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Revolution Defender Mamadou Fofana Called Up to Mali National Team

Fofana will join Mali for World Cup Qualifying matches against Comoros and Ghana

FOXBOROUGH, Mass. (August 29, 2025) – New England Revolution defender **Mamadou Fofana** has been called up by the Mali Men's National Team for international duty in a pair of September FIFA World Cup Qualifying matches.

'Les Aigles' currently sit in fourth place in the Confederation of African Football's (CAF) Group I with a 2-3-1 record over six games played in FIFA World Cup 2026 Qualifying. Mali will host Comoros in Morocco on Thursday, Sept. 4 (3:00 p.m. ET), before visiting Ghana on Monday, Sept. 8 (3:00 p.m. ET).

Fofana has collected 44 appearances, including 39 games started, with one goal scored for his native Mali. The 27-year-old most recently featured on Mali's roster for a pair of World Cup Qualifying matches in March. Fofana owns two games played, both starts, for Mali in FIFA World Cup Qualifiers.

In his debut campaign with New England, Fofana has started all 25 of his games played. The central defender recorded his first MLS assist, providing the helper on the game-winning goal in last Saturday's 2-1 win at Columbus. Following his performance during last weekend's win, Fofana was selected to the MLS Team of the Matchday 30.

New England is back home at Gillette Stadium tomorrow night, Saturday, Aug. 30 to host Charlotte FC for a 7:30 p.m. ET kickoff in Foxborough. Watch Saturday's match on [MLS Season Pass on Apple TV](#) in English and Spanish. Listen to Brad Feldman and Charlie Davies call the action on 98.5 The Sports Hub (WBZ-FM), or tune into Más Latino 99.9 FM / 1300 AM for Spanish commentary, and 1260 AM Nossa Radio USA in Portuguese.



MAMADOU FOFANA

Mali

FIFA World Cup Qualifiers

September 4 vs. Comoros

Stade Municipal de Berkane- Berkane, Morocco
3:00 p.m. ET

September 8 vs. Ghana

Accra Sports Stadium- Accra, Ghana
3:00 p.m. ET

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The New England Revolution, owned and operated by the Kraft family, began play in 1996 as one of the original founding clubs of Major League Soccer (MLS). Currently in the team's 30th season, the Revolution are five-time MLS Eastern Conference champions and claimed the 2021 Supporters' Shield after a record-setting campaign. The Revolution also won the 2008 North American SuperLiga and 2007 Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup titles. The Revolution play their home matches at Gillette Stadium in Foxborough, Mass. and are currently coached by two-time MLS Cup winner Caleb Porter. The club and its acclaimed pro pathway, including Revolution II (MLS NEXT Pro) and the Revolution Academy, are headquartered at the Revolution Training Center, which opened ahead of the 2020 season.



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