GETTING THE RIGHT FIT

How to Measure Hem Length

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What is the best way to ensure that your uniform garments will fit properly?

Because there is currently no true standard for uniform garment sizing, manufacturers use different patterns to make their garments, and fit varies according to the pattern dimensions. The only way to guarantee a proper fit is to try on the actual garments you will be wearing.

To save time and reducing expenses, many organizations have adopted the use of fit sets. Fit sets are a full range of sizes of the actual uniform pants and shirts an agency will use in their uniform program.

Fit sets mirror how people shop for their own personal garments — selecting garments off the rack and trying them on in a fitting room. Learn how fit sets can save time and money in our free guide.

FREE GUIDE:

How to Get Better Fitting Uniforms That Save Time and Money





THE RIGHT LENGTH

How do you measure hem length?

The only measurement needed is the inseam of the pants.

INSEAM MEASUREMENT STEPS

- Have the employee select a pair of well-fitting pants. Lay the pants on a flat surface and smooth out the wrinkles.

 Place the start of the measuring tape at the highest point of the crotch seam on one pant.
- Next, measure from the crotch seam down to the bottom of the pant. Round the measurement to the nearest half inch for the inseam measurement.



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