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AFL Training Drills for Coaches

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Short Ball Drill 101. ABC Handball with a full turn

Skills	Quick Handball, Long Handball, Handball
Ages	Senior, U/16, U/14, U/12, U/10, U/8
Purpose	Handball under inferred pressure Holding position and time run Highlights the importance of having loud assertive voice Maintaining skills in traffic







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1.

(A) starts with the ball, performs a 360 degree twist turn, then handballs down the line to (B)

Key Points:

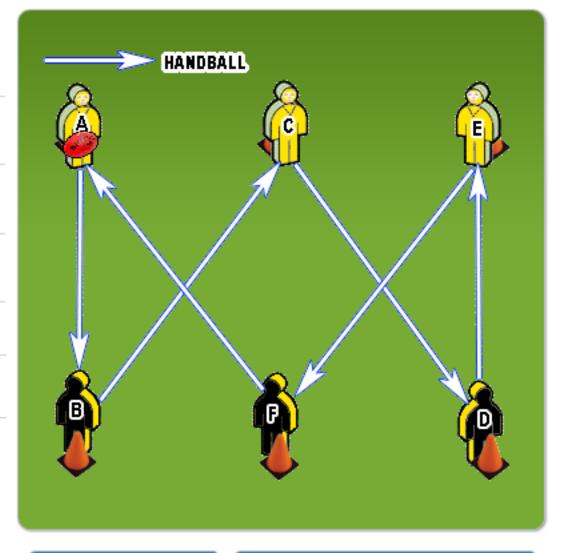
- Every player twists 360 degrees after receiving the ball whilst on the move
- The twist is designed to replicate a player coming out of a disputed contest.
- The receiver must have a loud and consistant voice to direct the handballer, as they may have become disoriented after the turn.

2.

(B) receives the ball, performs a 360 degree twist turn, then handballs diagonally to (C)

Key Points:

- Players must face the target after spinning and not handball around corners
- Players must be clean with take and give



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3.

The exercise continues in this fashion with (C) handballing diagonally to (D), (D) up the line to (E), then (E) diagonally to (F).

4.

(F) then gives to (A), completing the loop.

Key Points: The exercise pattern should look like the ABC TV station logo.