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Multiple Defenses

Clinic To End All Clinics IV

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- 3 Kinds of Coaches at Clinics
 - 1. Write everything down
 - 2. Gets paid by school to attend
 - 3. Just takes things down that reflects his/her personality
- To be a good coach you need to
 - 1. be a good teacher
 - 2. be a good organizer
 - 3. create a discipline/personality that is right for your players
 - Believe in what you want to teach
- Kids know

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- How you treat them
- How you want them to work
- Multiple Defenses show them something, then do something else
- "The game of basketball is over coached and under taught." Pete Newell
- Once the first pass is made, every zone defense is the same.
 - They all become a 2-3.
- Every zone offense is one of four things
 - 1. Pass and stand
 - 2. Pass and go through same side
 - 3. Pass and go through opposite
 - 4. Screening
- Make them do something they don't want to do

• Divides the court into three areas

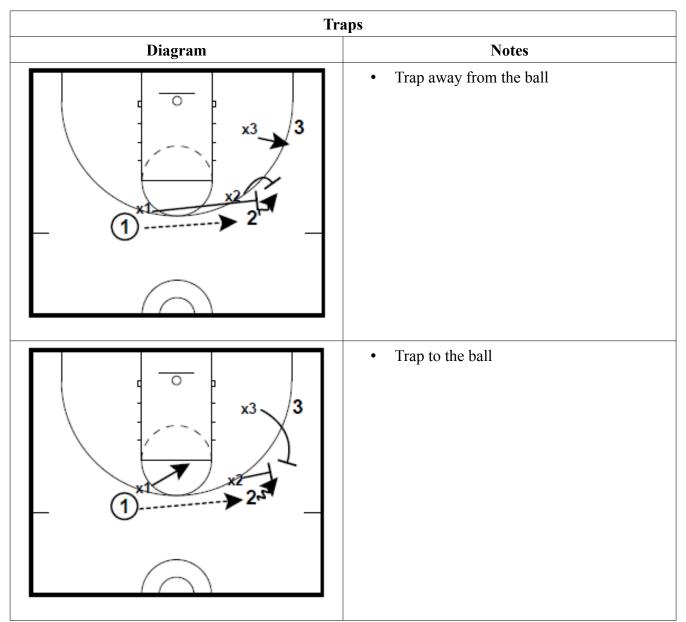
3 Areas of the Court		
• Notes		
 Green – baseline to hash mark; can take chances here, have time to recover Yellow – hash mark to hash mark; can still take some chances Red – hash mark to baseline; war zone; must play best defense here; don't gamble 		

- 1st time you pass and go through, we go through with you
- 2nd time you pass and go through, we stay
- 3^{rd} time you pass and go through, we go with you to the mid-post and stop

• Whenever the ball is moved, everyone has to move

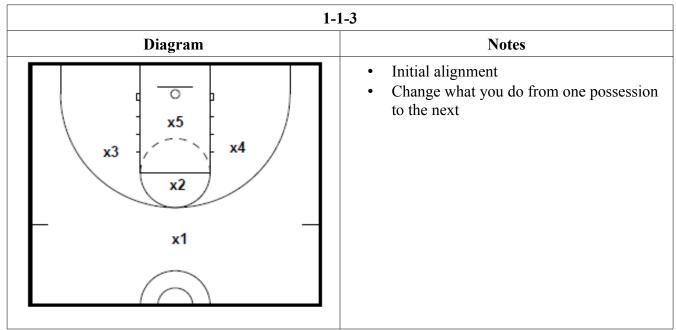
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Diagram	• Notes	
$\begin{array}{c c} 2 \\ x^2 \\ 1 \\ x^4 \\ x$	 Search the ball first Defense retreats to the line of the ball 	
	 1 hand is always on the line of the ball When the ball moves, the line of the ball moves, so the defense has to move 	

- Rotations are to the ball or away from the ball
- Man-to-man, trap away from the ball
- Zone, trap comes to the ball

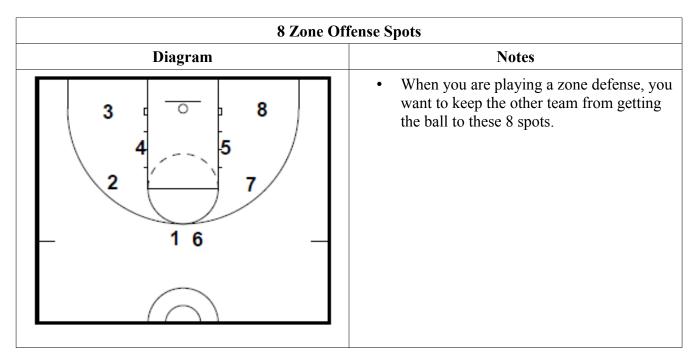


- Thumbs Down: man-to-man, double team the dribble
- Thumbs Up: man-to-man, trap the firs pass
- Double team, step up, take away, take away
 - This is the heart of everything they do defensively
- Slant: double team comes to the ball

- 1-1-3
 - First time trap dribbler, then trap first pass
 - Next time trap the dribbler, then go 2-3



- Next time you play them do Thumbs Down, Thumbs Up, and Slant from zone
- There is no such thing as an always do it or never do it. You may not want to, but sometimes you have to do it.



- Play with hands up and make it look like a 2-3, but then play man-to-man
- Every time the ball is passed, the zone becomes a 2-3

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3	• How do you attack them?	
	• Trap away from the ball	

