Netball New Zealand Umpire Exam – NZ Theory September 2022

Rule Name	Question	Answer	Rule Reference	Marks
Technical Specs	The Padding on the Goal Posts is not more than?		3.2 (i) (c)	1
Technical Specs	A spare netball must be at the official bench. (True/False)		3.3(ii)	1
Technical	Label the Court related areas shown by the highlighting– choose from;		Rule: 3.1	4
Specs	• Court,			
	• Court Surround,			
	Field of Play			
	Playing Enclosure			
Match	What is the whistle that Umpires use at the beginning of a period of play or to restart			
Guidelines	play after a stoppage?			
	a) Medium whistle,		Appendix A	1
	b) long whistle roll,		Rule 5.2.1(ii)(a)	
	c) medium whistle roll,			
	d) Long whistle.			
Match	Who are the Match Officials (Select all that apply)			
Personnel	a) Two Umpires,			
	b) Reserve Umpire,		5.2	1
	c) Timekeepers,			
	d) Scorers.			
Match	Who is responsible for each of the following? (Select from the following)			1
Personnel	a) Reserve Umpire			
	b) Scorers			
	c) Primary Care Person		5.2.2 (iv)	
	d) Both Umpires			
	e) Captain/Timekeeper]			
	Supervising a suspended player during the suspension period.			
Match	Who is responsible for each of the following? Select from the following [Reserve			
Personnel	Umpire/Scorers/Primary Care Person/Both Umpires/Captain/Timekeeper]		5.3.1(ii)(g)	1
	Recording any cautions which may occur			

Match Personnel	Who is responsible for each of the following? Select from the following [Reserve Umpire/Scorers/Primary Care Person/Both Umpires/Captain/Timekeeper]	9.3.1(iv)	1
	Advising the umpires if a player is too ill/injured to be moved		
Match	Who is responsible for each of the following? Select from the following [Reserve		
Personnel	Umpire/Scorers/Primary Care Person/Both Umpires/Captain/Timekeeper]	6.1.1(iv)	1
	Indicating the direction of the Centre Pass		
Match	Who is responsible for each of the following? Select from the following [Reserve		
Personnel	Umpire/Scorers/Primary Care Person/Both Umpires/Captain/Timekeeper]	Appendix A Rule 5(ii)	. 1
	Observing the captains toss		
Game	Black Centre is penalised in the Goal Third and stands in the correct position indicated by		
Management	the Umpire. White WA takes up the position for the penalty not where the umpire		
	has indicated. This is the third time the White WA has moved to an incorrect position		
	when a sanction has been awarded.		
	What is the infringement?	13.2.1(i)	1
	What action/s would the umpire take?	13.2.1(I) Sanction	1
	What is the reason for your action/s:		1
Game	When a player is suspended the time is taken from when the umpire penalises the	12.1.2 (.:)	1
Management	player. True/False	13.1.3 (vi)	1
Scoring a goal	Decide which hand signal you would use in these scenarios OR		
	Drag and drop the correct image to answer the question		
Scoring a	White GS lands just outside the Goal Circle with the ball. She steps into the goal circle	10.2 (i) (a)	1
goal	and shoots successfully for goal	(-) (-)	

		Hand Signal 8 (Goal Not Scored)	
	Black GS shoots for goal and before it begins its downward path the White GD deflects the ball and then it passes above and completely through the ring.	10.1 (iii) Hand Signal 7 (Goal Scored)	1
	Black GA and White GD take part in a Toss Up in the Goal Circle. White GD is penalised		
	for moving too soon. Black GS takes the ball and shoots successfully for goal.		
Controlling	What is the Infringement?		
Play	a) Shooting from a free pass Black GS	7.1.2	1
	b) Moving at a Toss Up White GD,	8.5.2 (ii)	
6	c) No Infringement.	Sanction	
Controlling	What is the Sanction/Actions?		
Play	a) Let Play Continue, Count Goal b) Free Pass White where Black GS shot for goal, discount goal	7.1.2	1
	c) Free Pass Black where White GD moved at the Toss Up.		
Controlling	White WA catches the ball and rolls it to White C.		
play	White WA datales are sail and lons it to white c.		
P ,	What is the infringement?	9.4.1(vi)	1
	What is the Sanction/Action?		1
Match	What whistle is used to instruct the timekeeper to hold time-		
Guidelines			
	a) Medium whistle,	Rule 5 (v)	
	b) long whistle roll,	Appendix A	1
	c) medium whistle roll,	Rule 5.2.1 (ii)(c	
	d) Long whistle.)	
Match	-, <u>0</u>		
Procedures		6.1.1 (v)	1

