## **How to Weigh Adults**

- 1. Ask the client to remove shoes, hats, scarves, head wraps, and everything from pockets.
- 2. Ask the client to stand straight and unassisted on the center of the scale.
- 3. Record the weight in kg to the nearest 100 g.

**Errors** include weighing a client with too much clothing, weighing clients who are not standing straight, and using inaccurate scales.



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