

CONTROL

Key Elements of Competence

C2 Elements

- Observed dangerous tackles (e.g. high or no-wrap).
- Observed late tackles on kicker.
- Observed early/late tackles on receiver.
- Controlled unsafe behavior and foul play promptly and effectively.
- Candidly admitted mistakes, but did not try to compensate for them.
- Behaved professionally both on and off the playing enclosure.

C1 Elements

- All elements listed above.
- Observed late or early tackles on passers.
- Observed obstruction.
- Observed use of a teammate as a "pick" or shield.
- Observed unfair play and applied the appropriate punitive measures.
- Observed dangerous play and misconduct and applied the appropriate punitive measures.
- Used appropriate punitive measures.
- Communicated with captains/players so that they complied with his requests upon formal prompting (i.e., players were compelled to comply).
- Remained calm in tense situations.

B3 Elements

- All elements listed above.
- Identified flash points and dealt with them effectively.
- Observed individual acts of cynical infringements and applied appropriate sanctions, including caution and sin bin (without prior warning).
- Managed observed repeated team infringements effectively by applying appropriate sanctions, including caution and sin bin (usually after prior warning has been given). Repeated team infringements can be:
 - A number of similar offences in a short period of time
 - A pattern without time limit (e.g. offences occurring close to the goal line throughout the match)
- Resolved problems without continually penalizing for the same offense.
- Communicated with captains/players so that they willingly corrected problems upon formal and informal prompting.
- Demeanor was one of confidence.

B2 Elements

- All elements listed above.
- Managed observed repeated infringements by individuals by applying appropriate sanctions, including caution and sin bin (usually after prior warning has been given). Repeated infringements by the individual are without time limit. Once a warning has been given it stands in effect for the remainder of the game.
- Recognized when infringements were not material and managed them, without stopping the game, so they would not recur.
- Let the game develop in accordance with the temper of the game.
- Achieved a balance of preventive and punitive measures to control the game.
- Communicated with captains/players during the dynamics of play so that they proactively corrected problems on their own (i.e., players were motivated to comply).
- Established a rapport with players.

B1 Elements

- All elements listed above.
- Managed the players in such a way as to get them to play to the best of their abilities.
- Managed the players with consideration for the preference/temper of each team.