	µMPIRE A		
	BLACK GOAL WHITE GOAL		
	F UMPIRE B		
	Umpire B blows the whistle for Black's Centre Pass. Black C steps to point Z on the right foot causing the left foot to drag in the Centre Circle. Which umpire penalises this infringement? a) Umpire A b) Umpire B		
Match Procedures	µMPIRE A		
	BLACK GOAL WHITE GOAL	8.2.2 (iii)	1
	F UMPIRE B		
	White's Centre Pass goes untouched landing out of Court at Point M. Which umpire penalises this infringement? a) Umpire A b) Umpire B		
Controlling	Black WA leaves the Court to gain a better playing position. White WD leaves the Court		
Play	and continues defending Black WA.	0.2.4/:\	1
	What is the infringement? What action would the Umpire take?	8.3.4 (i)	1
During the Match	White GA catches the ball very close to the Goalpost. As it is difficult to shoot from this position, White GA bounces the ball off the goalpost, catching the ball in a better position before scoring a successful goal.		

	What is the infringement?	9.4.1 (i) & (iv)	1
	What action would the Umpire take?		1
	Black GK taking a throw in steps onto court and passes the ball to Black GD.	8.4.1(i)(e)	
	What is the Infringement		1
	(a) No Infringement		
	(b) Incorrect Throw In		
	(c) Stepping Black GK		
	What is the Sanction/Action		1
	(a) Let Play Continue		
	(b) Free Pass to White where Black GK stepped onto the court		
	(c) Award a Throw in to White		
During the	Black WD arrives just after the whistle to start the game and quickly runs on Court to the		
Match	vacant WD position		
	What is the infringement?	9.2 (i)	1
	What action would the Umpire take?	Sanction 9.2	1
Controlling	Black's centre pass is caught by White WD who lands with feet astride the Transverse		
Play	Line.		
	What is the infringement?	8.2.2 (vi) (b)	
			1
	What action would the Umpire take?		1
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Scoring a	White GS shoots for goal as Black GD defends from the correct distance. As the ball is on		
Goal	its downward flight, the Black GK deflects the ball up though the net and it lands out of		
Goal	court.		
	What is the infringement?	10.2 (ii) (b)	1
	What action would the Umpire take?	10.2 (11) (0)	1
Contact	Black WD is standing in the goal third near the transverse line. White WA takes the ball in	12.2.1 (i)	-
Contact	the air in the centre third and lands on top of the Black WD in the Goal third.	12.2.1 (1)	
	What is the infringement?		1
	What is the sanction?		1
Game	During the game the coach of the White team is criticising the umpires and their		
Management			
	What action will the umpire take?	13.3 (i) (a)	1
Obstruction	White GK is penalised for Contact near the goal line in the goal circle. Black GS takes the		
	penalty. White GD defending from the correct distance has a foot on the goal line.		
	What is the Infringement	3.1.1(vi)	1
	(a) No Infringement		
	(b) Defending from out of court White GD		
	What is the Action/Sanction?		1
	(a) Penalty Pass Black		
	(b) Let Play Continue		
Scoring a	Black C is passing the ball to Black GS in the goal circle. Their pass goes through the goal	10.1 (ii)	
Goal	ring.		
	What is the infringement?		1
	What is the sanction/action?		1
During the	White WD receives the ball in the centre third. They step back into Blacks goal third and	9.5.2 (ii)	
Match	pass to the White WA who is standing in Whites goal third.		
	What is the Infringement?		1
	What is the sanction?		1
Controlling	White WD & Black WA tip a high pass at the same time while standing in the Centre		
Play	Third. The ball then lands out of Court behind White's Goal Third Sideline.		
	What is the infringement?		1

