

**2018-19 NCAA Compliance Assistant  
User Enhancements**

**DIVISION I.**

**Playing Seasons.**

- **Screen/Field Affected: Playing Seasons – Detail.**

The 'required day off error' will not display if users enter three contests in any seven-day period and provides two days off during the preceding or following declared weeks.

- **Screen/Field Affected: Playing Seasons – Detail.**

In cross country and track and field, users can divide the playing season into multiple segments provided each segment consists of at least one week. The maximum days in the playing season remains 144 or 156 depending on sports sponsored by the institution.

**DIVISION II.**

**Student-Athletes.**

- **Screen/Field Affected: Financial Aid Sources – Detail – Aid Type.**

"DII Nonathletics Aid" and "DII Financial Aid From an Outside Source" aid types were added to the drop-down list for users creating new fund codes. These aid types replace several aid types that existed previously and provide the appropriate questions to ensure the student-athlete's aid is appropriately awarded and will count towards the appropriate individual and team limits. Refer to the <insert link> Compliance Assistant Aid Types Chart for additional information.

- **Screen/Field Affected: Financial Aid Sources – Detail – Aid Type.**

A new column, 'Award Period Exception' was added to the table on the financial aid screen to allow users to track exceptions to the period of athletics aid awards legislation. Users will need to ensure that any fund code(s) created using the "athletics grant-in-aid" aid type is awarded for a full academic year. If the award period for these fund codes is not "Full Year", Compliance Assistant will display a warning on the 'Award Period Exception' column.

### **Playing and Practice Seasons.**

- **Screen/Field Affected: Playing Seasons – Detail – Segments.**

A new championship segment was added to the sport of football to allow for the first practice to take place 24 days before the first permissible contest date or 10 days before the first day of classes the user has entered into the academic calendar. "FCD-24" counts back 24 calendar days from the first permissible contest date entered in Compliance Assistant and "Class-10" counts back 10 calendar days from the first date of classes entered into the academic calendar. The playing seasons calendar provides users the first practice date based on the calculation and displays the first permissible practice date.

### **Reporting.**

- **Screen/Field Affected: Reporting – Standard Reports – Financial Aid Form.**

Both the Financial Aid Form Summary and Detail reports have been updated to reflect changes made by the Division II Legislation Committee.