

POST GAME QUOTES
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LAFC vs. Colorado Rapids



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On LAFC's form away from home:

“We are improving slowly, but we need to get to the point where we are 100 percent for the 90 minutes. This is just the beginning. We're in a position where we're seeing how players are adapting, players are arriving. Most importantly, players that will have a big impact. It's very normal to feel frustrated, because with LAFC the expectation is to win. Whether it's the fans or the media questioning it, I think despite that we are on an upward curve. We have good things. Kei Kamara's debut, David Martinez's first goal, Sergi [Palencia] and Ryan [Hollingshead]'s alliance there in the back. They had a great game. These are all things that allowed us to have a great 80 minutes. I agree, we do need to improve, be more consistent and touch up on the little things that we are missing.”

On how the team finds a balance between getting results and continuing to build chemistry and cohesion:

“Like I said, we've had a difficult start. We've played matches where, if we played them at a different point in the season it becomes easier in terms of weather. It's not an excuse, however that has slowed our evolution in the first matches. Today, here, we worked it during the week, the past two weeks and we had a good 80 minutes. The team had many chances. The team is also coming off of two years that were very important for the club, but also two years that others teams get to analyze and see where they can attack LAFC and it gets more difficult for us every year. But like I said, we are on an upward path and we need to find a solution for problems that possibly did not exist before, as teams get to know us better. When we play on the road, it's finding that consistency and finding our control of the games and pushing our momentum.”