



2019-20 NFHS BASKETBALL RULES POWERPOINT

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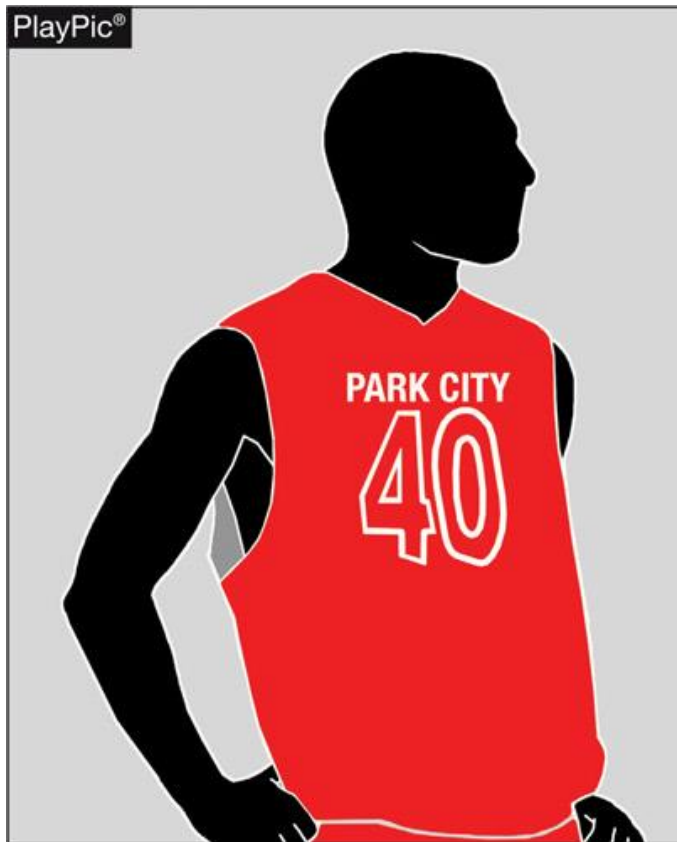
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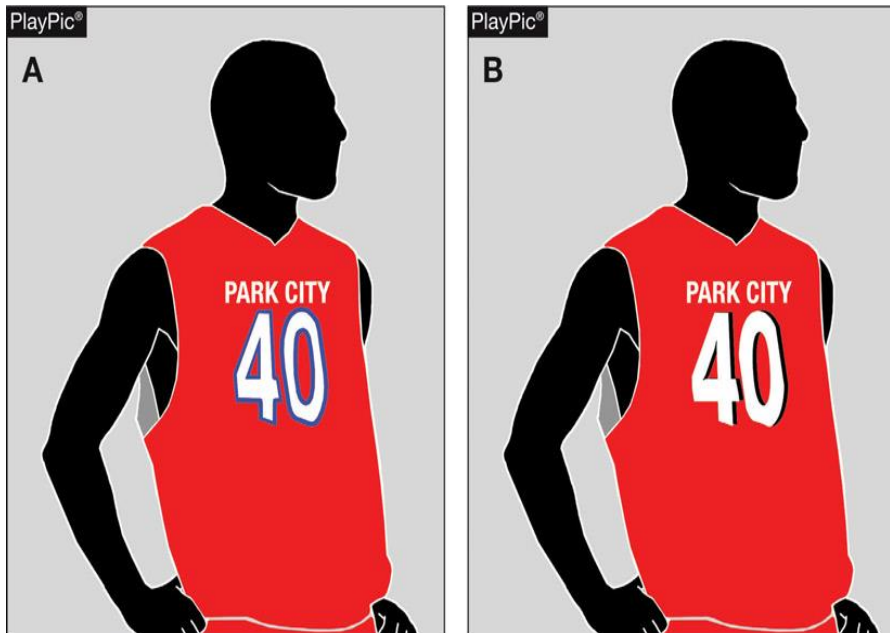


RULE CHANGE 3-4-3e(2) JERSEY NUMBERS



- This number design is difficult to see from the stands.
- Effective 2024-25, this option may not be used and it will be removed from the rules book.
- If new jerseys are purchased in the years leading up to 2024-2025, this option should not be used.

RULE CHANGE 3-4-3e(1 & 3) JERSEY NUMBERS



Two legal jersey numbering options still remain:

- a solid contrasting number with no more than two solid color $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch borders around the entire number (PlayPic A);
- a solid contrasting color with a “shadow” trim of a contrasting color on part of the number not to exceed $\frac{1}{2}$ inch in width and may be used with one $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch border (PlayPic B).

