PAVO and NCAA leadership have agreed to deliver the 2020 National Clinic in an online format. Driving this important decision is a commitment to a common experience for all participants and the well-being of clinic attendees. While leaders in both PAVO and NCAA strongly believe that in-person clinics provide the most powerful and effective experience, we simply cannot guarantee the necessary assurances of safety and protection across all clinic locations. Of equal importance is the fiduciary responsibility PAVO bears to members. The online delivery option is an effective cost containment measure for all stakeholders, so a one-year hiatus from in-person clinics is, in part, a reaction to the financial hardships that individuals, institutions, and organizations are feeling at this time.

You can expect much more communication in the coming weeks. The most up-to-date information will be available on the PAVO website and the NCAA Central Hub. However, there are a few important items for you to know today.

- Clinic content will be uniquely delivered by the NCAA National Coordinator and Secretary-Rules Editor, as well as a member of our cadre of clinicians. Participants will have opportunity to engage with the clinician throughout the clinic.
- In a powerful and condensed presentation, participants will receive the latest information related to new NCAA rules, new techniques and protocols, CRS issues, and other areas of emphasis.
- Additional training modules will be developed for self-paced learning in the iREF system on the PAVO website.
- In 2020, the NCAA will consider participation in the online clinic and the timely completion of the 2020 iREF modules as satisfaction of the criterion for post-season officiating assignment. Online clinic attendance and completing the iREF modules will also satisfy the annual clinic requirement for PAVO National referees. PAVO Affiliated Boards are strongly encouraged to accept online clinic attendance for any required clinic for non-National referees as well.
- Officials may choose to participate in one of the more than 25 online presentations expected to be delivered. Dates and times to be announced. Advanced registration is required.
- 2020 Clinic Registration must be completed online through PAVO’s E-Store.
- Registration opens on July 6, 2020 through PAVO’s E-Store.

**2020 Clinic Registration Fees:**

- Current PAVO member* $30.00
- Non-collegiate referee $35.00
- Women's collegiate referee $75.00

*Registration at the PAVO member rate requires PAVO membership. 2020 PAVO dues must have been received through the annual online registration process, and you must have accepted the PAVO Conditions of Membership, General Waiver, and Media Release.

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