

Referee Name: Game Division: Game Standard:

Game Awareness and Positioning	NYR	R
Demonstrates an excellent knowledge of attack strategy, and positions accordingly in general play		*
Consistently anticipates the play to be in the next desired position, moves with urgency, uses full field width		*
Is aware of and manages loose players consistently		*
Demonstrates a very good knowledge of the player's roles and the impact on game outcomes		*
Consistently checks both sides for shooter(s), manages appropriately and communicates early		*
Has a consistent physical presence in the 5m line where game strategy allows		*
Sets the 5m line consistently, utilising appropriate movement techniques and communications		*
Anticipates the change of possession and sprints the change of possession (i.e. 5 m to 5 m)		*
Game Management		
Manages the "defensive player who makes the touch" to an on-side position effectively and early		*
Is aware of the need to ensure 5m distance between attack and defence, does not accept the roll of the defensive line		*
Manages the defensive players on the 5m and 10m (following the tap)		*
Manages the off side players in drives, is aware of player prioritisation		*
Plays advantage through pro-active/early/effective communication to keep game flowing		*
Manages physical play and takes appropriate action as and when necessary, early where possible		*
Identifies and manages verbal conflict appropriately and with confidence		*
Clear, concise signals, whistle and explanations given with and for decisions so off-field referees can react quickly and set up the defensive line, clear and audible communication with players		*
Effectively manages the pocket defender and keeps player in the game		*
Displays a detailed understanding of the rules, their application and impact on the game		*
Team Work and Communication		
Consistently sets a 5m line reference point from off field position		*
Provides consistent and very effective support to on-field referee		*
Builds an effective rapport with wingers and links to enhance teamwork		*
Communicates very effectively with realigning players (defenders) to assist on-field referee with 5m control and advantage		*
Communicates very effectively with on field referee to keep players moving forward, off the scoreline		*
Is supportive and in sync with referee team decisions, demonstrates appropriate leadership		*
Adopts excellent off field positions to assist with decision making		*
Referee Systems		
Interchanges made with confidence, shares the game workload, initiates the interchanges		*
Communicates very effectively on field entry, uses options to eliminate penalties on entry, positively influences player actions		*
Demonstrates good field entry positioning, uses short side if appropriate, establishes the 5m line early/quickly, square before the first touch is made		*
Aware of player substitutions, game strategies at the substitution and responds accordingly		*
Exits field at an angle to ensure the oncoming referee can take early control		*
On exit maintains game awareness to ensure management of any incident/assist on-field referee		*
Scoreline		
Is close to Touchdown situations and has a clear view of the ball and touches at and behind the scoreline, is aware of set plays and is well positioned for all scoring opportunities		*
Demonstrates an excellent knowledge of attack strategy, and positions accordingly on scoreline		*
Anticipates the long ball, moves accordingly to maintain sight and very good proximity to the ball		*
Effectively manages defenders within 5m of the scoreline (standoff)		*

Assessors Note: To be deemed Probable in each element a referee needs to achieve all * rating per element. To be deemed Possible overall a referee needs to achieve most * in all areas.

Feedback Referee is of the standard to be upgraded to Level 6

Probable

Possible

The referee requires further experience/skills in the following areas and if able to demonstrate these at NTL, upgrade is supported:

Assessor's Signature:.....

Assessors Name:

Date: / /