

CHAPTER 11-50

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FEDERAL EMPLOYEES UNIFORM ALLOWANCE ACT - PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE\*

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11-50-20 SERVICE-WIDE ALLOWANCES

<u>Position Category</u>	<u>Prescribed Uniform</u>	<u>Annual Allow- ance</u>	<u>Pay Period Allow- ance</u>
<u>FEMALE:</u>			
Dental Assistant	Dress		
Dental Hygienist	Cap		
Dietetic Intern	Hose	*\$75.82	\$ 2.92
Dietitian			
Nurse			
Nursing Assistant			
Therapist, Occupational			
Therapist, Physical			
	When prescribed for Physical Therapist in addition to above items:		
	Slacks		
	Shirt	* 93.72	3.60
 <u>MALE:</u>			
Dental Assistant	Coat		
Dietitian	Trousers		
Nurse	Shirt		
Therapist, Occupational	Tie	* 75.82	2.92
Therapist, Physical			
 Nursing Assistant	 Trousers		
	Shirt	* 56.06	2.16

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11-50-30 BUREAU OF HEALTH SERVICES' ALLOWANCES

A. Bureau-wide Allowances

<u>Position Category</u>	<u>Prescribed Uniform</u>	<u>Annual Allow- ance</u>	<u>Pay Period Allow- ance</u>
<u>FEMALE:</u>			
Elevator Operator	Dress	*\$56.06	\$ 2.16
Medical Aide	Dress		
	Cap		
	Hose	* 75.82	2.92
Physical Therapy Assistant	Dress		
Electrocardiograph Tech- nician	Hose	* 70.98	2.73
Medical Technician (Bacteriology, Chemistry, Cytology, General, Hematology, Histopathology, Mycology, Parasitology, Serology, Transfusion Service)			
Medical Radiology Technician			
Medical Technologist			
<u>MALE:</u>			
Elevator Operator	Trousers		
	Shirt		
	Tie	* 56.06	2.16
Medical Aide	Shirt	* 56.06	2.16
Physical Therapy Assistant	Trousers		
Dental Laboratory Technician			
Electrocardiograph Technician	Trousers		
Medical Technician (Bacteriology, Chemistry, Cytology, General, Hematology, Histopathology, Mycology, Parasitology, Serology, Transfusion Service)	Shirt (Intern)	*59.80	2.30
Medical Radiology Technician			
Medical Technologist			

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Bureau-wide Allowances (Continued)

<u>Position Category</u>	<u>Prescribed Uniform</u>	<u>Annual Allowance</u>	<u>Pay Period Allowance</u>
	<u>Summer Uniform</u>		
Chauffeur Guard	Trousers		
	Shirt		
	Tie		
	Cap	*\$75.82	\$ 2.92
	<u>Summer and Winter Uniform</u>		
Chauffeur Guard	Coat (Wool)		
	Trousers (Wool)		
	Overcoat (Wool)		
	Shirt		
	Tie		
	Cap		
	Trousers		
	Shirt		
	Tie		
	Cap	* 123.71	4.76

B. Additional Allowances for Personnel of Division of Indian Health (Division-wide)

<u>Position Category</u>	<u>Prescribed Uniform</u>	<u>Annual Allowance</u>	<u>Pay Period Allowance</u>
<u>FEMALE:</u>			
Admitting Office and Medical Record Clerical Personnel	Dress	* 56.06	\$ 2.16
	Executive Housekeeper	Dress Hose	*70.98
Public Health Nurse Practical Nurse (Public Health Nursing Asst.)	Dress, Summer		
	Dress, Winter		
	Coat, Winter		
	Raincoat		
	Sweater		
	Hat, Summer Hat, Winter	*112.55	4.33

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Facilities (except Mt. Edgecumbe)

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<b><u>FEMALE:</u></b>			
Baker	Dress		
Cook	Cap	*\$ 61.15	\$ 2.35
Kitchen Helper			
Meat Cutter			
<b><u>MALE:</u></b>			
Baker	Trousers		
Cook	Shirt		
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Meat Cutter			

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11-50-40 BUREAU OF DISEASE PREVENTION AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL'S ALLOWANCES

A. Additional Allowances for Personnel of the National Communicable Disease Control Center, Atlanta, Georgia (Center-wide)

<u>Position Category</u>	<u>Prescribed Uniform</u>	<u>Annual Allowance</u>	<u>Pay Period Allowance</u>
<u>MALE:</u>			
Guard	Coat, Blue Wool Trousers, Blue Wool Trousers, Summer Overcoat Shirt, White Tie Belt, heavy duty. Cap	*\$123.71 <sup>1/</sup>	4.76

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<u>Position Category</u>	<u>Prescribed Uniform</u>	<u>Annual Allowance</u>	<u>Pay Period Allowance</u>
<u>Quarantine Service, MALE:</u>			
Biological Aide	Uniform (Khaki)		
Biological Laboratory Technician	Uniform (Blue) Coat		
Biologist	Shirt		
Entomologist	Cap		
Inspector, Quarantine	Belt		
Inspector, Sanitation	Hose		
Special Assistant for Inspectional Services, Washington, D. C. Area	Tie	*\$123.71	
Pilot			
Training Administrator, Rosebank Quar. Sta., Staten Island, N. Y.			

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Medical Officer

775

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Program (continued)

<u>Position Category</u>	<u>Prescribed Uniform</u>	<u>Annual Allow- ance</u>	<u>Pay Period Allow- ance</u>
<u>FEMALE:</u> Inspector, Quarantine	Uniform (Khaki Shirt and Skirt) Dress Cap Coat (Khaki) Tie Bag, Brown Leather	* \$123.71	

\*Mandatory increase of allowance in effect on April 1, 1966. This allowance may not be reduced. Section 407, Public Law 89-504, approved July 18, 1966, effective July 31, 1966.

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	Slacks Shirt	* 93.72	3.60
 <b><u>MALE:</u></b>			
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11-50-30 BUREAU OF HEALTH SERVICES' ALLOWANCESA. Bureau-wide Allowances

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Elevator Operator	<b>Dress</b>	*\$56.06	\$ 2.16
<b>Medical Aide</b>	Dress <b>Cap</b>		
	Hose	* 75.82	2.92
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Electrocardiograph <b>Technician</b>	Hose	* 70.98	2.73
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<b>Medical Radiology Technician</b>			
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