

IAABO Board 12

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League Rule Differences from National Federation

If you are assigned to work the WCAC, IAC, ISL, MPSSAA (Girl's), or Howard County games you MUST know and adhere to the following:

Rule	WCAC	IAC (Boy's)	ISL (Girl's)	MPSSAA (Girl's)
Closely Guarded			A player in control anywhere on the playing court while holding (not dribbling) the ball is closely guarded when her opponent is in a guarding stance at a distance not to exceed three feet. This distance shall be measured from the forward foot or feet of the defender to the forward foot or feet of the opponent. After the start of the closely guarded count, in order for a closely guarded violation to occur, there shall be continuous guarding by the same opponent. When a player is positioned between the player in control of the ball and her opponent, who is within three feet, a closely guarded count does not exist.	
Coaching Box	28' line to end line	28' line to end line	28' line to end line	
"Seatbelt" Rule	None	None	None	
10 Second Backcourt			No	No
Shot Clock				
Set at :		35 seconds	30 seconds	30 seconds
Shot Lodges; between Ring & Backboard		AP Arrow, reset shot clock to 35 seconds	AP Arrow, reset shot clock to 30 seconds	AP Arrow, reset shot clock to 30 seconds
Reset Shot Clock		Shot hits ring	Shot hits ring	Shot hits ring
		Change of possession	Change of possession	Change of possession
		All fouls except Double fouls / T's, Simultaneous	All fouls	All fouls
		Intentional Kick 15+ sec then no reset	Intentional Kick	Intentional Kick
		Intentional Kick <15 sec then reset to 15		
		All fouls except Double fouls / T's, Simultaneous	All fouls	All fouls
No Reset of Shot Clock		<i>Double Foul / T's, Simultaneous</i>		
		Held Ball, AP > Offense	Held Ball, AP > Offense	Held Ball, AP > Offense
		Ball out of bounds by Defense	Ball out of bounds by Defense	Ball out of bounds by Defense
		Time outs	Time outs	Time outs
Howard County Mercy Rule				
JV games, 3rd & 4th quarters only, clock will run continuously when a team reaches a 30 point lead. when that lead is reduced to 15 points the clock will run normally until the lead again reaches 30. Clock will stop during these mercy periods for time outs				

WCAC = Carroll, DeMatha, Good Counsel, Gonzaga, Ireton, McNamara, O'Connell, Paul VI, St. John's, St. Mary's Ryken

IAC (Boy's) = Bullis, Episcopal, Georgetown Prep, Landon, St. Albans, St. Stephens/St. Agnes

ISL (Girl's) = Bullis, Episcopal, Flint Hill, Foxcroft, Georgetown Day, Georgetown Visitation, Holton Arms, Holy Child, Madeira, Maret, Model, National Cathedral, Potomac, St. Stephens/St. Agnes, Sidwell Friends, Stone Ridge.