



## VIOLATION CODES

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| C1: Unsporting Behavior   | S1: Serious Foul Play   |
| C2: Shows dissent by word or action   | S2: Violent Conduct (min 2 game)  |
| C3: Persistently infringes the Laws of the Game                                     | S3: Spits at an opponent or any other person (min 2 game)   |
| C4: Delays the Restart of Play  | S4: Denies an opponent a goal or obvious Goal scoring opportunity by deliberately Handling the ball |
| C5: Fails to respect the required distance when play is restarted with a free kick. | S5: Denies an obvious goal-scoring opportunity to an opponent moving toward the player's goal       |
| C6: Enters or Re-enters the field of play without the Referee's permission          | S6: Uses offensive, insulting or abusive language   |
| C7: Deliberately leaves the field of play without the Referee's permission          | S7: Receives a second caution in the same match   |

**Yellow cards do not need to be reported to CSA unless the yellows result in a Red card violation.**

All Violent Conduct (S2) and Spitting (S3) violations require an **automatic 2 game suspension**.

**NOTE: Any incident of referee assault or referee abuse by a player, coach, manager, club official, or game official must be reported to the alleged offender's home State Association, or member thereof immediately, but in no event later than 48 hours after an incident of referee assault or abuse.**

**Be sure to include details of any other matters involving the improper or unsporting conduct of a team, its players, coaches or supporters.**