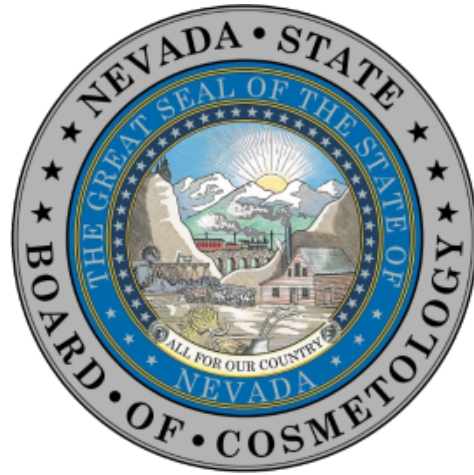




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COSMETOLOGY PRACTICAL EXAM

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PRACTICAL EXAM RULES

- Students are responsible for bringing all required supplies to complete the exam. Incomplete kits will result in a failed segment.
- Students must sanitize their hands before accessing their kit and before starting all exam segments.
- The kit is considered a clean, dry, closed container for disinfected implements only. Items may not be returned to the kit once removed.
- Each segment is timed and graded separately. Do not begin any service until instructed. Once a segment is completed or time has expired, the examiner will move to the next segment. Step back to indicate completion.
- The kit must remain closed during the duration of the exam.
- You will be given 2 minutes before each segment to set up.
- If an item is dropped, follow proper sanitation procedures. Stop the service immediately and do not use the dropped item. Place the item in its appropriate receptacle. Sanitize your hands, then retrieve a clean, disinfected replacement from your kit before continuing the service while maintaining proper infection control practices. You are permitted to bring “extra” items incase an implement is dropped.
- At the end of each segment you must properly clean and disinfect your station. All used items must be placed in the appropriate receptacles to demonstrate proper disposal of single-use items, soiled implements requiring disinfection, and soiled linens requiring laundering.
- Cheating is strictly prohibited and will result in an automatic failure.
- Talking is strictly prohibited and will result in an automatic failure.

PRACTICAL EXAM SUPPLIES

SUPPLY LIST:

SEE EACH SEGMENT TO DETERMINE QUANTITIES

- ☐ Hand sanitizer
- ☐ A clear plastic container (Approximately 16" x 16" x 16")
- ☐ Gallon-size plastic bags labeled for each segment
- ☐ 1 sandwich-sized plastic bag labeled "biohazard waste"
- ☐ 3 paper bags labeled "Trash", "Soiled Linen", & "Items to be disinfected"
- ☐ EPA-registered disinfectant wipes
- ☐ Antiseptic/ Alcohol wipes
- ☐ Gloves
- ☐ Bandage
- ☐ Mannequin head
- ☐ Mannequin stand
- ☐ Shears
- ☐ Razor with guard
- ☐ Brush
- ☐ Combs
- ☐ Neck strips
- ☐ Hair clips
- ☐ Spray bottle filled with water (optional)
- ☐ 1 cutting cape
- ☐ 1-3 chemical capes
- ☐ Towels
- ☐ Mock warm towels inside of a labeled plastic bag
- ☐ Scissors
- ☐ Hair dye application brushes
- ☐ Mock hair dye in a plastic tub
- ☐ Mock hair relaxer in a plastic tub
- ☐ Mock skin protection cream
- ☐ Mock waving lotion in a bottle
- ☐ Curling iron (Can be of any type. You will use this for mock demonstration)
- ☐ Endpapers
- ☐ Cotton coil
- ☐ Perm Rods

PRACTICAL EXAM SUPPLIES

SUPPLY LIST:

SEE EACH SEGMENT TO DETERMINE QUANTITIES

- ☐ Fan brush
- ☐ Headbands
- ☐ Spoolie
- ☐ Pellon or muslin strips
- ☐ Applicator sticks
- ☐ Esthetic wipes or cotton rounds
- ☐ Mock astringent
- ☐ Mock wax remover
- ☐ Mock wax aftercare
- ☐ Mock soft wax (petroleum jelly)
- ☐ Mock hard wax (Play-Doh)
- ☐ Mock cleanser
- ☐ Mock exfoliant
- ☐ Mock massage product
- ☐ Mock mask
- ☐ Mock toner
- ☐ Mock moisturizer
- ☐ Mannequin finger (must have “natural nail” already attached)
- ☐ Nail files
- ☐ Cuticle pusher
- ☐ Mock Cuticle remover
- ☐ Cuticle nipper
- ☐ Nail Clipper
- ☐ Nail forms
- ☐ Nail dehydrator or primer
- ☐ 3 Dappen Dishes
- ☐ Pink acrylic powder
- ☐ White acrylic powder
- ☐ Acrylic brushes
- ☐ Lint free cotton rounds or nail wipes
- ☐ Paper towels
- ☐ Odorless Monomer ***

