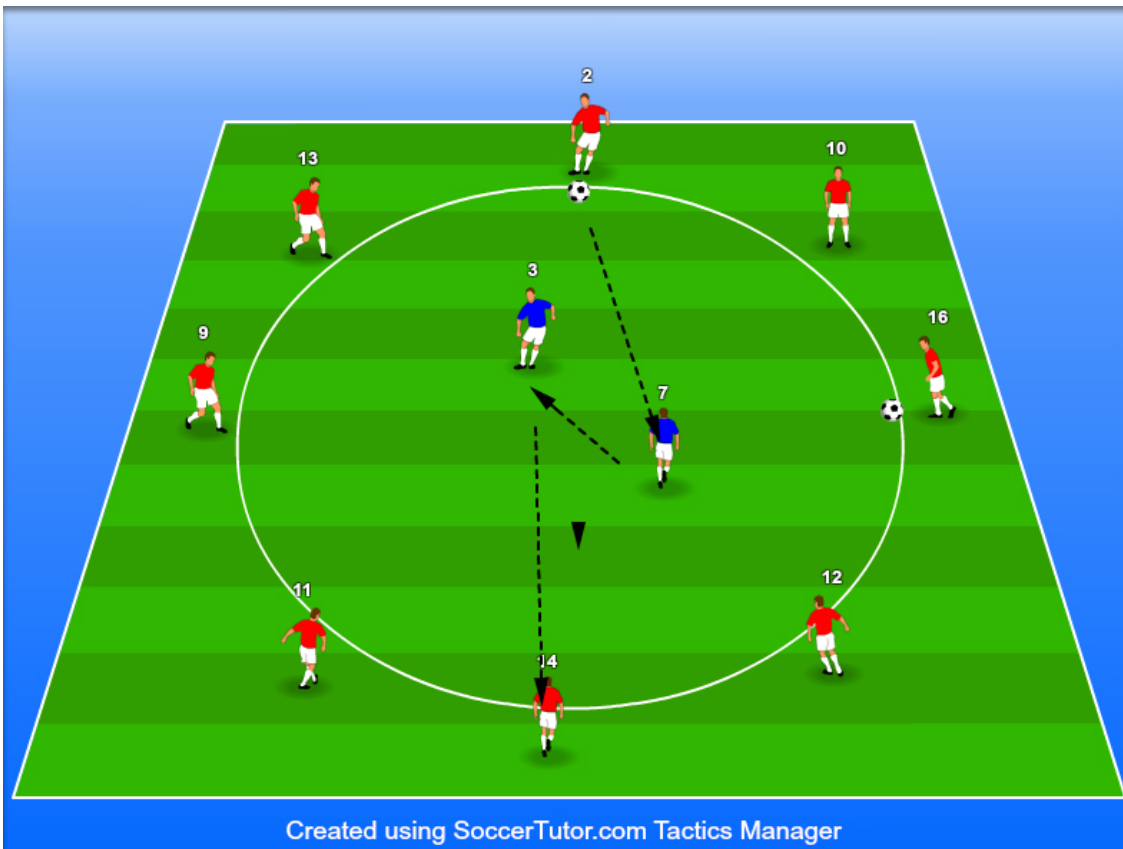




Tactics Manager

Combination circle



Date: 13/Apr/2016

Measurement: 20 x 20 Yards

Time: N/A:N/A

Players: 6

Duration: N/A

Level: U5 - 18+

Objective: Improve passing and receiving skills. Movement off the ball.

Description: Player on the outside passes the ball into the furthest away middle man, who sets the ball for his partner to pass the ball out to a free player. They then play with the other ball on the outside. Keep rotating the player who receives the pass & who plays the pass out.

Coaching Points: Speed and quality of different pass types, so it's easy to control for the receiver. Quality of the movement off the ball and timings of the runs in the middle to keep the passing smooth. Communication from middle players and outside players to demand the ball at appropriate times.

Progression: 1 or 2 touch in the middle. Increase the size of the circle for longer passing and increased difficulty of receiving. Add another pair of middle players so they need to be aware of the other ball/players in the middle.