












MEMBER CODE OF CONDUCT

The YMCA is committed to providing a safe and welcoming environment for all members and guests. To promote safety and comfort for all, all individuals are asked to act appropriately at all times when in our facility or participating in our programs.

We expect persons using the YMCA to act maturely, to behave responsibly, and to respect the rights and dignity of others. Our Member's Code of Conduct outlines prohibited action, but the actions listed below are not an all-inclusive list of behaviors considered inappropriate in our facilities or programs.

PROHIBITED ACTIONS

-  Using or possessing alcohol or illegal chemicals on YMCA property, in YMCA vehicles, or at YMCA-sponsored programs
-  Smoking on YMCA property – the YMCA and its property is a smoke-free environment
-  Carrying or concealing a weapon or any device or object that may be used as a weapon
-  Harassment, intimidation or abuse by words (vulgarity, swearing, name-calling, shouting), gestures, body language, or any type of menacing behavior
-  Physical contact with another person in an angry, aggressive, or threatening way
-  Sexually explicit conversation or behavior; any sexual contact with another person
-  Inappropriate, immodest, or sexually revealing attire
-  Theft or behavior that results in the destruction or loss of property
-  Loitering within or on the grounds of the YMCA

In addition, The YMCA reserves the right to deny access or membership to any person who has been accused or convicted of any crime involving sexual abuse, is or has been a registered sex offender, or is presently or habitually under the influence of dangerous drugs or chemicals, narcotics, or intoxicating beverages.

Members and guests are encouraged to take responsibility for their personal comfort and safety by asking any person whose behavior threatens their comfort to refrain from such behavior. Anyone who feels uncomfortable in confronting a person directly should report the behavior to a staff person. YMCA staff members are eager to be of assistance. Members and guests should not hesitate to notify a staff member if assistance is needed.

In order to be able to carry out these policies, we ask that members and guests identify themselves to staff when asked.

All incidents will be investigated and may subsequently result in suspension or termination of YMCA membership privileges.

Members are also responsible for ensuring the behavior of their guests align with the above Code of Conduct when on YMCA property or participating in YMCA programming.