

Title	Select and apply midway hair colour		
Level	3	Credits	6

Purpose	<p>This unit standard is for people in the hairdressing industry who have knowledge of temporary and semi-permanent colour and wish to further develop their knowledge and skills in colour selection and application.</p> <p>People credited with this unit standard are able to: demonstrate knowledge of midway colour and colour services; prepare client for application of midway hair colour; select, prepare and apply midway hair colour; and complete follow-up actions.</p>
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Classification	Beauty Services > Hairdressing
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Available grade	Achieved
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Explanatory notes

1 Definitions

Legislative requirements refer to the obligations of the employer and/or employee under the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015 and Health (Hairdressers) Regulations 1980.

Workplace requirements mean the practices prescribed by management as being the quality standards for client contact and work organisation for a particular salon.

Midway hair colour requires mixing with a developer. Within industry it is also known by other terms such as 'demi' colour, and 'quasi' colour. This difference in terminology is often due to differences between product lines.

Following service may include but is not limited to – haircut, blow wave.

- 2 In this unit standard all work must comply with legislative requirements and must ensure optimum hair condition and maximum client comfort at all times.

Outcomes and evidence requirements

Outcome 1

Demonstrate knowledge of midway colour and colour services.

Evidence requirements

- 1.1 The characteristics of midway hair colours are identified in terms of their effect on the hair.

- 1.2 The process of midway colour selection is described in terms of client's requirements.
- 1.3 The effects of developer in midway colour are described.
- 1.4 The application of midway colour is described in terms of the requirements of different colour services.
- Range retouch, virgin hair.

Outcome 2

Prepare client for application of midway hair colour.

Evidence requirements

- 2.1 Consultation with the client identifies and confirms work needed.
- 2.2 The hair and scalp are analysed.
- Range porosity, elasticity, texture, density, length, scalp conditions, percentage of grey, base colour, reflect.
- 2.3 A predisposition test for allergies is conducted in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- 2.4 The client is protected against water and/or chemical spillage.
- 2.5 Hair is prepared for colouring in accordance with manufacturer's instructions and confirmed outcome.
- Range may include but is not limited to – pre-cleansing.

Outcome 3

Select and prepare midway hair colour.

Evidence requirements

- 3.1 Hair colour is selected to meet hair and scalp analysis and confirmed outcome.
- 3.2 Developer is selected in accordance with manufacturer's instructions and confirmed outcome.
- 3.3 Hair colour and developer are measured and mixed in accordance with manufacturer's instructions and confirmed outcome.

Outcome 4

Apply midway hair colour.

Evidence requirements

- 4.1 Midway hair colour application is completed in accordance with hair and scalp analysis and manufacturer's instructions to ensure even coverage, and the confirmed outcome.
- 4.2 Midway hair colour processing and residue removal is completed in accordance with manufacturer's instructions and meets confirmed outcome and hair protection requirements.
- 4.3 Midway hair colour is applied, processed, and the residue removed, within one hour.

Outcome 5

Complete follow-up actions.

Evidence requirements

- 5.1 Hair is prepared for following service.
 Range may include but is not limited to – towel dried, combed, product applied.
- 5.2 Home haircare advice provided is consistent with client’s hair type and completed service.
 Range product type, maintenance advice.
- 5.3 The record card is filled out in accordance with workplace requirements.
 Range client details, completed service, advice provided.
- 5.4 Tools and equipment are sanitised in accordance with workplace requirements.
- 5.5 The work area is cleaned and tidied in accordance with workplace requirements.
 Range work area – shampoo area, styling station, dispensary.

Replacement information	This unit standard and unit standard 19792 replaced unit standard 2883.
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Status information and last date for assessment for superseded versions

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Registration	1	27 January 2003	31 December 2019
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Review	3	21 July 2016	N/A

Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference	0020
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This CMR can be accessed at <http://www.nzqa.govt.nz/framework/search/index.do>.

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Requirements for consent to assess and an outline of the moderation system that applies to this standard are outlined in the Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMRs). The CMR also includes useful information about special requirements for organisations wishing to develop education and training programmes, such as minimum qualifications for tutors and assessors, and special resource requirements.

Comments on this unit standard

Please contact the NZ Hair and Beauty Industry Training Organisation Inc enquiries@hito.org.nz if you wish to suggest changes to the content of this unit standard.