



RECREATION FACILITY DRESSING ROOM POLICY

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1. RECREATION FACILITY

- 1.1 Recreation Facility Dressing rooms are areas that can be considered to be both public and private. Dressing rooms are places for changing attire, team building, motivational speaking, and at times, regrettably, areas that breach societies set expectation for public behaviour and trust.
- 1.2 The role of the facility management and front-line staff to maintain these areas in a safe manner requires the group using these facilities to set an example.

2. DRESSING ROOM RULES

- 2.1 Please make sure your area is clean at all times.
- 2.2 Be respectful of your teammates.
- 2.3 If you are playing music, use earbuds, headphones or please keep volume to a low, as some lyrics may be offensive to some.
- 2.4 While using these facilities please make sure that the room is left clean for the next group.

3. DISPOSAL OF GARBAGE

- 3.1 It is not uncommon to see separate disposal units dedicated for biohazard material, like syringes for diabetics and used bandages within a facility.

- 3.2 By eliminating these items from the regular stream of garbage where other patrons can see or come in contact with them is important both for patron safety and a perception of cleanliness of these areas.

4. THE FOLLOWING ITEMS SHOULD BE REGARDED AS INDUSTRY BEST

- 4.1 Dressing room use is a privilege not an expected right of all users. Breaches of this policy and/or standard of use expectations may result in the loss of this privilege.
- 4.2 Dressing room areas are an extension of a facility patron's homes – cleanliness and upkeep of these areas is a joint responsibility of users and facility staff.
- 4.3 Facility staff are in a relationship of trust with those who enter and use public recreation centres it is everyone's responsibility to report misbehavior, inappropriate conduct and/or vandalism.