

## CODE OF CONDUCT

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Maryland FBLA has an excellent reputation throughout Maryland and the nation. Your behavior reflects on how others see this fine organization.

Each conference attendee is expected to follow these practices and procedures.

1. Members are expected to attend all general sessions and conference activities.
2. Members should report to the proper location and be on time for all activities.
3. Conference name badges must be worn at all times.
4. The dress code will be enforced at all times.
5. No member shall leave the conference site unless permission has been received from their local advisor or the state advisor.
6. This is a smoke-free conference. Smoking and the use of tobacco products are not permitted during the conference.
7. Alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs in any form shall not be possessed and/or used at any time, under any circumstances. In the event a member is found to be in the possession of drugs or alcohol, the situation will be turned over to the local police immediately.
8. Cell phones and other electronic devices are to be silenced during conference workshops and general sessions.
9. There shall be no defacing of public property. Any damages to the property or furnishings in the hotel rooms or building must be paid by the individual or chapter responsible.
10. Members shall keep their adult advisors informed of their activities at all times.
11. The hotel room that you have been assigned has been recorded. Do not change rooms. If there is an emergency, it will be necessary to locate you according to your room number.
12. At curfew, all members must be in their assigned hotel room, quiet, and remain there until 6 a.m. Curfew will be strictly enforced.
13. Conference activities are limited to those registered. Any individual not registered for the conference and displaying a name badge will not be permitted to participate in conference activities and will be asked to leave.
14. All local school rules and regulations are in effect during this conference.
15. Local chapter advisors are responsible for their students' conduct.
16. Members violating or ignoring any of the conduct practices and procedures will subject their chapter delegation to dismissal, and their candidates or competitive contestants to be disqualified. Individual students may be sent home immediately at their own expense.