

REFEREE REPORT FORM

Note: use a separate sheet for each offence/player/coach

Reported person: _____ **Team:** _____ **Cap Number:** _____

Date of match: _____ **Venue:** _____

Home team: _____ **Cap colour:** _____

Visiting team: _____ **Cap colour:** _____

Referee(s) name(s): _____

Charge – Disrespect Grade 1 <input type="checkbox"/>	Disrespect Grade 2 <input type="checkbox"/>	Brutality <input type="checkbox"/>
Violence Grade 1 <input type="checkbox"/>	Violence Grade 2 <input type="checkbox"/>	Bench Red Card <input type="checkbox"/>

Details of incident/s (including quarter and time, any issues leading up to the incident, any cautions/yellow cards issued, exact details of the incident specifying all aspects in detail) – use back of sheet if insufficient room below:

Action Incident Off the Ball Incident

Reporting Referee/s Signature: Reporting Referee/s Contact details:

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1. **Referee completes report and emails** to competitions@waterpolosa.com.au or 0413 861 930 **within 2 hours** of the completion of the game.
 2. The **Competitions and Events Officer** provides a copy of the report to the **Director of Competition and Grading and the players Club within 48 hours** – this can be provided by a picture/scan and/or emailed to the relevant Club Delegate - Board Member. It is the clubs responsibility to inform the player of the penalty incurred as per the WPSA Judiciary Policy.
 3. If the Club whose player has been reported decides to appeal they do so directly to the Director of Competition and Grading within 48 hours by email to competitions@waterpolosa.com.au after payment of the \$100 fee by the Club. **An independent tribunal will be formed and the Club/Player will be informed of the decision within 7 days.**

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Grading of Offences:

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For Referees and the Tribunal the following guidelines may be used. However, each case must be individually considered when determining the grading of offences:

Misconduct - Disrespect/Disobedience: Examples of Grade 1 include:

- Unacceptable language
- Equipment abuse
- Disobedience
- Disrespect
- Splashing
- Any other occurrences determined by the reporting official

Examples of Grade 2 include:

- All of Grade 1 (depending on the circumstances)
- Attempted contact that may have caused injury if contact had been made
- Minor Contact (no injury)
- Persistent foul or rough play
- Continuous disrespect
- Any other occurrences determined by the reporting official

Misconduct - Violence

Examples of Grade 1 include:

- All of Misconduct (depending on the circumstances)
- Attempting to kick an opponent
- Attempting to strike an opponent
- Unwelcome and deliberate contact to sensitive body part (e.g. female breast, genitals)
- Any other occurrences determined by the reporting official

Examples of Grade 2 include:

- All of Grade 1 (depending on the circumstances)
- Kicking an opponent
- Striking an opponent
- Persistent foul or rough play
- Unwelcome and deliberate contact to sensitive body part (e.g. female breast, genitals)
- Continuous disrespect
- Any other occurrences determined by the reporting official

There is no grading for brutality or threats of brutality.