

Section 14 - Discipline

New York State Law Enforcement Accreditation Program

14.1 Rules of Conduct – **CRITICAL STANDARD**

ADMINISTRATION

STANDARD 14.1 **The agency has a written directive specifying the rules of conduct and appearance for all personnel, both sworn and non-sworn.**

Compliance Verification Strategies

The agency may seek to prove compliance with this standard by using one or more of the strategies listed below. There may be other strategies identified by the agency which could also be acceptable.

1. A copy of the written directive is available for review.
2. Interviews with selected personnel will verify that agency personnel understand the rules of conduct and appearance.
3. Observations of agency personnel can be conducted to verify that the policy is being followed.