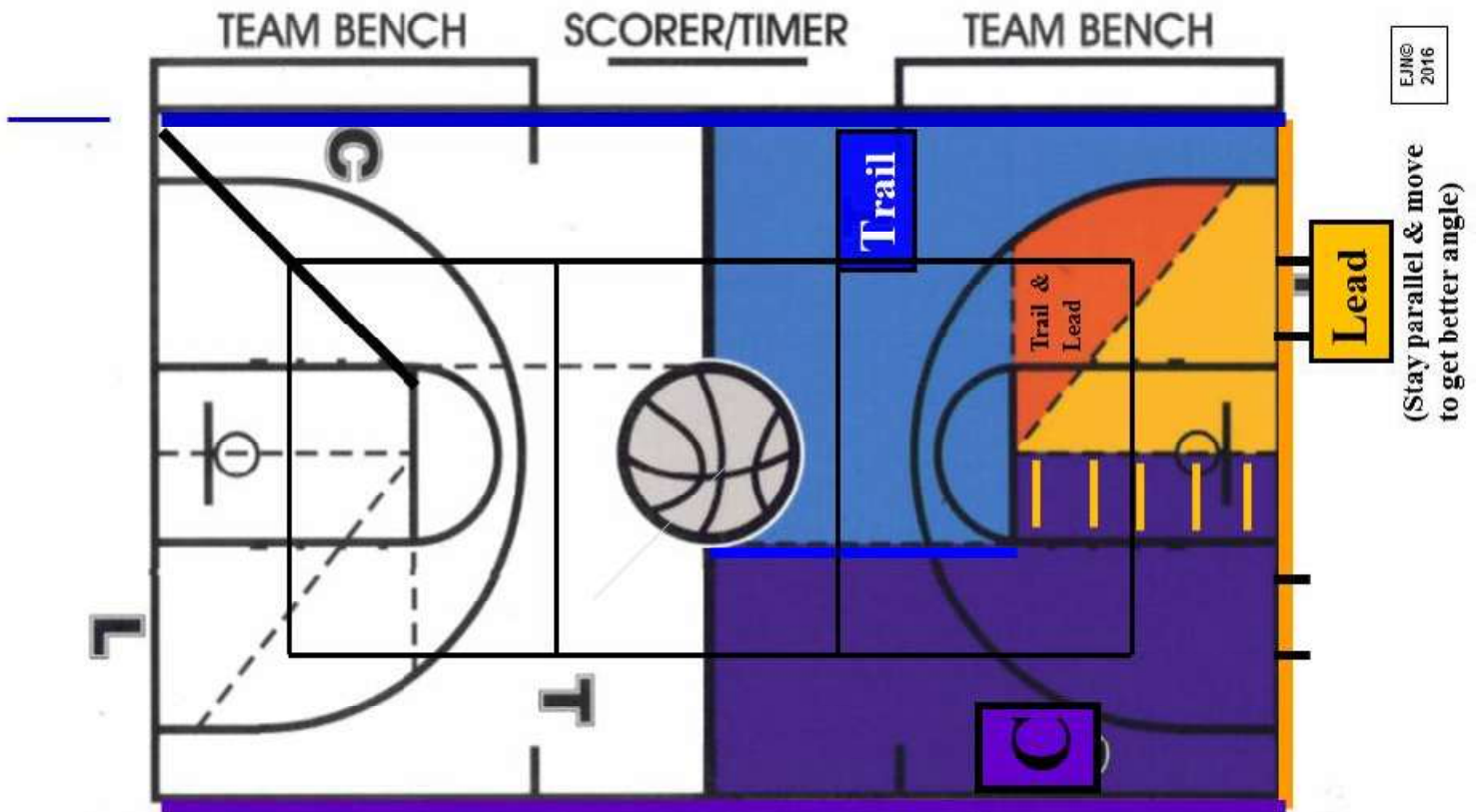


Center Official Coverage Topics



- Starting position is free throw line extended, heels just off the sideline
- Move up & down & in & out on the court as need to get proper angle, especially on drives to basket from C's primary, it's C's call, use "V" shaped movement to get position and best officiating angle
- Don't bail on shots: step down to cover rebound action
- Don't ball watch: strong C with off ball coverage is key
- C should be last official to leave position on rotation: make sure other C is "locked in" at C before rotating to trail (2 C's better than 2 Trails)
- If shot originates from T, watch for basket interference & goaltending
- Prepare to pick up closely guarded counts when released from Trail
- On press coverage or after change of possession: Freeze & Assess
 - Pause & Assess: set up where the defense sets up: Assess the defensive pressure and location of players and move accordingly
 - Move to get best angle of vision to make the right call
 - Be ready to call sideline to sideline
 - Be ready to call over & back calls