

**ITEC LEVEL 2 NVQ UNIT 710
PROVIDE MANICURE SERVICES
TEST SPECIFICATION 2010**

External Assessment Method:	Multiple Choice Question Paper which can be taken on demand. The Anatomy & Physiology can be tested in the A&P Generic Question Paper or within the individual unit.	
Duration of External Assessment:	37 Minutes	
Pass Mark:	100%	
Grading:	Pass or refer	
Frequency of External Assessment:	On demand (once ALL hours for the units have been completed)	
Assessment criteria to be Assessed:	All assessment criteria will be assessed	
Format of Questions:	Stem, 1 key and 3 distracters	
No. of Questions	32 Questions	
Distribution of questions: Each question will be allocated one mark.	<u>Unit</u> Provide Manicure Services	<u>No. of Questions per Unit</u> 32
The breakdown of questions listed can be found in the assessment criteria in the ITEC syllabus for unit 710 as follows:	<u>Breakdown of Questions</u> Unit 710 Provide Manicure Services <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The types of conditions and disorders that may contra-indicate the service and why (4Q) • The types of conditions and disorders that may restrict the service and why (4Q) • The importance of and reasons for not naming specific contra-indications when referring clients to a general practitioner (1Q) • How to identify treatable nail and skin conditions (2Q) 	<u>Related to ITEC Assessment Criteria for each Unit as listed below:</u> 7.1 7.2 2.7 9.1

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The bones of the hand and lower arm - (Refer to A&P generic test specification) 	8.1
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The muscles of the lower arm and hand - (Refer to A&P generic test specification) 	8.2
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The blood circulation to the lower arm and hand - (Refer to A&P generic test specification) 	8.3
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The structure of the nail unit - (Refer to A&P generic test specification) 	8.4
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The process of nail growth - (3Q) 	8.5
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The structure and function of the skin - (Refer to A&P generic test specification) 	8.6
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The skin characteristics and skin types of different ethnic client groups (1Q) 	8.7
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How to adapt manicure service to suit a male client (1Q) 	9.4
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The benefits and effects of the hand and nail treatments in the range (4Q) 	9.5
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The features and benefits of manicure products (2Q) 	9.6
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The effects of massage techniques on the nails, skin, muscles and underlying structures (4Q) 	9.13
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The different types of massage mediums and when they should be used (2Q) 	9.14
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The reasons for applying base and top coat and the consequences of not doing so (2Q) 	9.17
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Possible contra-actions which may occur during or after the manicure service (2Q) 	7.3
Administration of External Assessment:	For security required of centres and for the administration of examination papers, please refer to the <i>ITEC Regulations and Procedures for Operating Theory Examinations</i> document.	