

# New Mexico BUSINESS PROFESSIONALS OF AMERICA PROFESSIONAL DRESS CODE

Professional dress is required for the following New Mexico Business Professionals of America events and activities: General Sessions, Competitive Events (judged, non-judged, and open), Campaign Rallies, Caucuses, and Workshops.

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## WOMEN:

- Pant or skirt suit.
- Dress skirt or dress slacks with coordinated blouse and/or sweater.
- BPA blazer with dress skirt or slacks and blouse or sweater.
- Dress shoes or dress sandals with heel are required with all of the above.
- Skirt length may be no greater than two inches above the top of the knee.
- Denim excluded from all of the above.



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## MEN:

- Dress slacks, dress shirt and tie.
- Suit or sport coat are optional.
- BPA blazer with dress slacks, dress shirt, and tie.
- Dress shoes and dress socks are required with all of the above.
- Denim excluded from all of the above.



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## WHAT NOT TO WEAR

### THE FOLLOWING ARE UNACCEPTABLE DURING BPA ACTIVITIES:

- Strapless shirts, spaghetti straps, tube tops, halter tops and midriff tops.
- Skirts shorter than 2 inches from top of knee.
- Spandex, lycra or transparent clothing.
- Cutoffs or ragged clothing.
- Clothing with inappropriate words or images.
- Swim suits must be covered with appropriate attire while in any area other than the swimming pool or designated sunbathing area.