

Fairfield County Swimming League
Water Polo Referee Rules Test 2011

1. What is call if the goalkeeper plays the ball with two hands outside the 5-meter area while his/her team is on offense?

- a. Exclusion foul
- b. Offensive foul
- c. Penalty throw
- d. No call

2. When an ordinary foul occurs, the ball shall be put in play at

- a. 2-meter line
- b. At or behind where the foul occurred
- c. Goal line
- d. Referees discretion

3. In order for a goal to count the ball must:

- a. Be halfway into the goal
- b. Any part of the ball in the goal
- c. Fully pass the goal line
- d. None of the above

4. An offensive player is on a one on nobody. The goalkeeper comes out and fouls the offensive player inside the strike zone.

- a. Ordinary Foul
- b. Exclusion Foul
- c. Offensive Foul
- d. Penalty

5. If both players take the ball underwater simultaneously. The call should be

- a. Neutral throw
- b. Offensive foul
- c. Defensive foul
- d. Exclusion foul

6. A shot taken by offensive player A is blocked out of play by defensive player B. The call shall be

- a. Corner throw
- b. Goal throw
- c. Penalty throw
- d. Neutral throw

7. A shot is taken and the defender attempts to block the shot inside the 5-meter area with two hands.

- a. Exclusion foul
- b. Penalty foul
- c. Ordinary foul
- d. No Call

8. The ball is played into two-meters. Defender A impedes the offensive player by sinking him before the ball arrives. The call is:

- a. Ordinary foul
- b. Offensive foul
- c. Exclusion foul
- d. No Call

9. The call when any player disrespects an official is
- Exclusion
 - Exclusion for remainder of game with substitution
 - Exclusion for remainder of game without substitution
 - Penalty
10. Prior to the start of the game, the referee should (choose all that apply)
- Inspect the course for proper set up
 - Socialize with coaches and players
 - Show up at least 15 minutes before
 - Discuss games possible outcome with other coaches
11. If a coach continues to argue calls after a yellow card warning, and shows disrespect, the call MUST be
- Yellow Card
 - Report actions to head coach
 - Red Card
 - No Call
12. An excluded player whose team does not have possession re-enters early. The call shall be
- Exclusion and Penalty Throw
 - Exclusion
 - Major Misconduct
 - Offensive foul
13. What is the proper referee signal for the number 10 ?
- Holding your thumb in the air
 - An open hand
 - A clenched fist
 - Both hands in the air
14. During a penalty throw, the defending goalkeeper must
- Be on or behind the goal line
 - Give an OK to the ref
 - Summon his teammate for proper positioning
 - Position him/herself outside the goal line
15. After a yellow card warning, a coach moves outside the 5-meter area when his/her team is on offense. What is call?
- Second verbal warning
 - Yellow Card
 - Red Card
 - No Call
16. If a player receives his third personal foul the signal should include all BUT the following
- Desk should raise red flag
 - Referee should signal by rolling his arms
 - Referee should yell at the coach that that player is done
 - Make sure that all fouls are noted in the game log

17. If blood is drawn during game play, the referee shall:

- a. Not stop the game, until a goal is scored
- b. Stop the game immediately and remove the player
- c. Award a penalty shot
- d. Take wounded player out for the remainder of the game

18. Player A kicks Player B in the face. The call shall be (*choose all that apply*):

- a. Major Misconduct with substitution
- b. Exclusion
- c. Major Misconduct without substitution
- d. Brutality

19. According to FINA, a brutality will include:

- a. 20 Second Exclusion
- b. Red Card
- c. 5-Meter, Man Down Whole Game, Player Majored
- d. 5-Meter, Man Down 4 Minutes, Player Majored

20. A player is using the bottom to gain advantage position against another player or to play the ball. The call shall be:

- a. Ordinary Foul
- b. Exclusion Foul
- c. Penalty Foul
- d. Offensive Foul

21. If a defender grabs a suit to gain position, the call shall be:

- a. Exclusion foul
- b. Ordinary Foul
- c. Major Exclusion
- d. Penalty Foul

22. What is call if the offensive player shoots the ball and is blocked out of play by the goalkeeper.?

- a. Offensive foul
- b. Corner Throw
- c. Goal Throw
- d. Exclusion

23. The goalkeeper may never pass:

- a. 5-Meters
- b. Opposing teams 2-Meters
- c. Half
- d. Unlimited territory

24. A defender attempts to block a shot with two hands outside the 5-Meter area. The call is a:

- a. Penalty
- b. Ordinary Foul
- c. Exclusion Foul
- d. No Call

25. A team may call a timeout when:

- a. The other team has the ball
- b. During a penalty
- c. They have possession of the ball
- d. During a neutral throw

THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS PERTAIN TO FCSL RULES:

26. In midget and junior water polo, how many girls must be in the water at all times?

- a. 1
- b. 3
- c. 2
- d. 0

27. How much time must you wait in order for a team to field a team?

- a. 15 Minutes
- b. 1 Hour
- c. 30 Minutes
- d. As long as you want

28. How long is the running time for a quarter in FCSL midget games?

- a. 5 Minutes
- b. 6 Minutes
- c. 7 Minutes
- d. 8 Minutes

29. How long is the running time for a quarter in FCSL junior games?

- a. 5 Minutes
- b. 6 Minutes
- c. 7 Minutes
- d. 8 Minutes

30. How long is the running time for a quarter in senior games?

- a. 5 Minutes
- b. 6 Minutes
- c. 7 Minutes
- d. 8 Minutes

31. How long is the running time for overtime in senior games?

- a. 1 five minute period
- b. 2 three minute periods
- c. 2 two minute periods
- d. 2 three minute periods, then sudden death

32. In FCSL play the shot clock shall be:

- a. 30 Seconds
- b. 35 Seconds
- c. 40 Seconds
- d. There is no shot clock in FCSL

33. Direct shots after a foul may be taken from:

- a. 5 Meters
- b. 7 Meters
- c. No direct shots in FCSL
- d. 4 Meters

TRUE or FALSE ?

34. If a player exits the pool in front of the opposing teams bench, the referee may award an:

- a. Exclusion
- b. Red Card
- c. Yellow Card
- d. Penalty Shot

35. In a senior game where there are college or high school age coaches, the following must occur?

- a. The referee explains the FCSL rules to the coaches
- b. An adult must be present on the bench
- c. Coaches being rude
- d. Socialize with the coaches during game play

36. In the FCSL, the role of the second official in senior level games is:

(Choose all that apply)

- a. To monitor the backcourt to watch for backcourt fouls
- b. To act as the head official in any situation
- c. To assist your partner in improving his/her game
- d. To make sure that all players are under control

37. Midget water polo is for 11/unders?

38. The FCSL Code of Conduct should ONLY be read before Senior Games?

39. Spectators are not subject to penalty by the FCSL?

40. In setting up a penalty throw, the offense has the right to inside position?

41. When re-entering after an exclusion, the player may not push off the wall or bottom?

42. When calling a stall, the referee will award a goal throw?

43. A referee should wait until two-meter players untangle before calling any type of foul?

44. Senior level is for ages 14-18?

45. In the event of a double exclusion, the ball will ALWAYS stay with the offense?

46. Yellow or red cards should be documented in the game log and FCSL Water Polo Vice-President notified?

47. A male versus female match-up should be refereed differently?

48. In any game an assistant coach may approach no closer than the 5M line?