

BioMedia Project Forum Rules

The forum rules were voted on and decided by the BioMedia Project Staff. All groups with mod privileges are expected to apply these rules.

The rules may be changed if we receive feedback that they are not working properly or unfair, in which case we will re-hold a BMP staff vote on the rule(s). The rules are not set in stone; if you feel that one or more of the rules is not right, and provide us with a legitimate, rational argument, we will consider changing the rules.

Accounts

-One account per person.

Avatars

-No GIFs in avatars.

-The maximum avatar size is 125x125px.

Signatures

-Max signature size is 250px in height.

-Flash and GIFs are allowed.

-No Youtube video embedding.

Topics

-English language only. No foul language; foul language is defined as the English swear words.

-Topics are closed only when a topic is breaking the rules or is a duplicate. Topics in the wrong subforum are moved rather than closed. All users have the ability to lock their own topics.

-Double posting is allowed only when new content is posted. Topic bumping for the sake of bumping is not allowed.

Advertising and Linking

-No commercial advertising.

-Links to other forums and websites are allowed unless they are primarily of a pornographic, religious, or political nature.

Pornographic, Political, and Religious Content

-No pornographic, political, or religious content anywhere.

Warnings, Suspensions, and Bans

Warnings:

-Given for spamming, flaming, trolling, offensive content, profanity, and general rule breaking after the user has already been given a verbal warning in-topic and PMed with the same message.

-Warnings reset after two months of good behavior.

-5 make up a suspension(suspension on 5th warning)

Suspensions:

-Suspensions last one week.

-After one verbal reminder to read the rules, 1 week suspensions are applied for posting pirated content.

Bans:

-Bans occur when a further infraction occurs after returning from a suspension. Warnings reset to 0 after two months of good behavior.

-Bans are applied for mass-spamming like a spam bot, posting adult material, or otherwise clearly never going to be a positive member(Especially if you have just joined).