Pre Match Instructions

Technical Areas

* Management/One Coaching
* Warning/Expulsion

Writing

* Yellow/Red, number, time, offence
* Other Assistant should take details when REF/AR finished
* 2nd yellow card and not ordered off
* Red card not left field = buzz
* Writing at goals

Substitutions

* Writing/Checking
* Position = Buzz
* Only signal when things are calm
* Ensure subs are warming up

Throw-Ins, Goal Kicks and Corner Kicks

* Eye to eye contact
* Very slow no hurry for signal
* Diagonals
* Teamwork
* Assist with position of throw in
* Foot fault

Offsides

* Wait and see
* Situation with player leaving field – momentum

Free-Kicks

* Benefit the match
* Clear fouls
* Zone for AR
* Flag technique
* Flag in hand for direction
* Yellow/Red card
* Back up referee’s decision only when close

Penalty-Box Decisions

* 3 scenarios
* Wrong Decision

Free Kick/Penalty-Kick Call

* Outside: Hold position and body language
* Inside: Follow one of above three procedures

Free Kicks in and around penalty area

* Cover goal-line and offside
* Duty for each AR at either end

Penalty-Kick

* Priority ball crossing line
* Goalkeeper moving

Major Misconduct

* What, who, action, restart (repeat)
* Yellow card for aggression AR thinks Red
* Wrong decision

Mass Confrontation

* Presence
* Advantageous Viewing point
* Off diagonal and middle of field
* Major incident both ARs
* Role of 4th official
* Identify original players numbers
* Initial Perpetrators must be sanctioned
* Players who run to become involved

Goal (Just over line)

* Signalling
* Everyone back in own half before restart

Injured Players

* Bring back on
* Blood hold and check

Miscellaneous

* Check nets before match and HT
* Corner flags, numbers of players, goalkeeper ready
* HT and FT positions
* Additional time
* Assisted awareness at all times
* Always a job to do
* Teamwork