

Field Service Sector**Revision and Rollover of *Salon Skills* unit standards**

Subfield	Domain	ID
Beauty Services	Salon Skills	9953, 21935, 21937, 21938, 21940, 27168, 28019, 28025, 28027

NZ Hair and Beauty Industry Training Organisation Inc (HITO) has completed the revision and rollover of the unit standards above.

Date new versions published **September 2019**

Planned review date **December 2021**

Summary

HITO's Technical Advisory Panel and Board have revised and rolled over these unit standards as part of HITO's scheduled maintenance plan.

The industry stakeholder representatives considered any feedback received from organisations with consent to assess for these standards as part of this process. Feedback about required changes was minimal, and moderation had not indicated any major issues with the content of the standards. As a result, it was decided to roll over these standards, with a new planned review date to match the rest of the standards in the Salon Skills domain. HITO will undertake a review of all standards in this domain at the same time, in 2021.

The revision has resulted in minor amendments to ensure the standards are fit-for-purpose and meet the current needs of industry pending the full review of standards in this domain.

Main changes

- References and legislation were updated for currency.
- In standards 21935, 21937, 21938, the requirement for assessment to take place over 10 consecutive scheduled working days was reduced to five days, in response to stakeholder feedback around what is reasonable for Level 2 learners within the assigned credit values.
- In standard 21940, wording of some performance criteria (PCs) and the range for PC 3.1 were simplified to clarify the intent of the standard.
- The title, and related wording throughout, was amended in response to feedback of stakeholders to clarify the intent of standard 27168.
- The level of standard 28019 was increased from 4 to 5 in response to feedback from stakeholders that the skills and knowledge required by this standard do not align with the NZQF descriptors for Level 4.

Impact on existing organisations with consent to assess

Current consent for			Consent extended to		
Nature of consent	Classification or ID	Level	Nature of consent	Classification or ID	Level
Subfield	Beauty Services	4	Standard	28019	5
Domain	Salon Skills	4	Standard	28019	5

Detailed list of unit standards – classification, title, level, and credits

All changes are in **bold**.

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ID	Title	Level	Credit
9953	Provide client service and care in a hairdressing or barbering salon environment	2	4
21935	Maintain order and supplies in a hairdressing or barbering salon environment	2	5
21937	Assist an operator in a salon environment	2	4
21938	Converse and interact with clients and operators in a salon environment	2	3
21940	Demonstrate knowledge of workplace requirements for employment in a salon	2	5
27168	Select and recommend products for an at-home nail service Select and recommend nail products for use at home	3	3
28019	Develop a health and safety plan for a commercial salon	4 5	10
28025	Demonstrate knowledge of the client journey in a salon	2	2
28027	Demonstrate knowledge of undertaking an observation of technical skills in a salon	2	3