

Madison Soccer Association Discipline Standards

Category	1st Offense	2nd Offense	3rd Offense	4th Offense
Referee Abuse (verbal)	4 games	10 games	Entire Season (20 games)	Banned From League
Referee Abuse (physical)	Entire Season (20 games)	Banned From League		
Player/Fan Abuse (profanity, intimidation, verbal abuse, and bumping)	3 games	8 games	Entire Season (20 games)	Banned From League
Player/Fan Abuse (physical)	Entire Season (20 games)	Banned From League		
Red Card without receiving a prior yellow card (within one season)	1 game	2 games	3 games	4 games
Receipt of 4 yellow cards (within one season)	1 game	2 games	3 games	4 games

* Note each of these are at the discretion of the board of officers

** Each event will also count as a strike against the team as well. After three strikes against a given team, the officers will meet to discuss repercussions with possible expulsion from league.

*** There will be an appeal process allowed, but it will be up to the offending team's manager to gather all evidence and present the case. The case must be presented to the league officers within a week of the event in question. If the decision is being appealed, the player will be allowed to play until a decision has been made. Any suspension would then be served after the decision. In the event of extreme cases (physical abuse) the officers have the right to still suspend the offending player until a decision is made on the long term consequences.