RULE CHANGE 3-5-4b HEADBAND

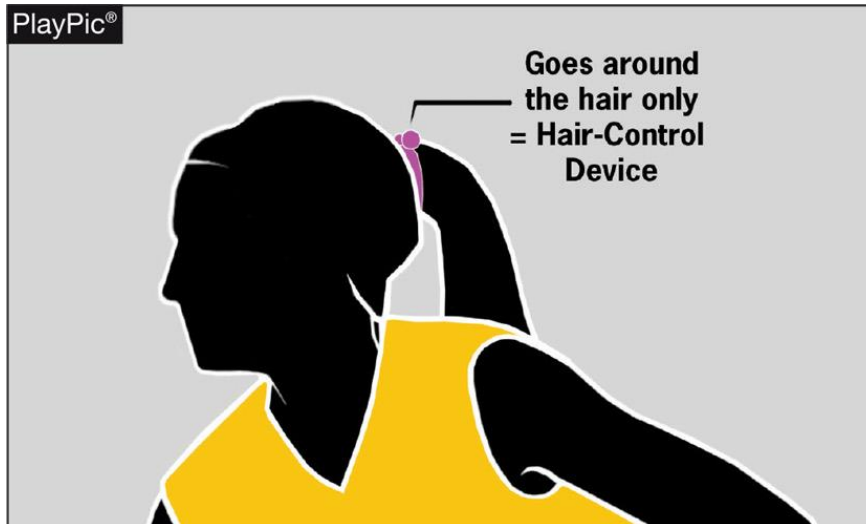


A headband is any item that goes around the entire head. It must be:

- a circular design without extensions;
- be worn on the forehead/crown;
- be nonabrasive and unadorned;
- **be no more than 3 inches wide;**

The headband has color restrictions that must be followed. Only one headband is permitted to be worn.

RULE CHANGE 3-5-4d HAIR CONTROL DEVICE



- Hair-control devices are not required to meet color restrictions.
- Hair control devices go around the hair only, not the entire head.
- Hair-control devices do not have color restrictions.

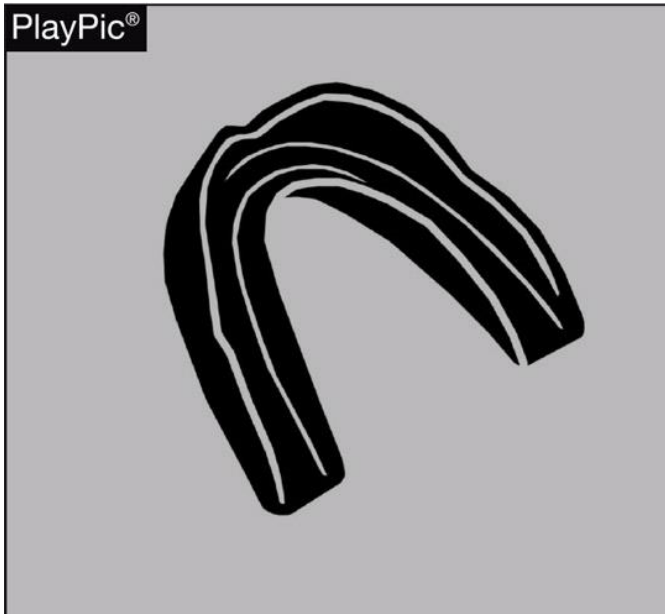
RULE CHANGE 3-5-5 SHORTS WAIST BAND



There are no restrictions on rolling shorts at the natural waistband seam, so long as they do not conflict with Rule 3-4-5:

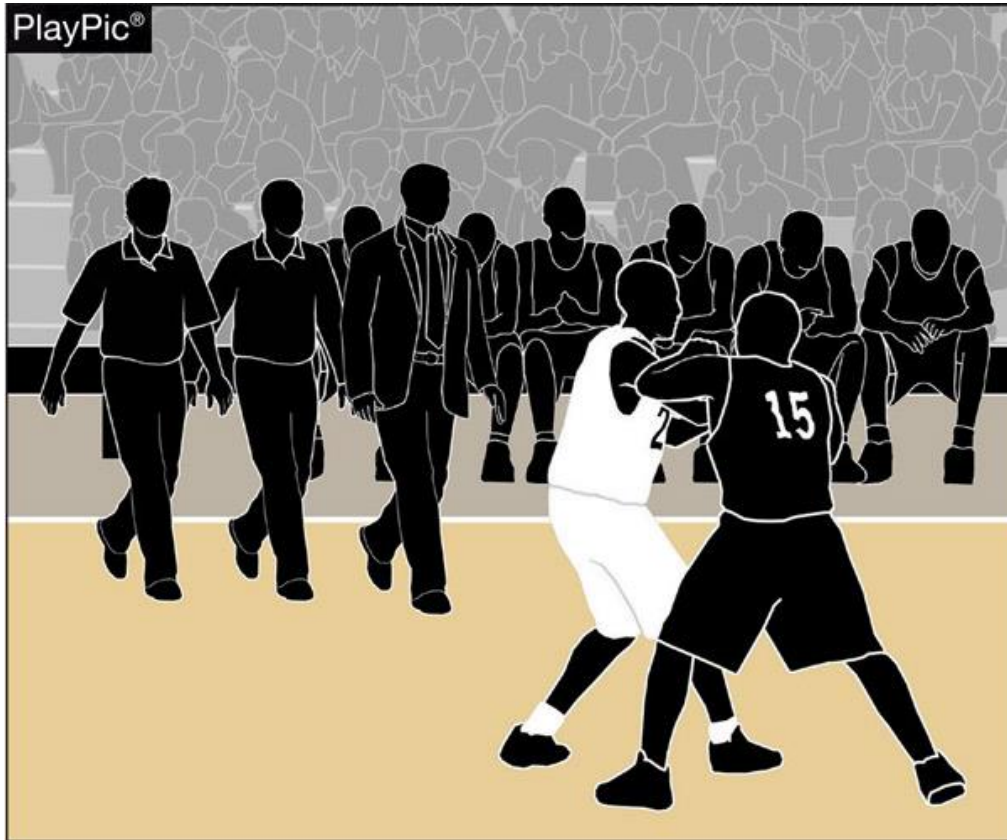
- multiple manufacturers logos are not visible;
- the anatomy is sufficiently covered.
- **More guidance will be forthcoming concerning what will be allowed in terms of exposed drawstrings.**

