RowanSOM 1\textsuperscript{st} and 2\textsuperscript{nd} Year Dress Code

While receiving instruction at Rowan SOM it is expected that 1\textsuperscript{st} and 2\textsuperscript{nd} year students should not dress shabbily or unprofessionally. As physicians in training, it is important to maintain a clean, well-kept, professional outward appearance. Poor student appearance to visiting lecturers, prospective students and other guests provides an unfavorable impression of our students and our school.

Specific Restrictions:
- No pajama tops or bottoms
- No sweatpants
- No gym clothes
- No torn clothing
- No short shirts – ones that show an exposed midriff
- No short shorts – ones that are above the mid-thigh
- No shirts with low or plunging necklines – ones that show too much chest
- No clothing with offensive or unprofessional images or wording
- No flip flops
- Open toe shoes that are not flip-flops are permitted on campus but should not be worn in Kennedy Hospital.

Exceptions:
- Gym clothes/Sweatpants are permitted in the fitness facility.
- Gym clothes/Sweatpants are permitted in the OMM lectures and lab. Students should not wear this attire to lectures before OMM.
- Scrubs are permitted and encouraged in the Anatomy Lab and may also be worn during Anatomy lectures before and after Anatomy lab. Scrubs should NOT be worn routinely 8AM-5PM on other days
- Sweatpants and “more comfortable” clothing are permitted for students studying on campus before 8AM and after 5 PM Monday through Fridays, weekends and school holidays.
- Sweatpants and “more comfortable” clothing are permitted for taking examinations. Students should not wear this attire to lectures before or after exams.

SOM staff, faculty and administration may ask any student to go home and change for failing to comply with the above appropriate dress code. Repeat violators may be referred for a disciplinary action.