continental NORCECA Masculino.

Puerto Rico venció a Guatemala 3-0 (25-14, 25-21, 25-15) en el inicio de la ronda de clasificación en el Avenir Centre de Moncton, Canadá.

Después de perder el primer set, Guatemala tuvo su mejor oportunidad en el segundo, cuando tomó una ventaja temprana y se mantuvo a uno o dos puntos hasta la parte final. Sin embargo, finalmente permaneció sin victorias en el torneo y disputará el partido por el séptimo lugar el miércoles a las 11:00 a. m., hora del Atlántico.

Puerto Rico disputará el quinto lugar el miércoles a la 1:30 p. m., con un cupo en juego para la fase final de clasificación NORCECA del próximo fin de semana rumbo a los Juegos Olímpicos de Los Ángeles 2028. El miércoles también se definirán los tres boletos a la Copa Mundial Masculina de Voleibol FIVB 2027 en Polonia.

Los puertorriqueños dominaron en ataques (43-21), bloqueos (9-2) y servicios directos (10-2) para encaminarse a la victoria.

Pelegrín Vargas, de Puerto Rico, fue el máximo anotador con 17 puntos, incluidos tres servicios directos, la mayor cifra del partido. Jair Santiago Sánchez aportó 12 puntos y Klistan Lawrence Vidal agregó 11 para los ganadores.

Andy Alexis Leonardo Blanco lideró a Guatemala con 13 puntos, todos de ataque. Adolfo Ariel Rivas Morales registró la mayor cifra del partido con 12 jugadas de colocación en movimiento, mientras que Carlos Fernando López Santiago fue el mejor defensa con siete.

Jamille Torres, entrenador de Puerto Rico: “Nuestro objetivo es llegar al próximo torneo y tener la oportunidad de clasificar a los Juegos Olímpicos, y estamos en posición de hacerlo”.

Opuesto Jair Santiago Sánchez: “Era importante para nosotros porque todavía tenemos la oportunidad de clasificar a los Juegos Olímpicos. Nos da un pequeño impulso anímico para seguir luchando por un lugar. Creo que todos estuvimos muy concentrados. Ya teníamos nuestro plan de juego establecido, así que simplemente lo seguimos”.