Dear Mr. Steinkamp,

This is in response to your letter dated March 16, 2017, inquiring if the Hawaii Department of Health has any regulation, code, or other rule that requires customers or patrons to wear shoes or other footwear while inside the businesses that may be under our regulatory control.

The Department of Health has no rule or regulation requiring what the public must or must not wear when patronizing businesses in Hawaii.

We hope you continue to visit our State for many years to come.

Sincerely,

Virginia Pressler, M.D.
Director of Health

c: Disease Outbreak Control Division
   Environmental Health Services Division
   Office of Health Care Assurance