

## Unit 717 - Carry Out Nail Art Services

Guided Learning Hours: 30

Learning Outcome	Assessment Criteria
1. Be able to use safe and effective and safe working methods when providing nail art services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>1.1 Prepare the work area, according to legal, hygiene and industry Code of Practice for Nail Services requirements</li><li>1.2 Maintain personal standards of hygiene, protection and appearance, according to industry Code of Practice for Nail Services and organisational requirements</li><li>1.3 Clean all equipment using suitable methods</li><li>1.4 Position equipment and materials for safety and ease of use</li><li>1.5 Position the client and themselves to minimise fatigue and risk of injury to meet the needs of the service</li><li>1.6 Dispose of waste materials, according to local authority and the industry Code of Practice for Nail Services</li><li>1.7 Complete the treatment within a commercially viable time</li><li>1.8 Leave the treatment area in a suitable condition for further treatments</li><li>1.9 Keep records up-to-date, accurate, easy to read and signed</li></ul>
2. Be able to consult, plan and prepare for nail art services with clients	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>2.1 Use client questioning to identify contra-indications to make-up, recording the client's responses</li><li>2.2 Provide advice to the client without causing concern or referring to specific medical conditions</li><li>2.3 Refer clients with contra-indicated skin conditions to the senior therapist</li><li>2.4 Obtain signed, written, informed consent prior to carrying out the treatment from the client or parent/guardian if the client is a minor</li></ul>

	<p>2.5 Check that a parent or guardian is present throughout the treatment for minors</p> <p>2.6 Use consultation techniques to identify the client's treatment needs</p> <p>2.7 Encourage clients to ask questions to clarify any points</p> <p>2.8 Assess the client's nail and skin condition, interpreting the information to the client</p> <p>2.9 Prepare the clients hands and feet through disinfection and removal of existing nail polish</p> <p>2.10 Recommend nail art designs and products to suit the client's nail shape and condition</p> <p>2.11 Confirm the service and outcomes, according to the client's needs</p>
<p>3 Be able to carry out nail art services</p>	<p>3.1 Use filing techniques to ensure the nail free edge is left smooth and shaped to the required length</p> <p>3.2 Clean the nail of debris and leave the cuticle neat and tidy and free from any product</p> <p>3.3 Apply a suitable base coat and nail art base, according to the design plan</p> <p>3.4 Use products and tools for nail art techniques, according to industry guidelines</p> <p>3.5 Use sequenced nail art techniques to achieve the required design</p> <p>3.6 Confirm the client's satisfaction with the finished nail art result</p> <p>3.7 Provide suitable aftercare advice to the client</p>
<p>4. Know organisational and legal requirements of nail art services</p>	<p>4.1 Describe own responsibilities under relevant health and safety legislation and the Industry Code of Practice for Nail Services</p> <p>4.2 Describe the importance of the Disability Discrimination Act in relation to the salon</p> <p>4.3 Describe why minors should not be given services without informed consent and presence of a parent or guardian</p>

	<p>4.4 Describe the legal significance of gaining signed, informed consent</p> <p>4.5 Describe how to maintain and store the clients records in the salon and its importance</p> <p>4.6 Describe the importance of storing clients records in accordance with the Data Protection Act</p> <p>4.7 Describe the salon’s expected service times and pricing structures for completing nail art services</p> <p>4.8 Describe the importance of completing the service in a commercially viable time</p>
<p>5. Know how to work safely and effectively when providing nail art services</p>	<p>5.1 Describe own types of personal protective equipment and its importance</p> <p>5.2 Describe the condition contact dermatitis and how to avoid developing it when carrying out nail services</p> <p>5.3 Describe the environmental conditions needed for nail art and their importance</p> <p>5.4 Describe how to prepare , position and use tools and materials for nail art services</p> <p>5.5 Compare the different methods of disinfecting, sterilising and maintaining hygiene of tools and equipment</p> <p>5.6 Describe how to prepare and position themselves and the client for nail art services, avoiding potential discomfort and injury</p> <p>5.7 Describe the principles of avoiding cross-infection and the importance of maintaining standards of general hygiene</p> <p>5.8 Describe how to minimise and dispose of waste from services</p> <p>5.9 Describe the condition in which to leave the work area and its importance</p>
<p>6. Know how to use client consultation, planning and preparation for nail art services</p>	<p>6.1 Describe how to use consultation techniques to meet the needs of different client groups</p> <p>6.2 Describe the questioning and listening skills used to gather information</p> <p>6.3 Describe how to give advice and recommendations to clients</p>

	<p>6.4 Describe how to conduct nail and skin analysis</p> <p>6.5 Describe the importance and legal significance of questioning clients and recording responses about contra-indications to nail art services</p> <p>6.6 Describe the importance of providing time and encouragement for client's to ask questions</p> <p>6.7 Describe how to prepare service plans</p>
7. Know the contra-indications and contra-actions of nail art	<p>7.1 Describe contra-indications requiring medical referral and why</p> <p>7.2 Describe contra-indications which restrict the service and why</p> <p>7.3 Describe the reasons for not naming specific contra-indications and the importance of encouraging clients to seek medical advice</p> <p>7.4 Describe the possible contra-actions which may occur during or after the nail art service</p>
8 Know the structure and growth of nails	<p>8.1 Describe the structure of the nail unit</p> <p>8.2 Describe the process of nail growth</p> <p>8.3 Describe the structure and function of the skin</p> <p>8.4 Compare the skin structure, characteristics and types of different ethnic client groups</p> <p>8.5 Compare the different natural nail shapes encountered during nail art services</p>
9 Know about nail art services	<p>9.1 Compare the different techniques used within nail art services</p> <p>9.2 Compare the different types and uses of nail art products and tools</p> <p>9.3 Compare the different style and themes of designs available</p> <p>9.4 Describe how to select and combine colours to complement their design</p>

	<p>9.5 Describe the limitations on the application of nail art designs due to the condition of clients' nails</p> <p>9.6 Describe the maintenance requirements for nail art designs</p> <p>9.7 Describe how to remove nail art designs</p>
<p>10. Be able to provide aftercare advice for clients following nail art services</p>	<p>10.1 Describe the aftercare and maintenance requirements for nail art services and their importance</p> <p>10.2 Describe beneficial products and tools for the client's home use</p> <p>10.3 Describe client advice for different contra-actions that may occur after nail services</p> <p>10.4 Describe how to resolve accidental damage</p> <p>10.5 State the recommended time intervals for nail art services</p>