

**Full-Length Short Sleeved Blues Portrait  
IAW AFI36-2903 (para. 4.6 – 4.8 and para.7.3 - 7.4)**

**Men's Blue Shirt and Women's Blouse (Class A and B) (4.6)**

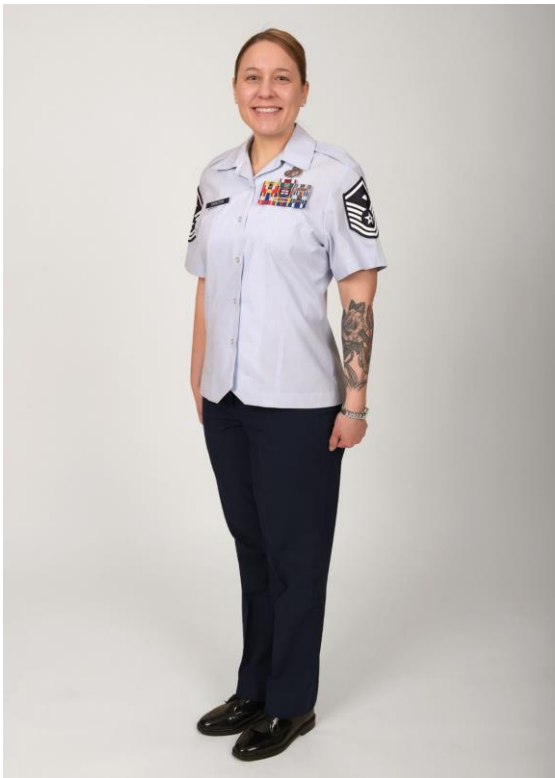
- The short-sleeve blue shirt will be light blue in color with two pleated pockets.
- The shirt may be altered for a tapered fit. A white V-neck or athletic style tank top undershirt will be worn under the shirt.
- It will not have military creases and will have epaulets.

**Short Sleeved Accoutrements (4.7)**

- Officers wear shoulder mark insignia.
- Enlisted will wear 3½ or 4inch chevron rank centered on the outer arm halfway between the shoulder seam and bottom edge of the sleeve.
- Senior Non-Commissioned Officers will wear sleeve chevrons only (shoulder mark insignia is not authorized).
- Ribbons. All, some, or no ribbons and devices will be worn. If worn, center ribbons on wearer's left, parallel with ground. Align bottom of the ribbons with the bottom of the name tag.

**Belt and Buckle.**

- The belt will be blue, cotton web or elastic, solid or woven.
- The belt will have a silver (chrome finish) tip and a buckle.
- The silver tip of the belt will extend beyond the buckle facing the wearer's left; however, no blue fabric will be visible between the silver tip and silver buckle.
- General officers may wear the "wing and star" design, silver belt buckle.



### Accessories (7.3)

Accessories not listed in this instruction are not authorized for wear.

Jewelry. Jewelry will be plain and conservative (moderate, being within reasonable limits; not excessive or extreme) as determined by the local commander

