



## Field Umpires Coaching Session

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### 2. Sliding Rule

#### 15.4.5 Prohibited Contact and Payment of Free Kick

A field Umpire shall award a Free Kick against a Player where they are satisfied that the Player has made Prohibited Contact with an opposition Player.

A Player makes Prohibited Contact with an opposition Player if the Player:

(a) makes contact or attempts to make contact with any part of their body with an opposition Player in a manner likely to cause injury;

(i) above the shoulders (including the top of the shoulders or bump to the head); or

**(ii) below the knees.**

Video Examples

<http://www.afl.com.au/video/2014-01-12/2014-laws-of-the-game-forceful-contact-below-the-knees>

<http://www.riddellumpires.com.au/index.php/en/coaching/senior-field-umpires>