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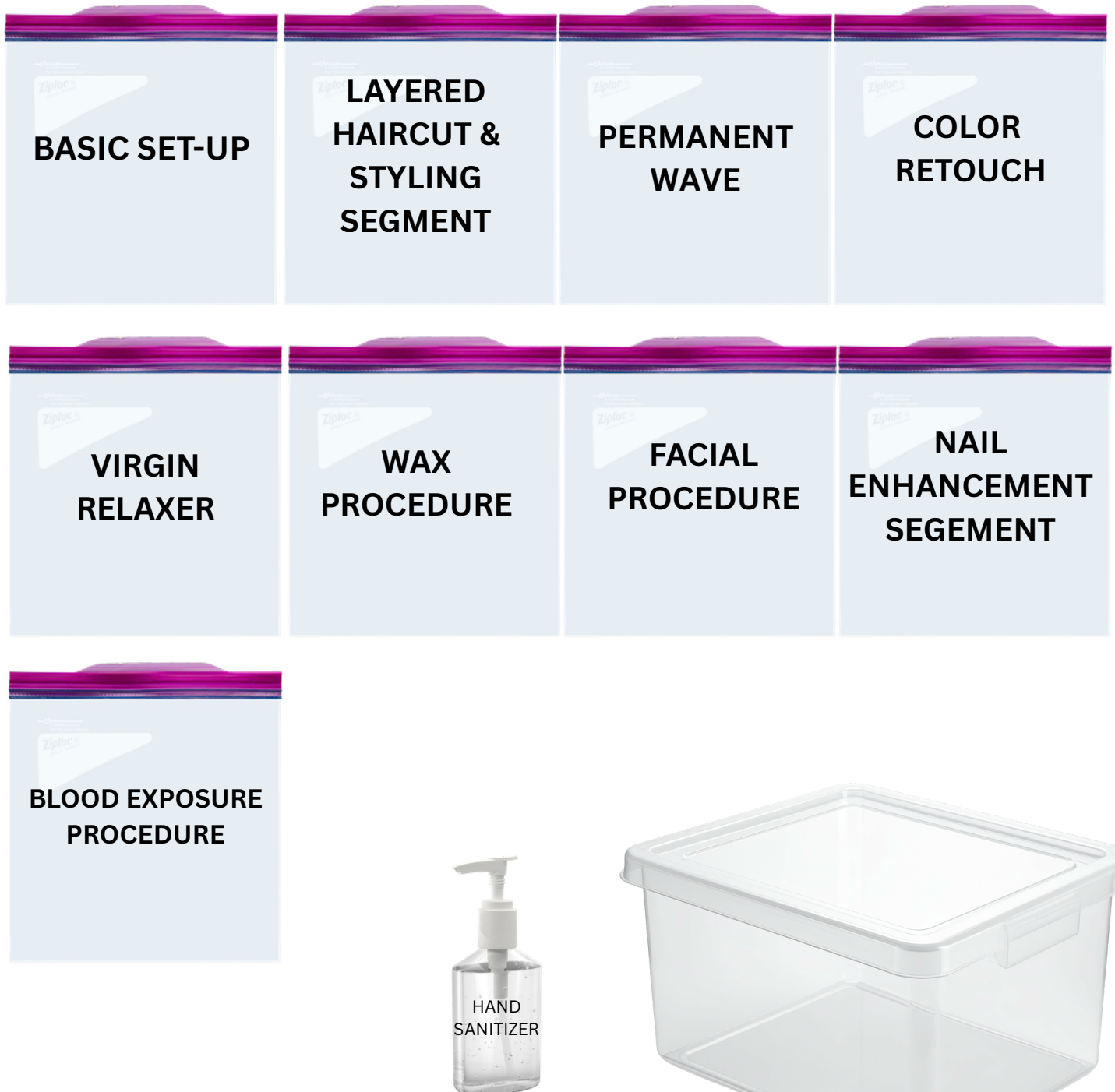
THE FOLLOWING ITEMS WILL BE PROVIDED BY THE EXAM PROCTOR:
(YOU DO NOT NEED THEM IN YOUR KIT)

- Broom
- Dustpan
- *Odorless Monomer will be provided for you if you are testing at the Board office****

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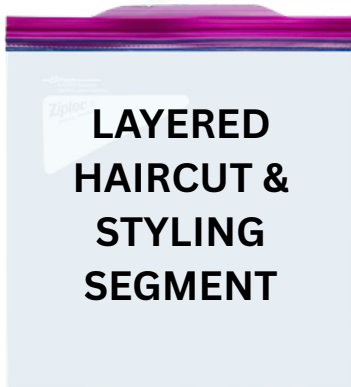
All supplies used throughout your exam must fit into a clear plastic container (Approximately 16" x 16" x 16").