RULE CHANGE 3-5-8 NEW MOUTHGUARD



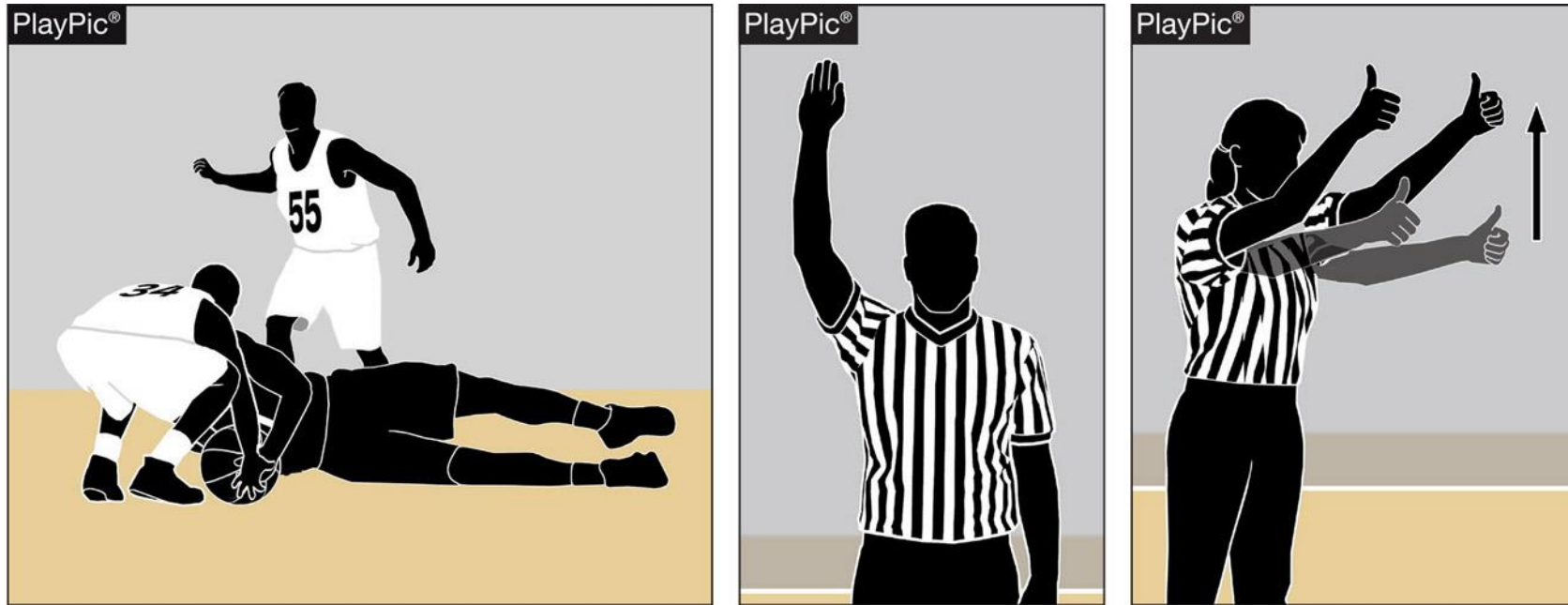
- Mouthguards are legal, so long as they meet provisions regarding their components and are properly fitted.
- State associations may deem them required equipment.
- More guidance may be forthcoming in terms of the “Curry Look” on FTs.

RULE CHANGE 10-5-5 NOTE COACHES ENTERING THE PLAYING FLOOR



- Assistant coaches are now allowed to come onto the playing floor to help break up a fight.
- Head coaches must develop a plan of action for which assistant coach(s) enter the court and which one(s) remain on the bench to secure the bench personnel.

RULE CHANGE 10-5-5 NOTE JUMPBALL SIGNAL SEQUENCE



Stop Clock for Held Ball: In a held-ball situation, the covering official should first blow the whistle while simultaneously using the stop clock signal (signal 2), and then progress to the held ball signal (signal 3). If there is a double whistle, the officials must communicate with each other.

