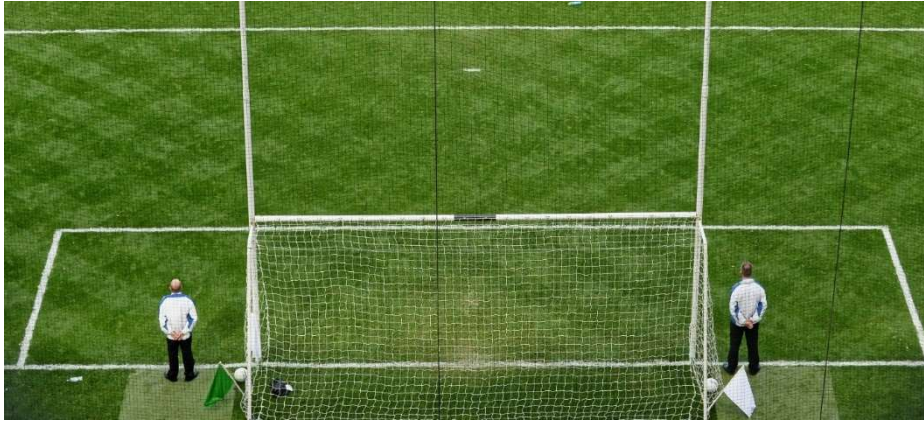


UMPIRE TRAINING FOR GGE PLAYERS

1. Normal Position



Both umpires stand beside either goalpost and focussed on the play.

2. Signalling a Score & Communication

GOAL - Green



POINT - White



The flag only needs to be waved above the head two/three times. Decide before the start who will signal each. The “goal” umpire should **NEVER** signal a point and vice versa but should both agree on the decision before **ONE** umpire makes the signal. If there is disagreement, then **DO NOT SIGNAL**. Call the Referee’s attention and s/he will make a decision.

REMEMBER: The whole of the ball must cross the whole of the line for any score, wide or 45/65 AND the ball must go **BETWEEN** the posts for a score.

3. Signalling a Wide or 45/65

WIDE



45/65



For a wide, the arms are raised directly over the head together and “opened” once and held like this for a few seconds. DO NOT HAVE A FLAG IN THE HAND.

For a 45/65, the umpire moves to the position on the end line where the ball crossed and signals with the arm horizontal and pointing infield for a few seconds.

In both instances, only the umpire on the side of the goals where the ball crossed the end line shall make the signal.

4. Coordination



Note the positions of the umpires.

The umpire behind the goal, the “point umpire” was in position to see if a point was scored while the one on the end line, the “goal

umpire”, was in a position to see if a goal was scored. If both umpires had been behind the goal, they would not have seen that the ball had crossed the line and a goal had been scored. [Watch the clip](#) from min 08:30. All Ireland Semi-Final 2016.