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Occupational Certificate: Nail Therapist, NQF Level 4

SAQA 121670, Credits: 47

PURPOSE AND RATIONALE OF THE QUALIFICATION

Purpose

The purpose of this part qualification is to prepare a learner to function as a Nail Therapist.

A Nail Therapist provides a nail grooming service in accordance with industry standards.

A qualified learner will be able to:

Apply and advise on finger and toenails treatment to clients.

Set up and run a sustainable salon.

Apply and uphold OHS provisions in the salon.

A qualified learner will demonstrate the following key attributes:

Customer Care.

Communication.

Professionalism.

Reliability.

Ethical.

Rationale

The demand for Nail Therapists is consistently on the rise in the beauty and cosmetology industry. It holds industry recognition as it directly aligns with employment opportunities. These skilled professionals offer manual skincare services. In the twenty-first century, the skills offered by Nail Therapists are in high demand within the beauty and cosmetology sector, reflecting the ever-increasing need for their expertise. There are no similar qualifications registered on the National Qualifications Framework.

This part qualification provides a well-structured framework for learners to develop essential competencies in Nail Therapy, a crucial skill within the Beauty and Cosmetology industry. Successfully completing this part qualification also opens doors to a wide range of job opportunities within the Beauty and Cosmetology sector. Additionally, qualified learners have the option to establish their own businesses, thereby making valuable contributions to their communities. Nail Therapists play a pivotal role in enhancing individuals' self-image, resulting in a more positive outlook and improved performance in both the job market and society.

The Beauty and Cosmetology sector stands to gain significantly from the availability of skilled Nail Therapists capable of meeting the diverse needs of their clientele. Competent Nail Therapists have the potential to establish a strong local presence, characterised by service excellence. This part qualification places a strong emphasis on nurturing a culture of professionalism and service excellence within the Beauty and Cosmetology industry.

The global beauty landscape is currently experiencing a transformative shift, reflecting the evolving awareness of beauty consumers' needs and desires. The Beauty and Cosmetology industries are in a phase of growth and development, driven by factors such as the rise of local beauty brands, the economic activity of the current generation, and the influence of digital technology and connectivity. Notably, the increasing impact of blogging and social media influencers is playing a significant role in shaping these industries.

The typical learners are the school leavers, unemployed persons, employed and self-employed persons. This part qualification was developed in consultation with the relevant Professional Body in the Beauty and Cosmetology industry to secure the competency requirements. Typical occupations in which the qualifying learner will operate include Nail Therapy, Cosmetic Advisory Services in retail outlets, Salon Management or Entrepreneurship. Learners qualifying this part-qualification may become Nail Therapists, provide cosmetic advice in retail outlets, become Salon Managers or Entrepreneurs.

There is collaboration with relevant stakeholders such as TVET Colleges, Private Training Providers in the Beauty and Cosmetology Industry and Practising Beauty Therapists. Typical professions in which the qualifying learner will operate include Advance Aesthetic Therapist, Beauty Technologist, Nail Technician, Beauty Therapist and Somatologist.

DURATION OF NAIL TECHNICIAN SHORT COURSE:

A period of 6 months to complete knowledge, practical and workplace modules.

ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Gr 11 or An NQF Level 3 qualification with Mathematical Literacy.

METHOD OF TRAINING:

Online learning. (Own device: phone, tablet, laptop or computer.)

WORK-INTEGRATED-LEARNING AT WORKPLACE LEARNING SITES

Knowledge, Practical and Workplace components are integrated, and all exercises or applied Practicals are occupationally directed (work tasks). All students will attend Workplace hours, at a designated workplace site in your area.

EXTERNAL COMPETENCY

On Internal Competency: Internal Statement of Results – student will register for final EISA exam (External Integrated Summative Assessment). Written twice a year at approved assessment centre.

WHAT IS EISA? It is a national exam that is meant to ensure a uniform standard for the qualification. EISA takes place twice a year in February and October. The exam is set in such a way that candidates are required to integrate knowledge, practical skills and work experience, i.e. the emphasis is on the application of what they have learned. Shiloh Training offers special additional EISA preparation at the end of the course at an additional EISA-PREP FEE of R800.00.

INTERNAL COMPETENCY

- A Completion Letter from Shiloh Training, on successful completion of knowledge, practical skills and workplace components.
- A Statement of Results from Shiloh Training.
- On successful completion and competence on EISA, a QCTO skills programme certificate.

FEE STRUCTURE		<i>NB NOTE: Non-refundable registration- and monthly fees.</i>
Formal Registration (once-off)	R2000 (includes registration, admin, training, assessment, re-assessment and moderation fee)	
Monthly Fee	R1000	
Penalty/Extension Fee	R1500(failure to complete all modules and payments in time at end of 4 weeks)	
Cancellation Fee	R1500 plus any arrear amount. (Non-refundable fees, only extension.)	
EISE Preparation Fee	R800	
Interest on Arrear Accounts	7.85% interest charged on arrear accounts	
All students are enrolled privately. NB: NO WORK PLACEMENTS!!		

CANCELLATION/EXTENSION BY STUDENT

In the event of cancellation, non-refundable fees, only Extension option available. Written Cancellation Letters to be sent to info@shilohtraining.co.za.

With final submissions, the account must be paid for in full before your final Portfolio of Evidence is assessed. Shiloh Training (Pty) Ltd have the full and legal right to withhold the Statement of Results and/or all certificates, if there are any outstanding fees on your account on completion.

MATERIAL/MODULES

Electronic modules via online student portal. (own device/tablet/laptop/computer/data/Wi-Fi).

THINK E-WISE FOR ONLINE LEARNING!!

**Shiloh Training (Pty) Ltd requires
the following resources from all
students who start studying with us:**

- **Smartphone, Laptop, Tablet and/or Computer**
 - **Pdf Reader & Scanner like Adobe Scan**
 - **Own Data / WiFi**
 - **Gmail Account with Google**

CURRICULUM STRUCTURE

Knowledge Modules

514201-001-00-KM-01, Cosmetic Chemistry, NQF Level 4, 5 Credits.

514201-001-00-KM-02, Professionalism and Business Principles, NQF Level 4, 10 Credits.

514201-001-00-KM-03, Setting up a Salon Business Plan, NQF Level 4, 7 Credits.

514201-001-00-KM-04, Integumentary System, NQF Level 4, 5 Credits.

514201-001-00-KM-05, Human Anatomy, NQF Level 4, 5 Credits.

Total number of credits for Knowledge Modules: 32

Practical Skill Modules

514201-001-00-PM-04, Provide a Manicure and Pedicure Service, NQF Level 4, 12 Credits.

Total number of credits for Practical Skill Modules: 12

Work Experience Modules

514201-001-00-WM-02, Processes and Procedures for a Manicure and Pedicure Treatment, NQF Level 4, 3 Credits.

Total number of credits for Work Experience Modules: 3

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