



Inter-Office Communication

Radiology Department Dress Code For RADM 5000 Electives Medical Students

Professional conduct and appropriate attire are expected of all Radiology Department medical students as well as other members. This is how we present ourselves to our radiology faculty, patients, staff and colleagues. It is hospital and departmental policy to wear visible medical student name tags at all times.

Required dress code guidelines are as follows:

1. Male residents: Conservative business or professional-quality long or short sleeve shirts with a collar, non-denim dress pants and footwear. Tie is suggested but optional. High-quality boots are acceptable but workboots are not.
2. Female residents: Conservative business or professional-quality dress pants OR a skirt and collared long or short-sleeve dress shirt OR a business-style dress, OR other professional-quality apparel. Professional or business-quality footwear is required. Regarding pants, they should be full-length, clean and wrinkle free. Stockings are optional. High-quality boots are acceptable but workboots are not.

Body piercings, except earrings in women, are prohibited. Visible tattoos or "body art" is considered unprofessional in the medical setting and is not acceptable.

Male and female jewelry should be conservatively styled. Male earrings are not conservative in this community at this time.

White coats worn over your clothes are recommended in areas of direct patient contact or visibility and at interdepartmental conferences.

Medical students who are not appropriately dressed will be counseled in proper dress for the hospital workplace at the first occurrence. At the second occurrence they will be sent home to obtain proper dress, with the time charged as missing clinical experience as pertaining to the attendance requirements of the medical student radiology elective. A third occurrence will require more intensive investigation and action.

For more details, please review the MCG Student code :

<http://www.mcg.edu/students/handbook/studentcode.html> list in parts 3.0 g and 4.0, brief descriptions of appropriate dress and ID requirement for medical students.