

## OHIO AAU GIRLS BASKETBALL DISTRICT QUALIFIER RULES

All NCAA Women's Basketball Rules and AAU Girls Basketball Handbook Rules will be used with the following exceptions and/or emphasizes.

<b>GAME START TIME</b>	No game shall start before the scheduled time, with the exception of the last game of the night
<b>WARM UP</b>	10 minute minimum
<b>PLAYING TIME</b>	8/U                               6-Minute Quarters 9/U, 10/U                       14-Minute Halves 11/U, 12/U, 13/U           16-Minute Halves 14/U, 15/U, 16/U           18-Minute Halves
<b>HALFTIME</b>	6 minutes
<b>OVERTIME</b>	5 minute periods (3 minutes for 8U to 10U)
<b>TIME OUTS</b>	4 full per game + 2 thirty-second, 1 full per overtime
<b>HOME TEAM</b>	Listed first in pool play, or on the top of bracket – wears light colors and sits to left of scorer's table facing floor
<b>SHOT CLOCKS</b>	Two should be provided for each game. Clocks are set at the baseline on the right side of the court when possible, (or above or below the backboard if built-in) 30-second time is set. Clock resets: 1) At start of each possession. A jump ball where the offensive team keeps possession is not a change and does not reset the shot clock. 2) When ball makes contact with the rim. 3) When defense kicks the ball out of bounds.
<b>BONUS</b>	Bonus free throws are shot on opponent's 7 <sup>th</sup> foul. (2 shots on the 10 <sup>th</sup> foul)
<b>FREE THROW LINEUP</b>	6 players in lane (4 defensive and 2 offensive) + shooter Bottom spaces are not used.
<b>LAST MINUTE</b>	The game clock is stopped after a made basket in the last minute of the game and the last minute of any overtime. No substitutions are allowed during this dead ball period unless a time out is called.
<b>30 POINT RULE</b>	If a team has a 30-point lead in the last half of the second half, the clock will continue to run with the exception of time-outs. The running clock discontinues when the lead is less than 30 points.
<b>RUNNING CLOCK</b>	

**BENCH PERSONNEL**

Only AAU registered coaches and players may sit on the team bench. Every team must have at least 2 and no more than 4 registered bench personnel during each game. Due to insurance reasons, no exceptions will be allowed. Any non-registered person sitting on a team bench will be asked by site director to move. Failure to do so may result in ejection from the facility or forfeiture of the game. The tournament director may only forfeit a game only upon consulting with at least one other member of the board of governors.

**SCOREKEEPERS**

Teams may keep their own scorebooks but may not approach the official scorers table without consent from the referees. The first occurrence will result in a warning. After a warning is given, the next occurrence will result in an administrative technical foul.

**BENCH PERSONNEL  
DRESS CODE**

All bench personnel, both male and female, must adhere to the Coaches' Dress Code by wearing a shirt with a collar, long pants or dress shorts/skirts, closed toe shoes, plus no HEAD ATTIRE may be worn while on the bench. Coaches should also note that proper coaching attire should be worn. Coaches not following the proper dress code will be given a warning for the first game the attire is improperly worn. If the violation occurs a second time, the team will be assessed an administrative technical foul.

**CONDUCT**

**Coaches Conduct:** Any coach receiving two technical fouls in a game shall leave the game and the facility as well and shall serve an additional one game suspension.

**Players Conduct:** Player ejected will sit out remainder of the game in which the ejection occurred plus one additional game.

**Spectator Conduct:** Any spectator told to leave by a referee or site director shall leave the game and facility in which the ejection occurred. The game shall be stopped until the fan has left the facility. Failure to leave the facility may result in forfeiture of the game. The director may forfeit a game only upon consulting with at least one other member of the board of governors.

Tournament Directors shall notify the board of governors of any ejections. Board of Governors shall notify in writing and have final decision in all disciplinary actions for all players, coaches, assistants and spectators.