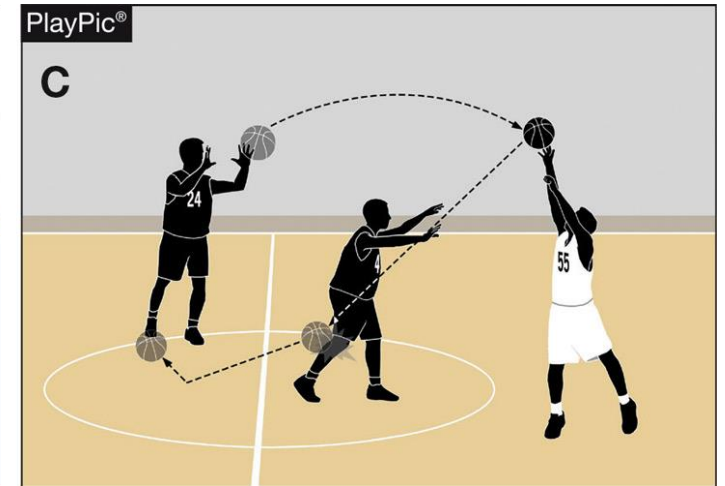
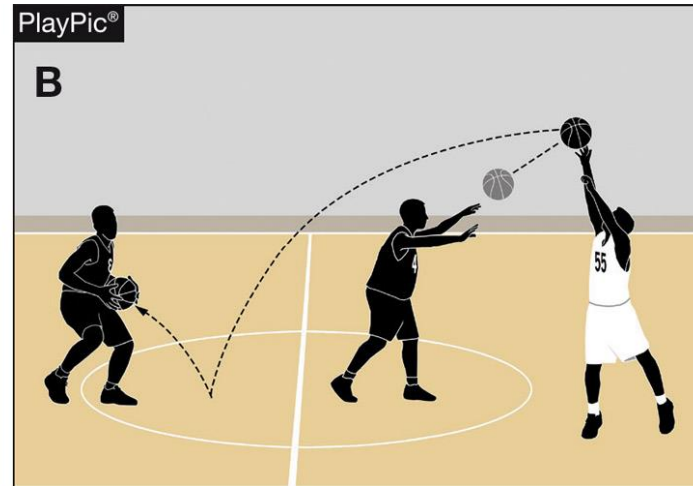
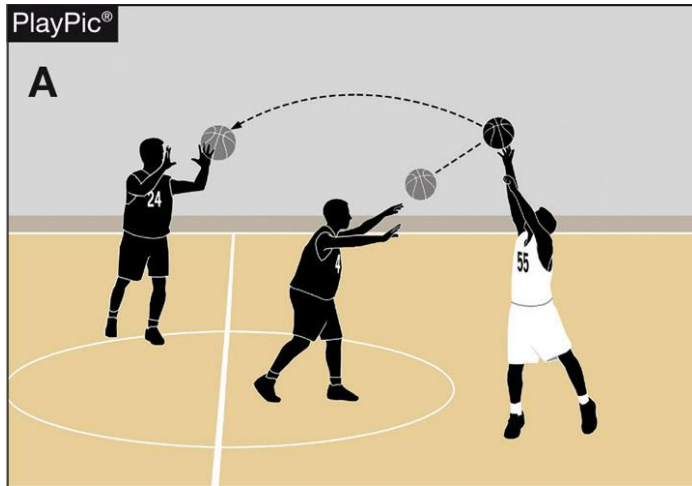


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BASKETBALL MAJOR EDITORIAL CHANGE



9-9-1 EXCEPTION BACKCOURT



Updates language to read: “A ball in team control of Team A in the frontcourt that is deflected by a defensive player (PlayPic A), which causes the ball to go into the backcourt, may be recovered by either team (PlayPic B) unless the offense was the last to touch the ball before it went into the backcourt (PlayPic C). If the offense was last to touch the ball in its frontcourt, only the defense can legally recover the basketball.

