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## USA get ticket to the Norceca U18 Final and FIVB World Championship

The United States qualified to the Finals at the Norceca Women's U18 Continental Championship, after beating Puerto Rico 3-1 (26-24, 25-13, 19-25, 25-13). Carli Snyder totalized 25 points (2 aces, 4 blocks) for USA. Also with double digits finished Simone Lee (3 aces) and Christian Jones, who recorded 18 and 10 points respectively. For Puerto Rico, Genesis Miranda was the top scorer with 18 tallies, followed by Paola Rojas with 9. With this result USA practically is in the FIVB U18 World Championship, that will be played next year in Thailand.



## Brayelin Martínez, records double digit in victory against Mexico

Brayelin Martínez scored a total of 27 puntos in the victory of Dominican Republic against México in the semifinals. The Dominicans won in 3 sets (25-22, 25-22, 25- 2) and qualified to the final to play for the gold medal against USA.

Along with Martínez, Gaila Ceneida González was one of the scoring leaders on the Dominican side with 17 points and four aces, while captain Natalia Martínez, registered 10.

México's top scorers were Fernanda Guitrón and Diana Valdez. Guitrón finished with 10 points and Valdez with 11. Mexican captain, Ivonne Martínez, converted four aces. México will contend for the bronze medal this saturday against Puerto Rico.

## Guatemala in fifth place, defeat Trinidad and Tobago 3-0

Guatemala finished in the fifth place at the Norceca Women's U18 Continental Championship after beating Trinidad & Tobago in straight sets (25 - 8, 25-13 and 25 - 17 ). Guatemalan captain Estefanie Bethancourth, Jessica Anleu and Maria Giron scored 11, 10 and 8 points respectively while on the Trinidadian side, Zahra Collins and Reann Young scored 12 and 11.

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