

<b>Title</b>	<b>Select and apply permanent hair colour</b>		
<b>Level</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>10</b>

<b>Purpose</b>	<p>This unit standard is for people in the hairdressing industry who have knowledge of temporary, semi-permanent and midway colour and wish to extend their knowledge and skills in colour selection and application.</p> <p>People credited with this unit standard are able to: demonstrate knowledge of permanent colour and colour services; demonstrate knowledge of predisposition testing and the signs of anaphylactic reaction; explain colour selection; prepare client's hair for permanent colour application; prepare and apply permanent hair colour; and complete follow-up actions.</p>
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<b>Classification</b>	Beauty Services > Hairdressing
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<b>Available grade</b>	Achieved
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### Guidance Information

- 1 Definitions
 

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

*Legislative requirements* refer to the obligations of the employer and/or employee under the Health and Safety in Employment Act 1992 and Health (Hairdressers) Regulations 1980.
- 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.
- 3 Range
 

Evidence must include – a virgin head service, a lightening of at least two levels service, a retouch service, and a tinting darker service.
- 4 Recommended skills and knowledge: Unit 19791, *Select and apply midway hair colour*, or demonstrate equivalent knowledge and skills.

### Outcomes and performance criteria

#### Outcome 1

Demonstrate knowledge of permanent colour and colour services.

**Performance criteria**

- 1.1 The characteristics of permanent hair colours are identified in terms of their effect on the hair.
- 1.2 The process of permanent colour selection is described in terms of client's requirements.
- 1.3 The chemical properties of different strengths of hydrogen peroxide are described in terms of its uses and its potential dangers.
- Range includes but is not limited to – 1.5%, 3%, 6%, 9%, 12%.
- 1.4 The application of permanent colour is described in terms of the requirements of different services.
- Range retouch, virgin hair, colour change.
- 1.5 The importance of accurate hair texture analysis is described in terms of the requirements of different services.

**Outcome 2**

Demonstrate knowledge of predisposition testing and the signs of anaphylactic reaction.

**Performance criteria**

- 2.1 The importance and purpose of predisposition tests for allergies are explained in terms of possible chemical reaction with skin and scalp.
- 2.2 The method for conducting a predisposition test for allergies is described in terms of manufacturer's instructions.
- 2.3 The required actions to be taken in the event of a positive predisposition test are described in terms of manufacturer's instructions and legislative requirements.
- 2.4 The signs of anaphylactic reaction are described in terms of required actions.
- Range during predisposition test, during hair service.

**Outcome 3**

Explain colour selection.

**Performance criteria**

3.1 The selection of permanent colour is explained in terms of achieving desired result.

Range minimum of five selections with differing results; selections may include considerations of – a range of bases from two to ten, reflects, levels of lift and deposit, percentage of grey.

**Outcome 4**

Prepare client's hair for permanent colour application.

**Performance criteria**

4.1 Consultation with the client identifies and confirms work needed.

4.2 The hair and scalp are analysed.

Range porosity, elasticity, texture, density, length, scalp conditions, percentage of grey, base colour, reflect.

4.3 The client is protected against water and/or chemical spillage.

4.4 A predisposition test is conducted for allergies in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.

4.5 Colour is selected to match hair and scalp analysis and confirmed outcome.

4.6 Hair is prepared for permanent colour application in accordance with manufacturer's instructions and confirmed outcome.

Range may include but is not limited to pre-cleansing.

**Outcome 5**

Prepare permanent hair colour.

**Performance criteria**

5.1 Developer is selected in accordance with manufacturer's instructions and confirmed outcome.

5.2 Hair colour and developer are measured and mixed in accordance with manufacturer's instructions and confirmed outcome.

**Outcome 6**

Apply permanent hair colour.

**Performance criteria**

- 6.1 Permanent hair colour application is completed in accordance with hair and scalp analysis and manufacturer’s instructions to ensure even coverage, and the confirmed outcome.
- 6.2 Permanent hair colour processing and residue removal is completed in accordance with manufacturer’s instructions and meets confirmed outcome and hair protection requirements.
- 6.3 Permanent hair colour is applied, processed, and the residue removed, within one hour and thirty minutes.

**Outcome 7**

Complete follow-up actions.

**Performance criteria**

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

<b>Replacement information</b>	<p>This unit standard, unit standard 19791, unit standard 25789, and unit standard 28835 have been replaced by unit standard 33220, unit standard 33221, and unit standard 33222.</p> <p>This unit standard and unit standard 19791 replaced unit standard 2883.</p>
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**This unit standard is expiring. Assessment against the standard must take place by the last date for assessment set out below.**

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