



## Hockey Brandon



### Penalties and Suspensions per Hockey Manitoba

On behalf of Hockey Brandon and Hockey Manitoba, please find the following information regarding penalties and suspensions. These are the more common infractions. This information and other suspension guidelines are found in the Hockey Manitoba handbook and their website.

Some teams that play in other leagues (Hockey Winnipeg, Parkissimo, RMFHL or the SWRHL) may have specific rules that apply to league play. If not, we follow the regulations set out by Hockey Manitoba. Leagues may lengthen a suspension, however, they cannot lessen the guidelines set out by our Branch.

Below you will find a list of penalties and/or suspensions that may apply. If you ever have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the following Hockey Manitoba representative for our region:

**Glen Parker                    204-724-6089 Any time**

We may need to wait until the referee report is received to provide a final ruling. Referees do not deal with suspensions only penalties. Please do not question an on-ice official, timekeeper or scorekeeper with regards to a suspension.

#### **Infraction**

- Game Misconduct in last 10 minutes
- Checking from Behind - Major Penalty
- Checking from Behind Major & Game Misc in last 10 min.
- Checking to the Head - Major Penalty
- Checking to the Head Major & Game Misc. in last 10 min.
- Fighting
- Fighting / Instigator
- Match Penalties\*
- Gross Misconduct\*
- Profane & Abusive Language towards game official\*

#### **Suspension**

- 1 Game
- 1 Game
- 2 Games
- 1 Game
- 2 Games
- 1 Game - 1<sup>st</sup> Offence
- 2 Games - 1<sup>st</sup> Offence
- 3 Games Minimum
- 2 Games Minimum
- 2 Games - 1<sup>st</sup> Offence

#### **Game Ejection: Does not result in a suspension**

- 3 Stick Infractions (Butt-Ending, Cross-Checking, High Sticking, Slashing or Spearing)
- 4 Minor Penalties

**Tournament Play:** players receiving a Match Penalty or Gross Misconduct, shall be suspended for the balance of the tournament.

\*Denotes referee report