# 7 STEPS

# PROGRAM REVIEW and RENEW

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### **STEP 1 – NEW PROGRAM RESEARCH**

**1A -** New Program Research Homework – Needs Assessment – Review for Focus \*Winter-Spring HC Program Assessment

### **STEP 2 – SEASON REVIEW - ANALYSIS**

**2A -** Data Analysis: Quality Controls – Benchmarking \*Winter-Spring HC Program Assessment

#### **STEP 3 - CONCEPT TEACHING**

**3A -** Practice Install Plan - Worksheet \*Winter-Spring HC Program Assessment

## **STEP 4** – TRIANGLE OFFENSIVE PRINCIPLES

4A - Teach SIMPLE - "common sense football"

## **STEP 5** - GPLAN TRIANGLE WORKSHEET

**5A -** Game Planning – Play Calling Methodology

### **STEP 6 - PRACTICE STRUCTURE AND DESIGN**

**6A –** Offensive Principles – Thinking – Plan – Drills - Teaching \*Not so much what you do – rather how you do it (yes, practice)

## **STEP 7 – SUMMER CLINIC & CAMP DESIGN**

**7A –** Spring-Summer Program Planning (staff and/or players)

# "Common Sense Football"

# TEACH SIMPLE

#### #1 RULE - Identify if Covered or Uncovered

Covered Defined = "Inside – Over – Outside" (shaded within your body frame)
OLine Covered by DLine (hand on ground generally)
Backs Covered by Backer (Mike is always play side middle backer)
Recs Covered by DB (Corner #1 or Safety #2 or Backer Mr 0 - intentions)

#### #2 RULE - Over Communicate

Make Defensive Recognition Calls (point @ key defenders)
Make Play Cue-Calls (Recs signal call or acknowledge call received)
\*more important we know what we're doing – than Defense thinking they know

### #3 RULE - Triple AAA

ALLIGNMENT - get aligned on ball ASAP - proper spacing – identify Defense ASSIGNMENT - Listen to YOUR cue-call / make proper cue-call for Play ACTION - team take off (TTO - get off the ball) aggressively and confidently

# TEACH SOUND

CRITICAL – Qb sneak and critical game situations ALL the time – everyday BEAT BLITZ - Prepare for the worst – learn to LOVE crazy (NO Time Outs) STAY THE COURSE - stick to your core and use offensive principles (smart)

# TEACH SLOW TO FAST

Show BIG PICTURE – know what people next to you are doing (team)
Work FEET and EYES - teach steps / footwork and landmarks everyday
Practice FAST and FASTER - makes opponent look-feel slow – WE fast

# TRIANGLE OFFENSIVE PRINCIPLES

#1 NUMBERS - Safeties tell all (Qb points @ before every play)

*-1 HIGH* = 8 man front

2 HIGH = 7 man front

-MIKE = Middle Backer in middle or if split then backer aligned toward play side



#2 ANGLES - Find Best Edge +3 tech

-BEST EDGE = DEnd alignment and Mr0
-3 TECH = D-Tackle outside shade on O-Guard

#3 FIELD — Offensive #'s to field OR Put formation strength into the boundary

- **-NUMBERS TO FIELD =** Put speed in space (speed wins over scheme)
- -NUMBERS TO BOUNDARY = Determines if defense is formation or field conscious

## **DEFENSIVE ALIGNMENT RECOGNITION**

#2 Defender (dc) Deep cover OR force		r	Middle Defender Safety Box			#2 Defender (dc) Deep cover OR force	
#1 Def dc/force	Mr-0 EDGE	MIKE			Mr-0 EDGE	#1 Def dc/force	
	#3 DEND	TACKLE BOX	GUT BOX	TACKLE BOX	#3 DEND		
•		B-gap	310	ech	•	•	
X2 ACE RIG	HT - GAT	OR					

## TRIANGLE PLAY CALLING

Core + Compliment + Contrast (blitz beater)

**Step 1:** Go where they are not = attack across a broad front = everyone gets touches **Step 2:** Think 3 plays @ once = check and see what defensive gives you and attack them

Step 3: Always in a good play