Title	Select and maintain barbering tools and equipment		
Level	3	Credits	4

Purpose	This unit standard is for entry-level people who work with tools and equipment in the barbering industry.		
	People credited with this unit standard are able to select and maintain barbering tools and equipment.		

Classification	Beauty Services > Barbering

Available grade	Achieved
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Guidance Information

1 Definition

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.

2 In this unit standard all maintenance work must comply with legislative requirements and must ensure the longevity and optimum performance of tools and equipment.

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Select barbering tools and equipment.

Performance criteria

1.1 Identify and describe tools and equipment in terms of their specific uses.

> Range tools – brushes, combs, scissors, razors, clippers, blow dryers,

neck trimmers, clipper attachments, cutthroat razor, neck strips,

towels, shaving brush, neckbrush;

equipment – barber's chair, hot towel cabinet, steamer, sharps

container, sterilising equipment.

1.2 Select tools and equipment to match barbering service requirements.

> Range evidence relating to three barbering services is required.

Outcome 2

Maintain barbering tools and equipment.

Performance criteria

2.1 Describe cleaning and maintenance procedures for tools and equipment in accordance with manufacturer's instructions (where available), legislative requirements and optimum performance and safety requirements.

Range includes but is not limited to – blow dryers, barber's chair, sharps

disposal, scissors, razors, neck trimmers, clippers.

2.2 Identify and describe types of oils and cleaning agents required for maintaining tools and equipment in terms of their specific uses.

Range may include but is not limited to oils and cleaning agents for –

scissors, razors, neck trimmers, clippers;

evidence is required for a minimum of four types of tools and

equipment.

2.3 Clean and maintain tools and equipment.

Range includes but is not limited to – scissors, razors, neck trimmers,

clippers, brushes, combs, clipper attachments, towels, capes;

includes sanitisation and sterilisation procedures.

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Comments on this unit standard

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