

## STANDARD RED CARD SUSPENSIONS ARIZONA YOUTH SOCCER ASSOCIATION

No.	Offense	Suspension
1	Second Caution	1 game
2	Foul or Abusive Language directed at anyone other than a game official	1 game
3	Serious Foul Play - Denies an opponent a goal or an obvious goal-scoring opportunity by deliberately handling the ball; Denies an obvious goal-scoring opportunity to an opponent moving towards the player's goal by an offense punishable by a free kick or a penalty kick, in a non -dangerous way (i.e. pulling a jersey).	1 game
4	Serious Foul Play other than above	2 games
5	Violent Conduct	3 games
6	Foul or abusive language directed at a game official	3 games
7	Loan Player Violation	6 games
8	Loan Player Violation (More than 5)	7 games
9	Illegal Player (Over age: non registered)	6 Months minimum

### WHAT HAPPENS WHEN A COACH, ASSISTANT COACH OR PLAYER RECEIVES A RED CARD?

#### LEAGUE PLAY:

Each League has established procedures for their particular situation. Coaches should read and follow the procedures listed for their league play.

#### TOURNAMENTS:

Each tournament will have procedures listed in their rules for dealing with players/coaches ejected from contests. For players/coaches who are ejected from the last game, the tournament is required to send the player/coach pass, referee write-up and player/coach write-up to the AYSA Discipline Committee for disposition. The Committee will determine the penalty and notify the coach of record.

A copy of the [AYSA Suspension Fulfillment Form](#) follows on the next page. Upon receipt of this form, the AYSA office will return the pass to the coach of record.

#### STATE CUP:

Procedures are listed in the Tournament Rules and Regulations. Coaches should be familiar with the printed procedures.

#### REGIONALS:

The US Youth Soccer Region IV Tournament Committee has established procedures for dealing with player/coach ejections. Coaches should be familiar with these procedures.

#### NATIONALS:

The US Youth Soccer National Championship Committee has established procedures for dealing with player/coach ejections. Coaches should be familiar with these procedures.

**IN ANY SITUATION THAT APPEARS TO BE PHYSICAL OR VERBAL ABUSE OR ASSAULT OF A REFEREE, THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ARIZONA YOUTH SOCCER ASSOCIATION HAS SOLE JURISDICTION. (See Bylaw 816 ASSAULT-CENSURE AND SUSPENSION)**