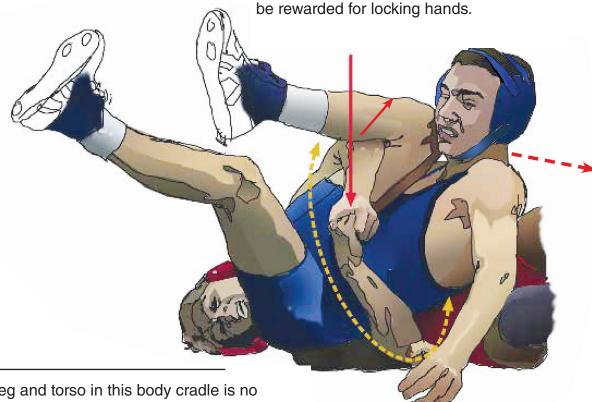


In this situation with leg included it is a **(TV)** when applied by wrestler in the advantage position **(Wrestler "A")**. Stop the match and penalize.

NFHS Rule 7-3-3 states in-part:

"Interlocking or overlapping the hands, fingers or arms around the opponent's body (with or without arms included) or both legs by a wrestler in the advantage position...is a Technical Violation (TV)"

If Wrestler "A" takes Wrestler "B" to a stacked near fall position, Wrestler "A" has committed a (TV) and shall not be rewarded for locking hands.



NOTE: The encircled leg and torso in this body cradle is no different than a locking hands around the torso with an arm encircled. In fact, **Wrestler "B"** is placed even more at a disadvantage with a leg and torso being encircled versus torso encirclement with and arm included, **(TV)**