You will need gallon-sized plastic bags to put your supplies in, for each segment. You will need to label each bag with the segment and service name in English. Every item in your kit must also be labeled in English.



BASIC SET-UP

You have 15 minutes to prepare your workstation and set up the basic supplies used throughout your exam. During this time, you will also drape your mannequin and set up your implements for the layered haircut & mock styling segment.



*see next page for supply requirements



LAYERED HAIRCUT & STYLING SEGMENT

Examine the scalp for any concerns. Perform a layered haircut using both scissors and a razor. You must remove at least one inch of hair from the entire head. After completing the haircut, you will mock test the temperature of the hot tool on a neck strip, apply heat protectant to the client, and then safely perform 2 barrel curls near the mannequin's face. When you have completed the service, undrape your mannequin, discard the hair, and properly clean and disinfect your workstation by following all required infection control procedures after the completion of a service. Complete this segment in 35 minutes.

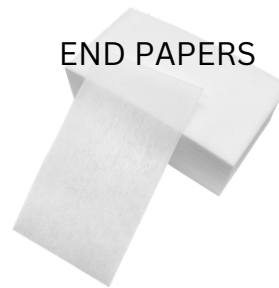
YOU WILL NOT BE PLUGGING THE CURLING IRON INTO POWER. IT IS FOR MOCK DEMONSTRATION PURPOSES ONLY.



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IN YOUR KIT.**

PERMANENT WAVE SEGMENT

Re-drape your mannequin for a chemical service. Examine the scalp for any concerns. Perform a permanent wave on the center back section of your mannequin. You must wrap five rods and prepare the mannequin for the mock product. Once your client is prepped, apply the waving lotion and demonstrate a test curl. After completing the permanent wave, remove the drape from the mannequin and properly clean and disinfect your workstation, following all required infection control procedures after completing the service. Complete this segment in 20 minutes.



COTTON COIL



COLOR RETOUCH SEGMENT

Re-drape your mannequin for a new, chemical service. Examine the scalp for any concerns. Prepare the skin and perform a color retouch using mock product on half of your mannequin's hair. Assume there is 1 inch of regrowth. After completing the retouch, undrape your mannequin, and properly clean and disinfect your workstation by following all required infection control procedures after the completion of a service. Complete this segment in 15 minutes.



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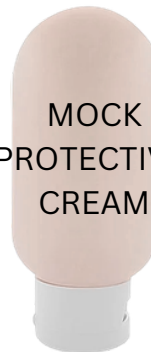
MOCK HAIR DYE

VIRGIN RELAXER SEGMENT

Re-drape your mannequin for a new, chemical service. Examine the scalp for any concerns. Prepare the skin and perform a virgin relaxer using mock product on half of your mannequin's hair. During this time, also demonstrate smoothing. After completing the relaxer, undrape your mannequin, and properly clean and disinfect your workstation by following all required infection control procedures after the completion of a service. Complete this segment in 15 minutes.



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MOCK RELAXER

WAX PROCEDURE

Please drape your mannequin for a new service. Perform a skin analysis, then demonstrate an eyebrow wax using simulated soft wax on one brow of the mannequin. Next, perform a waxing on the upper lip using simulated hard wax. After completing the wax, properly clean and disinfect your workstation by following all required infection control procedures after the completion of a service. Complete this segment in 15 minutes.



FACIAL PROCEDURE

Perform a complete facial service on your mannequin that includes a skin analysis, cleansing, manual exfoliation, a facial massage incorporating at least two different massage techniques, application of a mask using a brush, use of a warm towel, toner application, and moisturizer. After completing the facial, properly clean and disinfect your workstation by following all required infection control procedures after the completion of a service. Complete this segment in 25 minutes.



NAIL ENHANCEMENT

Perform an analysis of the nail and surrounding skin. Provide cuticle care, trimming, and shaping of the nail. Once the nail is primed, demonstrate the proper procedure for a sculptured nail using two colors of odorless acrylic product. After finishing the segment, clean and disinfect your workstation by following all infection control procedures required after a service.

Complete this segment in 25 minutes.



*Mannequin finger must have
“natural nail” already
attached (free edge)

BLOOD EXPOSURE PROCEDURE

You have sustained a minor cut on the back of your hand. Please identify where the cut is on your hand before you begin. Demonstrate proper infection prevention procedures for blood exposure. Immediately stop the service, retrieve your first aid kit, and remove necessary items without contaminating clean supplies. Put on a clean glove on your non-injured hand. Apply pressure to control bleeding, then clean and properly cover the wound. Dispose of all contaminated materials into a labeled biohazard bag, change gloves as needed, and clean and disinfect your workstation while maintaining proper infection control practices throughout the procedure.

