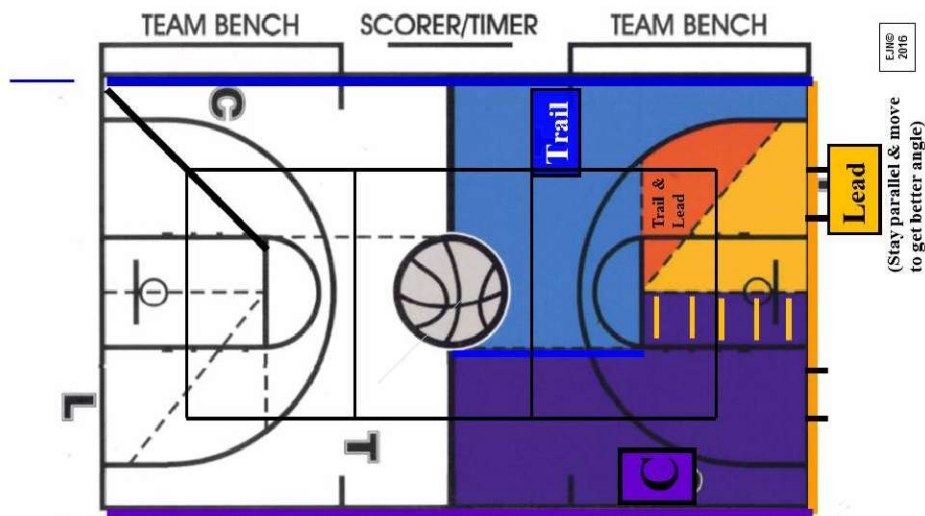
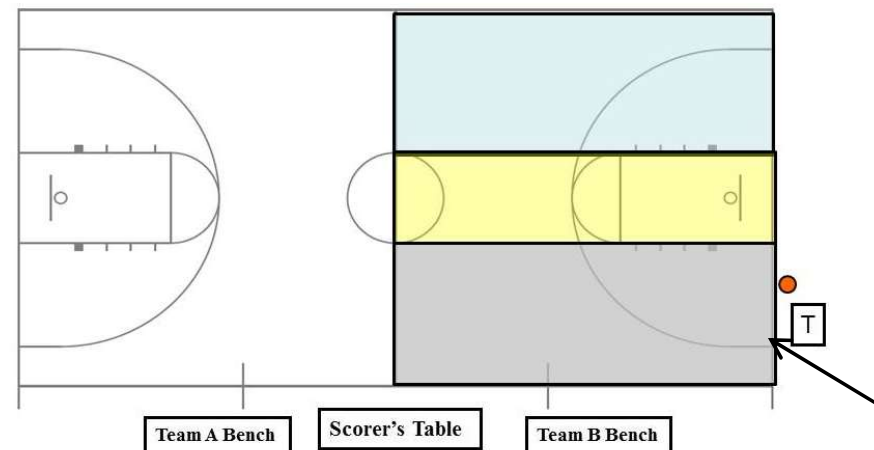


Trail Official Front Court Coverage Topics



- Starting Position is half way between sideline and volleyball line / 2-4 feet behind ball: stay off sideline
- Referee defense, don't anticipate
- Move to get proper angle/ avoid getting straight-lined
- Use visible Closely Guarded Counts
- Release matchup when matchup is outside primary
- Don't ball watch: Stay with off ball matchups
- Step down on shots and rebounds, don't bail early
- Hustle in transition from Trail to new Lead
- Stay with shooter on shot attempt from your primary
- Determine if 2 pt. or 3pt. shot & signal if 3 pt. attempt if it's from your primary
- If shot is from Center's primary, watch for basket interference & goaltending, and cover rebound action
- Signal to Lead that "we're ready to go" on inbounds by raising hand to mirror chop
- When transitioning from Trail to Lead, look over your shoulder, not at wall in front of you: be ready to help on sideline out of bounds when call is close to you

Trail Official Back Court Coverage Topics



- Referee defense, don't anticipate
- Get angle to officiate / avoid getting straight-lined
- When transitioning from Lead to Trail; come onto the court only after the ball is inbounded: pause & assess the defense
- Stay 2-3 steps behind the ball & hustle up the court
- Be one lane section away from ball when in backcourt moving towards frontcourt, then transition to normal Trail position in frontcourt
- Visible counts in backcourt: Use game clock as reference
- Counts should be chest high and extend straight out
- On press: pause & assess: discuss C official's responsibilities
- Be prepared to become Lead on steal or turnover
- When inbounding ball, be out of bounds when you bounce the ball to the thrower, then step 4-6 ft. back away from the thrower to improve field of vision