- Earrings.
  - Male Airmen are not authorized to wear earrings while in uniform or in civilian attire for official duty, but are authorized to wear earrings in civilian attire while off duty on a military installation.
  - Female Airmen may wear small (not exceeding 6 mm in diameter) conservative (moderate, being within reasonable limits; not excessive or extreme) round or square white diamond, gold, white pearl, or silver earrings as a set with any uniform combination.
  - If member has multiple holes, only one set of earrings are authorized to be worn in uniform and will be worn in the lower earlobes.
  - Earrings will 64 AFI36-2903 7 FEBRUARY 2020 match and fit tightly without extending below the earlobe unless the piece extending is the connecting band on clip earrings.
- Bracelets. Ankle bracelets are not authorized.
  - Airmen may wear one bracelet around their wrist.
  - If worn, the bracelet will be conservative (moderate, being within reasonable limits; not excessive or extreme) (which is defined as plain, not drawing attention or faddish) in design, no wider than ½ inch, gold or silver in color, and will not have any inappropriate pictures or writing.
  - Medical alert/identification bracelets are authorized.
  - If worn, they will be conservative and moderate being within reasonable limits.
  - They will not be excessive or extreme, which is defined as plain, not drawing inappropriate attention or faddish.
  - Gemstones/tennis bracelets may only be worn with the mess dress uniform.
  - Bracelets espousing support for cause, philosophy, individual or group are not authorized (Exception: Traditional metal POW/MIA/KIA bracelets, which come in colors besides silver, bronze, or gold, remain authorized).
- Watches. Must be conservative and only one can be worn around the wrist while in uniform, PTG, or civilian attire in an official capacity. Conservative examples (not all inclusive) are solid color black, brown, silver or gold.
  - Prohibited examples are diamond covered, neon, bright colors, and bands that exceed 1-inch width.
- Rings. Airmen may wear a total of no more than three rings; wedding sets count as one ring when worn as a set. Rings will be worn at the base of the finger, and will not be worn on the thumb.
- Necklaces. Will not be visible at any time. If worn, will be concealed under a collar or undershirt.
- Eyeglasses. Will be worn in the manner for which they are made.
  - Will not be worn around the neck or on top/back of head or exposed hanging on the uniform.
  - Eyeglasses and sunglasses may have conservative ornamentation on non-prescription sunglasses or eyeglasses, frames may be black or brown material or gold or silver wire.
  - Brand name glasses may be worn with small logo on frames or lenses. Logo may contrast with frame color or lenses (conservative colors/small logos; black, brown, matte silver/gold).

- Conservative, clear, slightly tinted, mirrored or photosensitive lenses are authorized.
- Faddish styles are prohibited.
- Contact Lenses. Contact lenses will be natural looking in shape and design.
  - They will be clear in color and not change the color of the Airman's natural eye color.

## **MALE**

### **Short-Sleeved Men's Blue Shirt (4.6)**

- The blue shirt will be neatly tucked into the trousers.
- Nametag. The name tag will be blue plastic with the last name engraved in white lettering. The name tag will be centered, resting on, but not over the edge of the pleated pocket on the wearer's right.

### **Trousers (Male). (4.8.1)**

- Trousers will be blue and trim-fitted with no bunching at the waist or bagging at the seat.
- The trousers will be full cut, straight hanging and without cuffs or additional alterations to further taper the leg.
- The front of the trouser legs will rest on the front of the shoe or boot with a slight break in the crease.
- The back of the trouser legs will be  $\frac{3}{8}$  inch longer than the front.
- The trouser material will match the service dress coat in both fabric and shade.

### **Footwear (Males). (7.4.1)**

- Socks (black). Socks will be plain without design, clean, and serviceable. Black socks will be worn with low quarters, dress boots and black jungle/combat boots.
- Plain white socks may be worn under the black socks as long as the white socks are not visible.
- Low Quarters. Black Low-quarters are worn with the formal dress, mess dress, semi-formal, service dress and service uniforms
- Shoes will be low quarter, oxford-style, lace-up with a plain rounded toe or a plain rounded-capped toe.
- Soles will not exceed  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch in thickness and the heel will not exceed 1 inch in height (measured from the inside front of the heel).
- Shoes will be smooth or scotch-grained leather or manmade material.
- Shoes will be shined; high gloss or patent finish is optional.

# FEMALE

## Short-Sleeved Female Blouse (4.6.2)

- White, V-neck, athletic style tank top undershirts are optional. If worn, they will be tucked into the skirt or slacks.
- It will not have military creases and will have epaulets.
- Tuck-in Style Blouse. The blue blouse will have a tapered fit and will be tucked into the slacks.
- Semi-Form Fitting Blouse. The blue blouse will be a semi-form fitting princess line
- Nametag. The name tag will be blue plastic with the last name engraved in white lettering. The name tag will be centered, even within 1½ inches higher or lower than the first exposed button on the wearer's right.

