

Cosmetology Competency Profile



Student Has:

- Demonstrated characteristics that reflect an appropriate work ethic concerning attendance.
- Demonstrated effective and professional communication skills in the area of client consultation.
- Demonstrated ability to maintain clean, safe, and sanitized dispensary according to the Ohio State Board of Cosmetology, EPA, and OSHA.
- Demonstrated the ability to perform receptionist duties such as appropriate telephone, communication, and record keeping skills.
- Demonstrated salesmanship in the area of retailing products.
- Demonstrated the ability to apply decision making and problem-solving techniques in the workplace.
- Demonstrated the ability to use a variety of technological applications to accomplish career-related tasks.
- Demonstrated teamwork and delegation skills in the performance of clinic duties.
- Obtained the knowledge to maintain a professional salon.

Student Can:

- Perform sanitation and maintain sanitized work area in accordance with all safety and sanitation guidelines.
- Use all tools and products to apply hair and scalp care treatments.
- Use scissors, razor, thinning shears, and clippers safely to perform hair shaping.
- Complete wet, dry, and thermal hair styling using all necessary tools, products, and techniques.
- Perform specialized styling techniques in the area of braiding and hair extensions.
- Prepare client and give permanent wave using all necessary tools, products, and techniques in compliance with safety regulations of the product.
- Follow text guidelines, manufacturer's directions and safety procedures to prepare client and give chemical hair relaxer.
- Follow correct application, manufacturer's direction and safety procedures to prepare client and give temporary, semi-permanent, or permanent hair coloring.
- Follow correct application, manufacturer's direction and safety procedures to prepare client and give hair lightening and toning.
- Follow correct application, manufacturer's directions and safety procedures to prepare and give foil highlights.
- Use appropriate implements and procedures to prepare client and give manicure.
- Use appropriate implements and procedures to prepare client and give pedicure.
- Use appropriate products, tools, procedures and safety guidelines to prepare client and apply artificial nails.
- Prepare client and give facial treatment using appropriate products and manipulations.
- Use appropriate implements, procedures, and follow safety guidelines to temporarily remove superfluous hair.
- Care for wigs, hairpieces, and extensions according to product directions and the client's needs.