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Take Your Daughters & Sons to Work Day

Our university community will celebrate the Take our Daughters and Sons to Work Day Program. This is an amazing opportunity for our FIU parents to not only show their children what they do during the work day, but also, expose them to the value of higher education at our Worlds Ahead University. To read more, including schedules of activities, click [here](#).

2013 Summer Dress Attire

To accommodate for our South Florida summer weather, we will begin our summer casual attire on Monday, May 6th through Friday, August 16th.

During this period, faculty and staff are permitted to wear business casual attire throughout the work week. Vice Presidents, Deans, Directors, and/or Department Heads are encouraged to set guidelines for appropriate attire based on the operations and business needs of their respective units. Please keep in mind that business attire should always be worn when representing the University at meetings and/or events in which this style of dress is most appropriate.

I. Appropriate business casual attire includes:

- Polo Shirts (with or without the FIU logo or department name)
- Casual Slacks (i.e. Dockers, Chinos, Khakis, or a similar style of pants)
- Ladies Slacks
- Jeans (Fridays only – please do not wear jeans with holes or that are faded, as they detract from the professional environment we desire at FIU.)

II. Clothing and footwear excluded from business casual attire include:

- T-shirts
- Halter Tops
- Tube Tops
- Tank Tops
- Leggings
- Sweat Pants
- Capri Pants
- Shorts
- Sneakers
- Thong sandals/Flip Flops

We realize that some may have official medical reasons for wearing special footwear; therefore, exceptions are made to accommodate your needs. We thank you in advance for your understanding and cooperation. Should you have questions, please contact the Human Resources Service Center at 305-348-2181. Have an enjoyable and safe summer!

Campus Updates

FIU Health Expands Services to Broward County

The Herbert Wertheim College of Medicine's Faculty Group Practice continues to expand, adding convenience and benefits for our university community. Since 2011, FIU Health physicians and staff have been sharing their wealth of experience and commitment to providing state-of-the-art, comprehensive care to their patients at the Modesto A. Maidique Campus. In November 2012, FIU Health opened a second group practice in association with Broward Health.

Now, as a way to continue to expand its reach to patients in northern Miami-Dade and Broward, FIU Health began to offer primary care/family medicine services at its Faculty Group Practice – Broward location on April 17. With the addition of Sandra Sarmiento, MD, a family medicine physician who currently also provides service at the Modesto A. Maidique Campus, patients ages 13 and older are now able to receive preventive health maintenance and general care through routine physicals and well-care visits; chronic disease management and screenings (for diabetes, high blood pressure, asthma, obesity, high cholesterol and depression); and acute care (for injuries, fever, nausea/vomiting, urinary tract infections, sprains, ear aches, headaches and rash or other skin abnormality). On site diagnostics (electrocardiograms/EKGs) and laboratory services will also be available.

Primary care/family medicine appointments with Dr. Sarmiento are available at the Broward practice on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, during regular office hours which are

- Wednesday, 9:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
- Thursday, 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
- Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Dr. Sarmiento will still continue to see patients at the Faculty Group Practice – MMC location on Mondays and Tuesdays.

The Broward practice also provides outpatient psychiatric services for children, adolescents and adults by psychiatrists and clinicians from the HWCOM Department of Psychiatry.

The FIU Health Faculty Group Practice – Broward is located on the campus of Broward Health Medical Center at 1600 S. Andrews Avenue, West Wing Suite 1090 in Fort Lauderdale.

To make an appointment or for more information call (954) 523-2727 or visit health.fiu.edu.

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