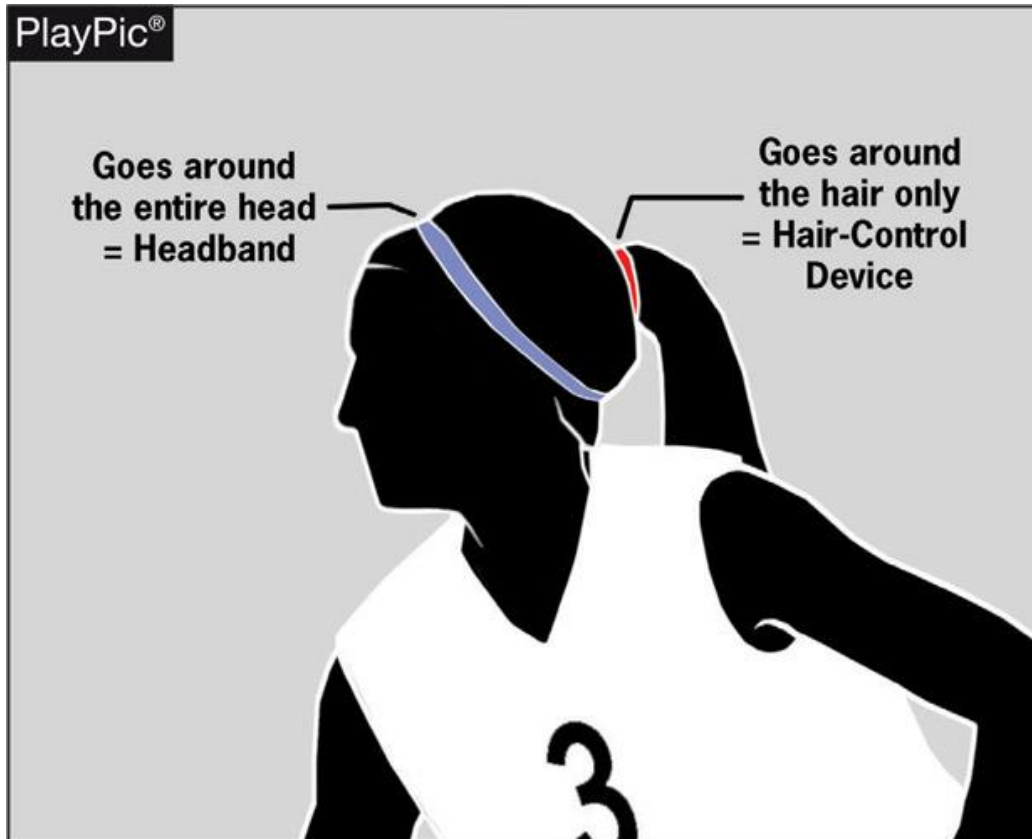


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BASKETBALL POINTS OF EMPHASIS

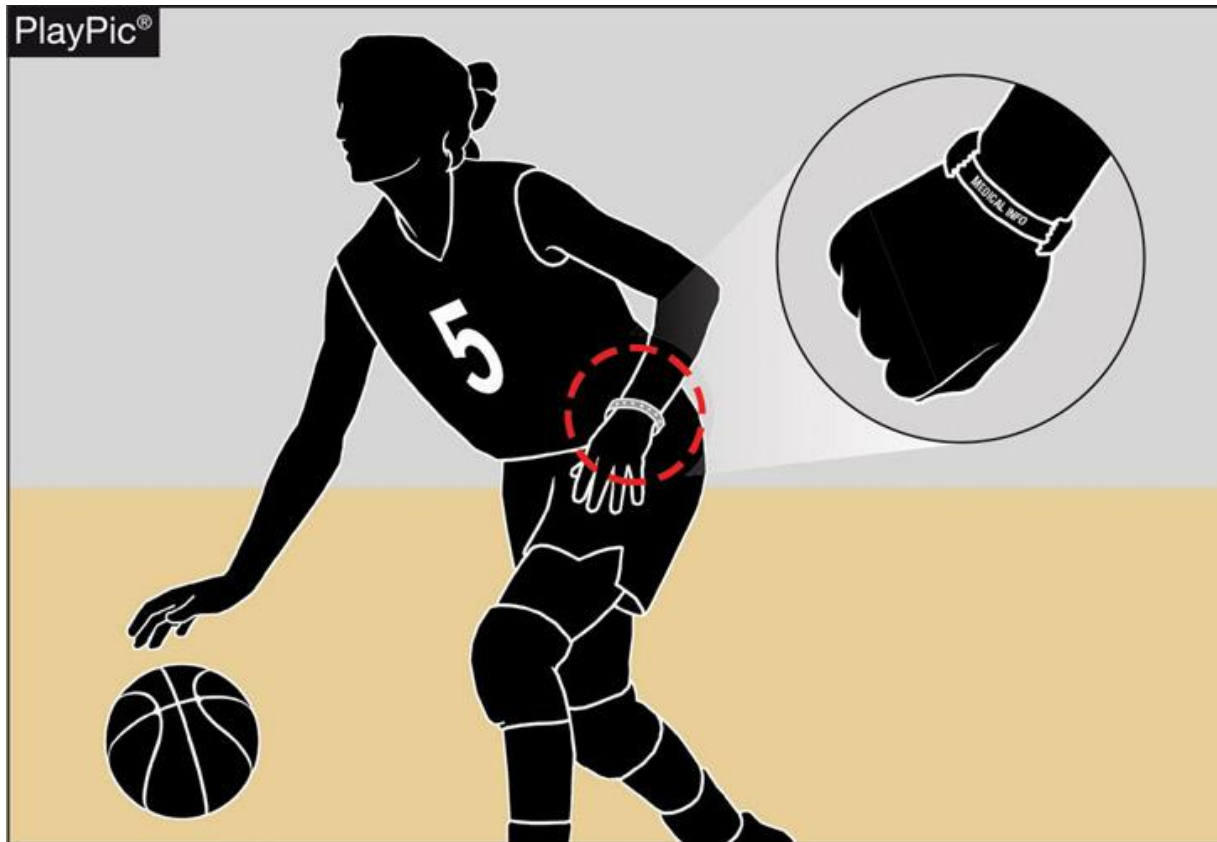


HAIR CONTROL DEVICES AND HEADBANDS



- Headbands go around the entire head and have color restrictions.
- Hair control devices only go around hair, and do not have color restrictions.

