

The ASRC Uniform made simple

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The diagram shows a front view of a uniform shirt with several callout boxes:

- Top Left:** Mountain Rescue Association cap (small) patch (MRA Rescue members only) or state SAR council patch (optional). Includes patches for VA SAR Council Patch, PSARC (Pennsylvania Search & Rescue Council), and Mountain Rescue.
- Top Right:** ASRC Patch. May add rocker bars for FTM, FTL, IS, Incident Command. Includes the Appalachian Search & Rescue logo.
- Middle Left:** Medical patch/rockers (e.g., Wilderness EMT over EMT). Includes the WEMSI (Wilderness Specialist) logo and a medical symbol.
- Bottom Left:** Name tape: **KEITH CONOVER**. Text: Standard military style white on royal blue name tape, available from many military clothing suppliers such as uscav.com, 1800nametape.com, uniformnametape.com. May be last name, or full name. If, for example, if you have a Polish or Ukrainian last name, there may be no choice. Best is to fold ends to size the width of pocket. Includes a sample name tape: **Keith Conover** APPALACHIAN SEARCH & RESCUE. Alternate, which may go away soon: 3/4" x 3" blue plastic nametag with white lettering.
- Bottom Right:** Group patch: **ALLEGHENY MOUNTAIN RESCUE**. Text: Group patch. *As with MRA/State patch, may be centered over pocket OR centered over middle half of pocket to keep clear of packstraps.*

The ASRC uniform is really just a uniform shirt. It is a Dickies or similar blue chambray work shirt with certain patches on it. It can be either short or long sleeve. If you want to wear an ASRC patch, it has to be on an official ASRC uniform shirt. You may, if you wish, turn an outer parka or other outer garment into an ASRC uniform garment by placing an ASRC patch on it. However, as with the shirt, the above patches and only the above patches may be worn on it. So, don't wear an ASRC patch on other uniform shirts, and don't wear any patches except for the above on an ASRC uniform shirt or parka.