

SCRUB REUSE BEST PRACTICES

01. Prevent Scrub Waste

Do not order new scrubs if you do not need them. If your scrubs are still wearable, do not replace them. Make a fitting appointment before ordering scrubs.

<https://ucsfhealthapparelfittings.as.me/>



02. Reuse Scrubs

Most departments have a box of wearable used scrubs. If you are in need of scrubs, check with your department for used scrubs before purchasing new ones.

03. Maternity Scrub Reuse

Visit the online UCSF Health Maternity Scrub Reuse Connection Hub to connect with staff looking to give or receive used maternity scrubs.

<https://tiny.ucsf.edu/MaternityScrubReuse>

04. OR Scrubs

OR scrubs should be returned to the soiled linen bins located in the OR suites.

05. Non-UCSF Scrubs

If your scrubs do not have UCSF logos, you can donate them to local thrift stores for reuse.

06. Unwearable Scrubs

Unwearable scrubs should be disposed of in the landfill.