	(a) No infringement		
	(b) Simultaneous possession White WD & Black WA		
	(c) Out of court White WD & Black WA		
	What action would the umpire take?		1
	(a) Let play continue		
	(b) Toss up in White's goal third between any two players allowed in that area, near		
	where the ball crossed the sideline.		
	(c) Toss up White WD & Black WA in the Centre Third		
Contact	Black GS is taking a penalty shot near the goalpost. White GD standing 0.9m from Black	12.2(i) 12.1	
	GS rests their arm across the Black GA's shoulder who is standing in front of Black GS, in		
	an attempt to defend the shot at goal.		
	What is the Infringement		1
	(a) No Infringement		
	(b) Inevitable Contact White GD		
	(c) Contact White GD		
	What is the Action/Sanction	Sanction	1
	(a) Let Play Continue		
	(b) Award a Penalty to Black		
Obstruction	White C drops the ball. In order to prevent any opposing players from reaching the ball,	11.2 (ii)	
	White C stands over the ball with arms outstretched. Black C in an attempt to reach the		
	ball pushes the white C.		
	What is the Infringement		1
	(a) No Infringement		
	(b) Contact Black C		
	(c) Obstruction White C		
	What is the Action/Sanction		1
	(a) Let Play Continue		
	(b) Penalty Pass White		
	(c) Penalty Pass Black		
	Hand Signal	 Hand signal	1
		number 12	
		(Ball over a	
		third or	
		untouched	
		centre pass)	
Match	What whistle is used to end a period of play?		1
Guidelines	a) Medium whistle,	 Rule 5(v)	

	b) long whistle roll,	Appendix A	
	c) medium whistle roll,	Rule 5.2.1(ii)(d)	
	d) Long whistle.		
Obstruction	Black GS looks to pass the ball to Black WA on the Goal Circle edge. White WD standing		
	right next to Black WA, has one arm extended in front of the Black WA preventing Black		
	WA from being able to catch the ball. Black GS releases the ball as 3 seconds expires.		
	What is the infringement?	11.2(ii)	1
	What actions would the umpire take?		1
	Explain the reason for your action.		1
Controlling	Black C is taking the Centre Pass. Before the whistle is blown Black WA and White WD		
Play	enter the Centre Third simultaneously, neither player makes contact with the ball.		
	What is the Infringement?		
	a) No Infringement,	9.2.1(iv)(a)	1
	b) Centre Pass not taken correctly,	8.2.1(iv)(a)	1
	c) Simultaneous Breaking Black WA & White WD		
	What is the Sanction/Action?		
	a) Let Play Continue,	0.24(:.)(-)	_
	b) Free Pass Black in Centre Third near the Transverse Line,	8.2.1(iv)(a)	1
	c) Toss Up between Black WA and White WD in Centre Third.		
	To manage a match the umpires may, in advance to the normal sanction, use a caution,		
	issue a warning, suspend a player or order a player off. What does this mean for the		
	player who has been given one of these		
Game	Caution a player: A player is advised	12.1(:)(a)	1
Management		13.1(i)(a)	1
Game	Issue a Warning: A player is warned	13.1(i) (b)	1
Management			
Game	Suspend a player: A player who is suspended	13.1(i)(c)	1
Management			
	Hand Signal	Hand signal 8 (Goal not	1
		scored)	
Game	At the 10 second warning, what type of whistle is used?	360164)	
Management	a) Medium whistle,		
anagement	b) long whistle roll,	Appendix A	1
	c) medium whistle roll,	Rule 8 (i)(b)	_
	d) Long whistle.		
	a) Long Windle.		L

Scoring a goal	Black GD is penalised in the Goal Circle for Obstruction. Black GD stands next to the White GA who has the ball and is ready to shoot for goal. White GA decides she wants White GS to take the Shot and puts the ball down on the ground for White GS to come and stand next to the Black GD. Black GK picks up the ball and passes to Black Centre.		
	What is the Infringement: a) No Infringement b) Held Ball Further penalty awarded	Appendix A Rule 7(i)	1
	What action would the umpire take: a) Penalty Pass to White where Black GK picked up the ball b) Let Play Continue c) Award a further Penalty as Penalty had not been taken. d) Free pass Black	Appendix A Rule 7(i)	1
	What is the reason for your answer? a) Penalty had been set correctly b) Penalty had not been taken c) Player held ball for longer than up to 3 seconds.	Appendix A Rule 7 (i)	1
Match guidelines	At the 30 second warning, what type of whistle is used? a) Medium whistle, b) long whistle roll, c) medium whistle roll, d) Long whistle.	Appendix A Rule 8 (i)(a)	1
	Hand Signal	Hand signal 15 (incorrect playing of the ball)	1
	Hand Signal	Hand signal 18 (intimidation)	1
	Hand Signal	Hold time	1
	Hand Signal	Advantage	1
	Hand Signal	Centre Positioned incorrectly	1
	Hand Signal	Direction of pass	1

Hand Signal	Stepping	1