Misconduct VS Game Misconduct

A misconduct (MISC) is generally issued when the ref just wants to get the player off the ice and out of the play to cool off - the players serves the 10 minutes in the penalty box. (unless there is less than 10 minutes left in the game, then they may go to the dressing room). Misconduct is written on the game sheet as MISC.

A game misconduct is generally issued alongside a major (5 min) penalty, and results in ejection from the game. A game misconduct should be entered on game sheet as GM. Any time there is a GM on your game sheet, there should also be a ref report for the incident. For example, if a players gets a charging major - it will be recorded on the game sheet as CHG 5 min with the offending player's number and the number of the player serving it, then the next line underneath it will say GM 10 min, with the offending players number.