

Entropy Theatre AGREEMENT Costume Designer Contract Addendum

In signing this production agreement, the Designer agrees to adhere to the following protocols, to ensure the mental and physical safety of all artists.

1. Measurements. The Designer should take note of an actor's measurements without announcing them, or commenting on them in any way. The Designer should communicate what they are about to do before making contact with an actor's body to take a measurement. (In a situation where this crosses an actor's boundaries, they may be instructed to take the measurement themselves.) The actor should be given the option to have their measurements taken in private.

2. Fittings. The Designer should ensure that appropriate notice is given to the actors of when costume fittings will take place. Actors should be instructed to wear opaque, full-coverage underwear for any and all costume fittings. Actors should be given the option to change into and out of costumes in private.

3. Intimacy. The Designer should collaborate with the Intimacy Director to ensure that all costumes are designed in accordance with each actor's boundaries. The Designer should consult with the Intimacy Director regarding the design and function of any costume pieces that are to be removed on stage (or in audience view).

4. Notes and Feedback. Any notes given by the Designer should focus on the costume pieces themselves, and not on the actor wearing them. (For example, "this hat is too small", not "their head is too big".) In general, comments about an actor's body, positive or negative, are never necessary.

5. Nudity. Nudity includes any appearance of an actor on stage in less clothing coverage than what they would typically wear in the rehearsal room. In a show that includes Nudity, the Designer may be asked to provide compression garments, offstage robes, or other nudity aids, in collaboration with the Intimacy Director. In a show that includes Nudity, the Designer may be asked to provide a clothing set that matches the actor's skin tone, for cue to cue and other tech needs.