SILICONE/METAL BRACELETS



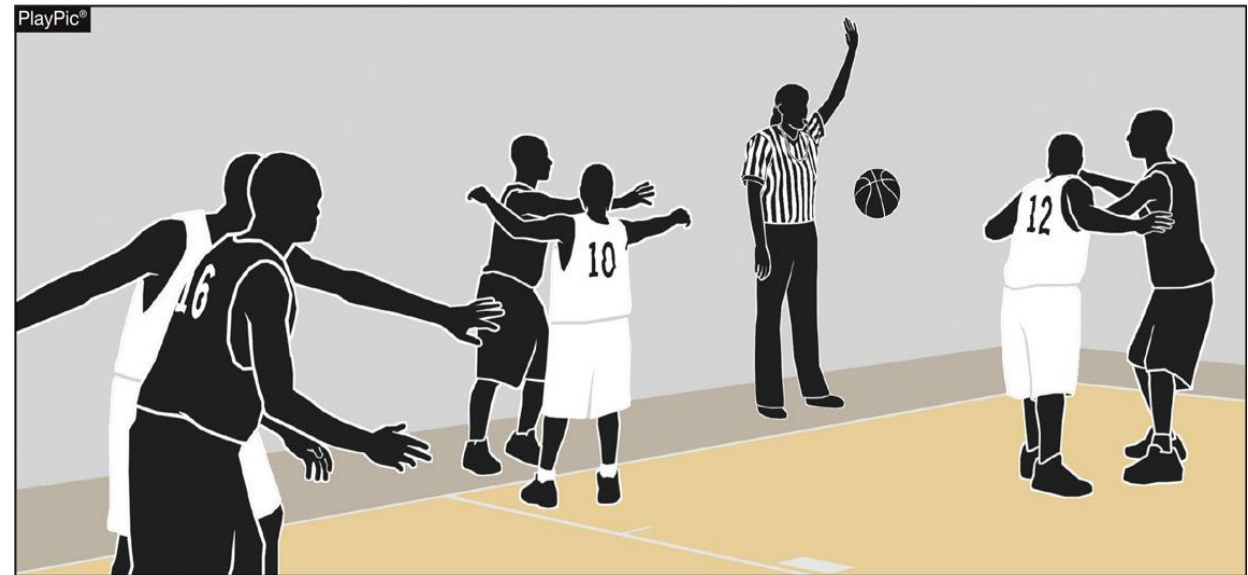
Silicone bracelets that provide medical information, like their metal counterparts, may be worn so long as the bracelet is taped down to the wrist with the medical information showing.

THROW-IN VIOLATIONS

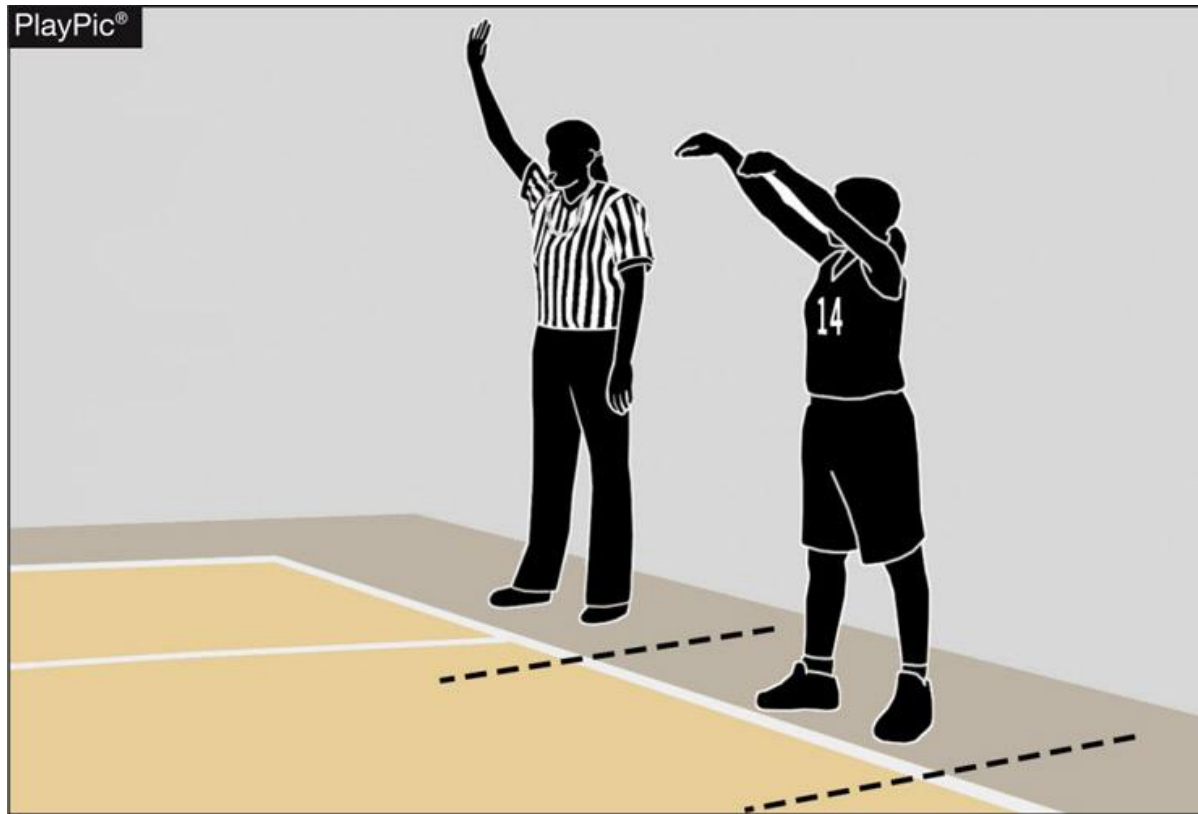
The throw-in and the throw-in count **begin** when the ball is at the disposal of a player of the team entitled to it.

