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Re: Addendum 1.0 – Program Catalog & Student Reference Guide

Section: Dress Code Policy

Sub-section: Grooming and Hygiene (Replace with below).

Grooming standards and uniform dress code must be maintained throughout the duration of the program. The uniform for outside training shall be at the discretion of the instructor(s) of the day. The instructor will indicate the appropriate uniform for the activity to be performed.

*** Firefighter I & II classes will wear the minimum of a fire helmet with face shield down and safety shoes at all times for minimum level of safety while on the fire ground.

Grooming and Hygiene:

- Male students must
 - be clean shaven
 - have mustache trimmed to the edge of the mouth
 - Sideburns need to be trimmed to the center of the ear and hair not touching their collar
- Hair – male and female
 - required to be of natural color
 - secured in a bun, or some neat style, above the collar (no pony tails)
- No headbands, wraps, bandanas, hats, ribbons, hair accessories, etc.
- Fingernails must
 - be of short, natural length and not exceed the length of the finger
 - have no polish or clear polish only
- No jewelry of any kind (including but not limited to earrings, necklaces, bracelets, nose rings or any other accessory). Wedding ring is permitted.
- No sunglasses on campus or while participating in clinical and rides
- Students shall be free of perfumes

The acceptable daily classroom, ride, hospital and fire ground uniform:

- Issued Coral Springs Regional Institute of Public Safety shirt
 - Firefighter I & II: grey CSRIPS logo t-shirt
 - EMS: grey collared CSRIPS logo shirt

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- Coral Springs Regional Institute of Public Safety Sweatshirt (CSRIPS uniform shirt must be worn underneath and no other sweatshirt, jacket, sweater or any other outerwear is accepted)
- Navy blue uniform pants (Straight leg or BDU)
- Black belt (Leather or Tactical)
- Black/blue/grey socks
- Black ANSI certified safety toe boots or shoes
- Wrist watch (EMT-Basic and EMT-Paramedic students only)
- Stethoscope (EMT-Basic students only)

Physical Training:

- CSRIPS t-shirt
- Dark blue or black shorts (basketball style shorts; not to exceed 1" above the knee)
- White/black/blue/grey socks
- Sneakers

Fire Ground Requirements (in addition to the acceptable daily uniform above):

- NFPA compliant bunker coat
- NFPA compliant bunker pants w/suspenders
- NFPA compliant protective Nomex® hood
- NFPA compliant fire gloves
- NFPA fire helmet with 4" face shield

All uniforms noted above can be amended by the Program Director, Chief Training Officer or his/her designee. Any changes to the policy will be in compliance with the National Fire Protection Agency (NFPA) and Department of Health (DOH).

Tattoos:

Should a student have any visible tattoos on the body, students shall cover them. I.e. a black, white or gray long sleeved shirt should be worn underneath the uniform shirt to cover tattoos on the arms.