

Our Christian Witness

Please remember that LifeChangers is a mission experience. Participants are on mission at all times: at work sites, at the lodging facility and during free-time activities. The residents of the community will be watching as the week goes on. **How we dress is an important part of our witness.** Participants should make a special effort to wear clothes that are modest and appropriate for the work to which we have been called.

Dress Code

- **Sleeved shirts** are to be worn by all participants at all times (**NO spaghetti straps or midriffs – this includes dresses**) at the work sites, worship, the lodging facility and on the way to and from the showers. If the sleeves are torn off the shirt, it no longer meets the code.
- Long pants must be worn at the work sites. Pants made of **heavy** cloth, like denim, are preferred especially for those working on roofs. Old Khaki pants work well.
- Shorts are acceptable at the lodging facility. Shorts should be of modest length. **No short shorts!** (Some have tested this policy in the past!) You will be asked to change if your shorts are too short.
- Participants are to be fully dressed in accordance with this dress code any time they are outside their assigned room at the lodging facility. Shorts or long pants and a sleeved shirt are required in hallway, in worship, and in route to and from the shower and rest room facilities.
- Durable shoes with closed toes must be worn at the work sites. Sandals and flip flops are not acceptable. Shoes or boots with heavy soles are highly recommended.
- One piece bathing suits are preferred for young women but we realize these are hard to find. Two piece bathing suits (including tankinis) may be worn with a **dark** tee shirt over them.

Enforcement of the Dress Code

- Group leaders are asked to review the dress code with participants before leaving for LC. Please be certain everyone in your group, including youth and adult participants, understand what is required and what is prohibited.
- Group leaders will be asked to enforce the dress code among participants in their church groups during the project.
- The project coordinator will remind participants and group leaders of the dress code when necessary.
- **Violation of the dress code at work sites may result in participants being transported back to the lodging facility. Participants will not be allowed to work if not dressed according to the dress code. This is for YOUR SAFETY!**
- If necessary, the project coordinator will take appropriate action to ensure that all participants follow the dress code.