The throw-in **ends** when:

- a. The passed ball touches or is touched by another player in-bounds.
- b. The passed ball touches or is touched by another player out-of-bounds. except as in 7-5-7.
- c. The throw-in team commits a violation.



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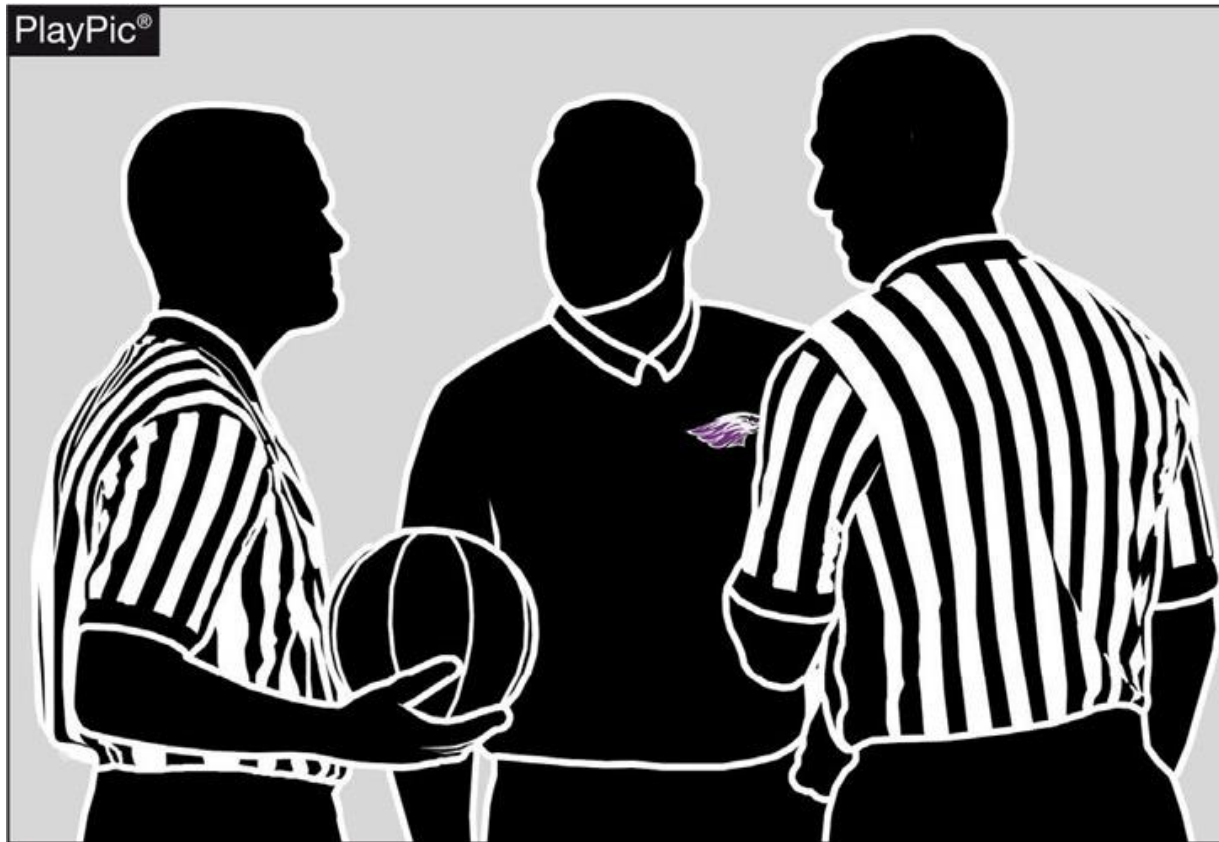
- The referee designates the throw-in spot .
- Pivot foot restrictions are not in affect for a designated throw-in.
- The thrower must keep one foot on or over the designated spot until the ball is released.
- **Violation** - To leave the designated throw-in spot prior to releasing the ball



THROW-IN VIOLATIONS

- After ruling and signaling a violation, team-control foul, player-control foul held ball or time-out, **it is vital** that the ruling official, at the site of the ruling, indicate the designated throw-in spot (see Manual page 65, diagram 5-6).