## Slacks (Female). (4.8.2)

- Slacks will be blue and fit naturally over the hips with no bunching at the waist or bagging at the seat.
- The bottom front of the slack legs will rest on the front of the shoe, boot or on top of the foot if wearing pumps, with a slight break in the crease.
- The back of the slack legs will be approximately ⅞ inch longer than the front.
- The slacks will be tailored, straight hanging, with no flare at the bottom or additional alterations to further taper the leg.
- They will have a center fly-front opening and front and back waist darts, two ¼ top side pockets, and a waistband with five belt loops.
- The slacks material will match the service dress coat in both fabric and shade.

## Footwear (Females). (7.4.2)

- Hosiery will be worn with the formal dress, mess dress, semi-formal dress, and service dress uniform (skirt).
  - Hosiery will be plain commercial, sheer, nylon in neutral, dark brown, black or off-black, or dark blue shades. Patterned hosiery is not authorized to be worn with any uniform.
  - Hosiery are optional with slacks; however, if not wearing hosiery with slacks, plain (not patterned) black socks must be worn.
- Socks (black). Socks will be plain without design, clean, and serviceable.
  - Black socks will be worn with low quarters, dress boots and black jungle/combat boots.
  - Plain white socks may be worn under the black socks as long as the white socks are not visible.
- Low Quarters. Can be worn (optional) with the semi-formal (enlisted only), service dress and service uniforms (authorized with all maternity uniforms).
  - Commercially designed low quarters will be black oxford, lace-up style with a plain rounded toe, or a plain rounded capped toe.
  - The sole will not exceed ½ inch in thickness and the heel will not exceed 1 inch in height (measured from the inside front of the heel); however, the sole 68 AFI36-2903 7 FEBRUARY 2020 may have a low wedge heel.

- They will be plain, clean and serviceable, and without ornamentation such as buckles, bows, or straps.
  - The material will be smooth, scotchgrained leather or a manmade material.
  - They may be high- gloss or patent finish.
- Wear boots with skirt or slacks
- Heels will be of a height suitable to the individual but no higher than 2½ inches (measured from the inside sole of the boot to the end of the heel lift).
  - The tip of the heel can't be less than ½ inch in diameter or larger than the body of the boot.
  - Faddish styles will not be worn (e.g. extreme toes, pointed or squared, or extreme heel shapes).
  - They will be plain, clean and serviceable, and without ornamentation such as buckles, bows or straps.
  - The material will be smooth, scotch-grained leather or a manmade material. They may be high-gloss or patent finish.
- Pumps. Will be worn with the formal dress, mess dress, and semi-formal uniforms (authorized with all blue maternity uniforms).
  - Black pumps will be low cut and rounded throat (the top opening) with a raised heel no higher than 3 inches (measured from the inside sole of the shoe to the end of the heel lift).
  - The tip of the heel cannot be less than ½ inch in diameter or larger than the body of the shoe.
  - Faddish styles will not be worn (e.g. extreme pointed or squared toes, or extreme heel shapes).
  - They will be plain, clean and serviceable, and without ornamentation such as buckles, bows or straps.
  - The material will be smooth, scotch-grained leather or a manmade material.
  - They may be high-gloss or patent finish.
- Slip-on Shoes. Can be worn (optional) with the service dress and services uniforms (authorized with all blue maternity uniforms).
  - Commercially designed step-in shoe where the top of the shoe goes over the top of the foot (not mule-types without backs) with rounded toe or plain rounded capped toe.
  - Faddish styles will not be worn (e.g. extreme toes, pointed or squared, or extreme heel shapes).
  - They will be plain, clean and serviceable, and without ornamentation such as buckles, bows or straps.
  - The material will be smooth, scotch-grained leather or a manmade material.
  - They may be high-gloss or patent finish.