

MEN'S ROOM

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

Please read and follow

1. **SELECT THE APPROPRIATE FACILITY**

There are two to choose from, the toilet and the urinal. The toilet is a general purpose facility, capable of accommodating either #1 or #2. The urinal is a more specialized facility that takes advantage of the anatomy and geometry of men to speed up the men's room process, however, is only capable of accommodating urination (hence the name urinal).

There are special rules for choice of the urinal, please consider:

- If no one is using a urinal, use the one farthest from the door
- If one other man is using a urinal, use the urinal near the door.
- If two urinals are being used, wait until one opens up.
- **Never use a urinal next to another urinal already in use!**

2. **UNDRESS APPROPRIATELY**

This is an important step. Both the facilities have different level of undressing that is considered appropriate. In either case, the term "just enough" applies. Do not needlessly remove more clothing than is necessary to use the facilities. Complete removal of an article of clothing is only allowed in special cases, such as changing clothes for an interview, but it should never be done with such ambiguity that other men's room patrons are confused at the activity taking place. There is **never** a need for complete removal of clothing. Do not assume that what is appropriate in the bathroom in your residence is appropriate in a public bathroom.

3. **USE THE FACILITIES PROPERLY**

This goes without saying. Although there is often some concern about the appropriate time to spend in step #3. The time it takes to use the facilities is a function of many factors, however please be considerate to others waiting. It is appropriate to take some time to relax, but do not consider this an invitation to turn the stall into your private lounge. A good rule of thumb is if you begin to lose blood circulation in your legs (when they "fall asleep") that is a good time to leave. Courtesy flushes are a considerate gift to others if the situation warrants, however, unnecessarily flushing is inappropriate.

4. **WASH YOUR HANDS**

Please

Following these simple rules will make the men's room
an enjoyable place for all involved.