PRE-GAME MEETING WITH ADMINISTRATORS/CROWD CONTROL



Game officials should meet with a school administrator prior to their pregame to discuss supervision and crowd control. Game officials do not have responsibilities for crowd control. **More guidance will be forthcoming on this meeting.**

THANK YOU

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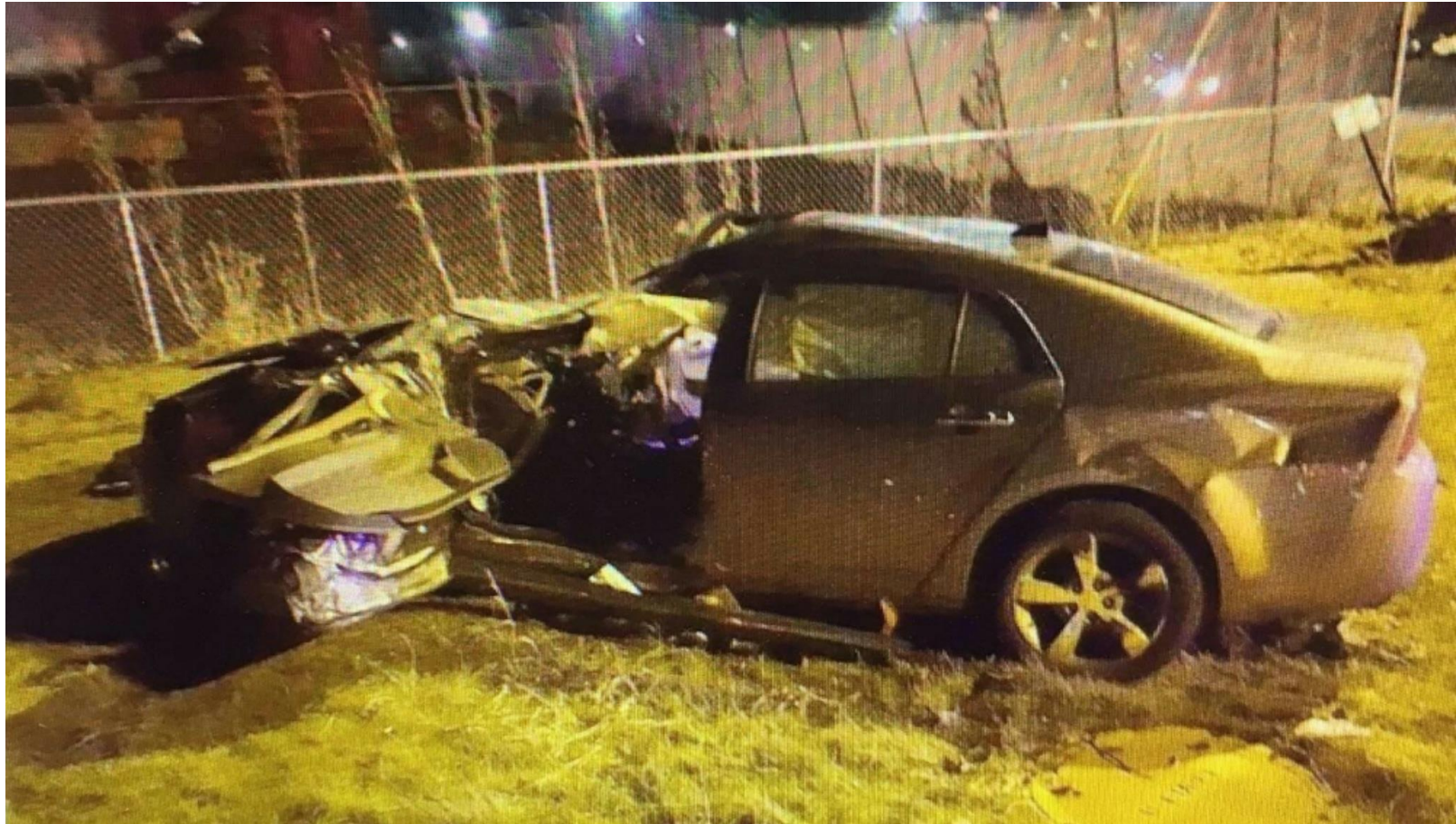


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- Mid-Suburban League (MSL) Boys and Girls...2009 – Present
- DuKane Conference Boys...2018 – Present
- DuJardin Elementary School PE Teacher...1988 – Present
- Been to all 30 Current MLB Parks Plus 20 No Longer Used



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DOING IT THE RIGHT WAY...

- No sympathy wanted or needed.
- No gloating or bragging intended.
- Three-Time Boys AA State Finals ('01/'02/'04)
- IBCA Hall of Fame Official
- IHSA Basketball Rule Interpreter
- I won't take the floor if I can't do it the right way. I do all I can to assign with the same passion and dedication needed on the floor.

