Referee Jiu-Jitsu JJIF



Why and how to work with the care-system

The video care system has been adopted by the JJIF as a possibility for video referees to assist the mat referee in his job on the mat. In this way, there are fewer referees on the mat itself. After all, it's about the fighters.

The video care system can also be used to check a challenge.

There are some usage norms and rules when using the video as a mat referee and / or video referee.

- The Mat referee must give his own opinion without consulting the video. He is in charge of the competition.
- If the Mat referee makes a mistake, the majority of the video referees will correct it.
- They do this by letting one of the video referees standup and by correcting the correction in referee gestures upon eye contact with the mat referee.
- When there is audio option (microphone / ear), tell very briefly what needs to be changed. This without explanation because there is already a majority. A lot of talking can get the mat referee out of concentration.
- The mat referee takes over the correction for the table and the public
- The Table-referee will only listen to the Mat-referee.
- As a video referee, use the same moves as the mat referee for the same item. Eg wave away Wazari and give Shido for grip and punch.
- The reason for correcting as a video referee is not to switch between Ippon or Wazari every time, but for example for:
 - If a movement is punishment instead of points (Shido for grip and punch instead of rating)
 - If points are given to the wrong person
 - o If the points are not or incorrectly noted on the scoreboard
- Above all, give the mat referee time to do his thing. You are there to support him. Not to discredit him or make him nervous.
- If one of the Side-referee agrees the decision of the Mat-referee you don't have to check the video, because there is a majority.
- Break-in only when necessary. The point is that the good fighter goes off the mat as a winner.