

3 to 4 Hour Refresher Clinic

1) Half Hour Pre Clinic – Registration

2) **30 Min – Opening**

- i. Instructors introduction
- ii. Agenda
- iii. Facility introduction
- iv. Role of the clinic
- v. Role of the "local umpire"
- vi. Use of the Rule book, Case book and Manuals

3) 60 Min – Rules and Definitions

- i. New rules & mechanics for the year, regulation game, force out, tie breaker and double base SP pitching box, defensive charged conference
- ii. Players & Subs, DP/Flex, SP extra player, temporary runner
- iii. Pitching Regulation Feet & Hands
- iv. Batting, batting order, position in box, hitting the ball, hitting the ball completely outside or touching, hitting the ball a second time, batter hits ball or ball hits batter (in or out of box), batter interference, on deck batter, stepping across home plate
- v. Base running, lead-off, stopping between home and 1st, 3 foot line, runner hit by ball, base awards
- vi. Fielding, obstruction, catcher obstruction, tags, scaling fence, interference (runner, spectator, umpire, coaches)

4) 30 Min – Plate Mechanics

- i. Stance
- ii. Mask Mechanics
- iii. Strike Zone
- iv. Movements from Plate

5) 30 Min – Base Mechanics

- i. Responsibilities
- ii. Movement (Ball in Umpire Out/Ball Out Umpire In)
- iii. 4 Elements/Tracking of Ball/Angles

6) 30 Min – Systems

- i. 1 Umpire WBSC
- ii. 2 Umpire WBSC

7) 15 Min - Game Control

- i. Hustle
- ii. Voice
- iii. Respect
- iv. Plate Conference

8) 15 Min – Closing