



Gold Crown Officiating Professional Development

Gold Crown Officiating (GCO) is committed to much more than simply assigning basketball games. GCO's primary goal is to improve the general state of officiating in Colorado. Through professional development in the form of shared feedback, educational videos and our [Officiating Academy](#) we hope to witness a positive impact across all levels of officiating here in the greater Denver Metro area.

Below are training videos and educational resources we hope you find helpful in your professional development as an official with Gold Crown Foundation.

Newer Official Resources/2-Person Mechanics:

[Hand Signals](#)

[Spot of Foul Mechanics](#)

[Foul Reporting Mechanics](#)

[Switching Mechanics](#)

[Throw In Mechanics](#)

[Jump Ball Administration](#)

[The Foundation of a Two-Person Crew](#) (Referee.com)

[How to Analyze your Game Video](#)

[How to Referee Screening](#)

[How to Referee Rebounding](#)

[Communication Tips \(Mic'd Up HS Official\)](#)

3-Person Mechanics:

[2-Center \(C\) Officials](#)

[Backcourt to Frontcourt](#)

[Trail Rotations](#)

[How to Analyze your Game Video](#)

Mental Preparation:

[5 Ways to Manage Conflict](#) (Referee Magazine)

[Good Communication between Basketball Officials and Coaches Is Key](#)

[Mental Performance A-Z](#) (Referee.com)

[4 Habits of Successful Officials](#) (Referee.com)

[Don't Miss a Chance for Self-Evaluation](#) (Referee.com)

National Federation of State High School Associations (NFHS) Content:

[Purchase a current NFHS Basketball Rules Book from Gold Crown for \\$5](#)

[NFHS Basketball Rules Changes 2020-21](#)

[NFHS Basketball Points Of Emphasis 2020-21](#)

[2020-21 NFHS Basketball Rules Changes & Points of Emphasis video with IAABO CO Board 4 State Interpreter, Dave Smith](#)



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CHSAA Content:

[FAQ's-Officiating HS Basketball](#) (Steps to become a certified HS official in Colorado)
[Contact CHSAA about Officiating Opportunities](#)

Free Digital Training Courses:

NFHS Learning Center: [Interscholastic Officiating Course](#) (Free)
NFHS Learning Center: [Basketball Officiating Course](#) (Free)
[Interactive Online Course for Officials](#) (Free for a limited time through [PCA!](#))

Additional Resources:

[6 Qualities That Get You Respect](#) (Referee.com)
[16 Unwritten Rules of Officiating](#) (Referee.com)
[6 Things you Never Say to a Coach](#) (Referee.com)
[The Three Types of Officials](#) (Referee.com)
[6 Common Errors and How to Avoid Them](#) (Referee.com)
[Officials Guide: Your Pre-Game Conference with the Coaches and Captains](#) (USAB.com)
[23 Most Misunderstood Rules in HS Basketball](#) (NFHS)

