

# ATTIRE: WOMEN'S/MEN'S (BEGGED ISH)

## Attire: Wearing Other Gender's Clothing

Clothes that are worn by both genders may be worn by either gender, even if they were intended to be worn by just one gender. So women may wear clothes that have been made and intended for men (*begged ish*) if women wear those garments, too. There are some exceptions--consult a rabbi.

## Attire: Men Wearing Women's Clothing

Men may not wear women's clothing.

## Attire: Women Wearing Men's Clothes

A woman or girl may not wear men's clothes (*begged ish*), even:

- if for a different purpose than what men use them for, and
- if not for the purpose of looking like a man.

## Attire: Woman Wearing Talit for Warmth

A woman should not use a talit to keep warm, even

- if there is no other garment in the synagogue and
- if she is listening to a Torah class.

## Attire: Pistols and Other Weapons

Pistols and other weapons are considered to be men's attire (*begged ish*), but they may be worn or carried by women if in any place where there is danger.