POLICY STATEMENT

Professionalism at an educational institution is reflected in significant measure by the appearance and manner of our faculty and staff. It is necessary to establish guidelines for maintaining and enhancing the University’s image. Although there is no University-wide policy that outlines a dress code for most employees, some departments call for certain standards of dress for a particular work area. If you have questions about appropriate dress for a particular situation, please contact your supervisor.

PURPOSE

All National University of Health Sciences (NUHS) employees are expected to maintain acceptable standards of personal grooming and present a professional appearance at all times. As a result, employees must adhere to individual department dress codes. Violation of department dress codes will result in appropriate corrective measures when necessary.

While NUHS values diversity of opinion and freedom of expression, discretion in the style of dress can be important to the effective operation of the University. Employees are expected to dress in a manner in keeping with their job functions and working environment. Questions regarding appropriate dress should be discussed with the employee's supervisor.

NUHS reserves the right to determine what dress is appropriate. Modifications proposed and mutually agreed upon by the supervisor in a given department may also apply.