The Simulation Program Operating Policy and Procedure Manual

**SIM OP:** 90.085 Professional Conduct: Dress Code for TTUHSC Users

**PURPOSE:** This TTUHSC Simulation Program policy is to establish a professional conduct and dress code to comply with TTUHSC policy and provide a safe and professional work and learning environment.

**REVIEW:** The Simulation Program OP will be reviewed September 1 of each even-numbered year by the Executive Director of the Centers.

**POLICY/PROCEDURE**

1.0 **Policy**

While engaged in clinical activities in a TTUHSC simulation center, users will demonstrate professional conduct, act professionally, dress appropriately for the simulation activity, and comply with both TTUHSC Operating Policies and Simulation Program policies.

2.0 **Procedure**

A. TTUHSC Identification Badges must be visible.

B. Attire – While participating in a formalized simulation-based clinical activity in the simulation center, users are required to wear appropriate professional attire (suitable for the setting of the simulation experience).

To maintain and role model professionalism, during formalized simulation-based activities, clinical attire is identified as business casual, uniforms, lab coats or scrubs.

C. Professional conduct includes adherence to HIPAA standards and confidentially related to all simulation-based experiences to include, but not limited to: debrief, feedback, testing, and OSCEs.

D. Standardized Patients, simulators and manikins are to be treated with consideration and respect (appropriate draping and privacy, etc.).