

Discipline - Minor Infractions

Section 11b

- 11b.1 In the case of minor infractions, EYBA Discipline shall assume responsibility for determining necessary additional penalties, enforcing penalties and for any other disciplinary actions.
- 11b.2 Minor Infractions**
- 11b.3 Game Sheets
- 11b.3.1 All Players, who are at the game, must be listed on the front of the game sheet in numerical order, with the Player's last name first followed by the given name or initial. Before the start of the game the referees in consultation with the minor officials will check the score sheet is filled out properly.
- 11b.3.2 PENALTY: A technical foul may be assessed for violation.
- 11b.4 Notification
- 11b.4.1 Either team is responsible to post the game score within 48 hours of the completion of that game by logging into the RAMP Scoring section of the EYBA website. The Coach, Manager, Responsible Adult must be able to produce any score sheets requested by the EYBA within 2 business days of the scoresheet being requested. Failure to enter the score within 48 hours may result in a 0-0 score being entered.
- 11b.4.2 For all games, where players are given two technical fouls, ejected, or for games where other disciplinary actions must be reported, copies of the game sheet need to be emailed to the EYBA office for distribution to EYBA Discipline. Additional written reports of the incidents will also be required.
- 11b.5 Jewelry/Fingernails
- 11b.5.1 Prior to the commencement of the game the Referees and Coaches will check that Players are not wearing any jewelry and / or watches. As per the EBOA and Canada Basketball, there is no longer an exception for religious medals and/or medic alert medals.
- 11b.5.2 Fingernails must be trimmed to no longer than 1/8" past the end of the finger. Fingernails that are shaped to come to a point are prohibited.
- 11b.5.3 PENALTY: Players refusing to comply will not be permitted to play.
- 11b.6 Required / Medical Equipment
- 11b.6.1 Any required external medical equipment such as diabetic pumps, feed tubes etc are permitted to be worn without question as they are essential to the health and well being of the athlete. Equipment must be covered and or taped to ensure the safety of the athlete and their fellow participants.
- 11b.6.2 PENALTY: Players refusing to comply will not be permitted to play.
- 11b.7 Player Equipment

- 11b.7.1 The referee shall not permit any player to wear equipment, or any other item, that in his or her sole judgment is dangerous to other players. In the event of a conflict between the judgment of the referee and the regulations specified in 11b.7.2 to 11b.7.7, the judgment of the referee shall take precedence.
- 11b.7.2 Elbow, hand, finger, wrist or forearm guards, casts or braces made of fiberglass, plaster, metal or any other non-pliable substance, shall be prohibited.
- 11b.7.3 The prohibition of the use of hard-substance material does not apply to the upper arm, shoulder, thigh or lower leg when the material is SUFFICIENTLY PADDED SO AS NOT TO CREATE A HAZARD TO OTHER PLAYERS.
- 11b.7.4 Pliable (flexible or easily bent) material, covered on all exterior sides and edges with no less than 1/2-inch thickness of slow-rebounding foam, may be used to immobilize and/or protect an injury.
- 11b.7.5 ANY equipment that could cut or cause an injury to another player shall be prohibited, without respect to whether the equipment is hard or pliable.
- 11b.7.6 Fingernails must be trimmed to no longer than 1/8" past the end of the finger. Fingernails that are shaped to come to a point are prohibited.
- 11b.7.7 Equipment used shall be appropriate for basketball. Basketball knee braces may be worn if they are covered properly. A protector for a broken nose, even though made of hard material, shall be permissible only when it does not endanger other players. Eyeglass protectors are appropriate equipment when they meet the qualifications outlined in this Rule.
- 11b.7.8 PENALTY: Players refusing to remove the offending equipment will not be permitted to play.
- 11b.8 Unsportsmanlike Conduct
- 11b.8.1 Coaches, Managers, Responsible Adults, Players, Parents or Spectators shall not show disrespect to the Referees or Officials, the opposing Coach, Manager, Responsible Adult, Players, Parents or Spectators. They will not make disparaging comments regarding the Referees, Officials or another Player or Team ("trash talk").
- 11b.8.2 PENALTY: This violation will be referred to EYBA Discipline for initial processing. Progressive disciplinary action may be applied with repeat offenders.
- 11b.9 Ineligible Player
- 11b.9.1 Teams that use an ineligible Player(s) will, at a Minimum, lose the game in which the Player participated.
- 11b.9.2 PENALTY: This violation may result in more serious penalties if ordered by EYBA Discipline, up to and including a suspension of the team for the balance of the season. Progressive disciplinary action may be applied with repeat offenders.
- 11b.10 Objectionable Demonstrations (Minor)

- 11b.10.1 There shall under no circumstances be objectionable demonstrations such as taunting another Player / team or to express disapproval of the decision of a Referee. This includes throwing balls or other equipment in a forceful manner.
- 11b.10.2 **PENALTY:** Anyone doing so will immediately receive a warning from the Referee. A direct technical foul may also be issued against the individual responsible. Continued Objectionable Demonstrations may result in ejection from the gymnasium. The violation may be referred to EYBA Discipline for further processing. Progressive disciplinary action may be applied with repeat offenders