



Construction Dress Code and Proper Safety Equipment

Proper clothing is as essential to safety as the proper selection and use of tools.
Know and follow the Habitat dress code!

Footwear

- **Closed toe shoes** only.
- Work boots are preferred but thick-soled tennis shoes are allowed.

Shirts

- Shirts are **required at all times**.
- **NO** tank tops, tube tops, spaghetti string tops, or halter-tops are allowed.
- All **undergarments must be covered**.

Loose clothing is dangerous around power tools.

Ear Plugs

- Are provided by Habitat.
- Are available for all construction site volunteers/workers **using a power tool** or when **instructed by a Habitat construction site crew chief or safety officer**.

Jewelry

- Must **not be** dangly or bulky.

Pants/Shorts

- **Long pants** are preferred.
- However, shorts are permitted, but **cannot be shorter than mid-thigh**.
- **No overly baggy pants** should be worn.

Dust Masks

- Are provided by Habitat.
- Are available for all construction site volunteers/workers **installing insulation, sanding**, or when **instructed by a Habitat construction site crew chief or safety officer**.

Protective Glasses

- Are provided by Habitat, and are available for all construction site volunteers/workers.
- A worker **MUST** wear protective glasses any time he or she is **operating a power tool** or when **instructed by a Habitat construction site crew chief or safety officer**.

No **iPods, MP3 players or other listening devices** that may impede ability to hear.

Every person, on a Habitat construction work site, whether you are **a volunteer, partner family, or worker**, should wear clothes and gloves that are appropriate for the **work and weather conditions**.



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