

<b>Title</b>	<b>Bleach and tone hair</b>		
<b>Level</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>10</b>

<b>Purpose</b>	<p>This unit standard is for learners in the hairdressing industry who have knowledge and ability in hair colour selection and application and who wish to extend their knowledge and further develop their skills for bleaching and toning.</p> <p>People credited with this unit standard are able to: prepare to bleach hair; prepare bleaching products; bleach hair; tone hair; 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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<b>Entry information</b>	
<b>Critical health and safety prerequisites</b>	Unit 12313, <i>Perform a full-head highlighting service</i> , or demonstrate equivalent knowledge and skills.
<b>Recommended skills and knowledge</b>	Unit 19792, <i>Select and apply permanent hair colour</i> , or demonstrate equivalent knowledge and skills.

### Explanatory notes

- 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.
- For final assessment, a full head of hair must be bleached and toned from scalp to tips. 50% of the head of hair must be a minimum of six centimetres long to demonstrate knowledge of working with a heat band. The bleach and tone must result in a minimum of three levels of lift in colour.
- For practising the skills within this standard and to demonstrate the ability to repeat performance, evidence may include bleach and tone on a minimum 50% area of the head.
- In this unit standard all work must comply with legislative requirements and must ensure optimum hair condition and maximum client comfort at all times.

- 5 This unit standard does not include the counteracting of colour reflects in hair. For counteraction of colour reflects in hair, people may seek credit for Unit 28836, *Complete elementary colour corrections for hair*.
- 6 The use of toning for this unit standard should be to enhance the bleaching, not to correct colouring.

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## Outcomes and evidence requirements

### Outcome 1

Prepare to bleach hair.

Range preparation includes strand tests to determine underlying pigment.

### Evidence requirements

- 1.1 Consultation with client identifies and confirms work needed.
- 1.2 The hair and scalp are analysed.
- Range porosity, elasticity, texture, density, length, scalp conditions, base colour, reflect, percentage of grey.
- 1.3 Preparation includes a predisposition test for allergies in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- 1.4 The client is protected against water and/or chemical spillage.
- 1.5 Client's hair is prepared for bleaching in accordance with manufacturer's instructions and to produce optimum results.

### Outcome 2

Prepare bleaching products.

### Evidence requirements

- 2.1 Products which will cause minimum hair and scalp damage are selected in accordance with confirmed outcome and hair and scalp analysis.
- 2.2 Products are measured and mixed in accordance with manufacturer's instructions and confirmed outcome.
- 2.3 Products are prepared safely in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.

### Outcome 3

Bleach hair.

### Evidence requirements

- 3.1 Selected bleaching technique meets confirmed outcome and is compatible with hair and scalp analysis.
- 3.2 Bleach is applied in accordance with selected technique to produce confirmed outcome with maximum protection to the hair and scalp.
- 3.3 The bleach is processed in accordance with manufacturer's instructions and is monitored to achieve confirmed outcome and even results.
- 3.4 Strand test confirms the desired result.
- 3.5 Safety of the client is monitored during processing.
- Range includes but is not limited to – hair is aerated, no compacting of product.
- 3.6 Bleach removal ensures maximum hair and scalp protection and is in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- 3.7 The scalp is checked for any chemical damage.

#### **Outcome 4**

Tone hair.

#### **Evidence requirements**

- 4.1 Toner is selected according to the colour achieved and confirmed outcome.
- 4.2 Hair preparation ensures maximum hair and scalp protection and is in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- Range predisposition test must be undertaken.
- 4.3 Toner is mixed and measured in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- 4.4 Toner is applied and processed in accordance with manufacturer's instructions and confirmed outcome.
- 4.5 Toner residue is removed in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.

#### **Outcome 5**

Complete follow-up actions.

#### **Evidence requirements**

- 5.1 Hair is prepared for the following service.
- Range may include but is not limited to – towel dried, combed, product applied.

5.2 Home haircare advice provided is consistent with hair type and completed service.

Range product type, hair maintenance.

5.3 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.

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#### Status information and last date for assessment for superseded versions

Process	Version	Date	Last Date for Assessment
Registration	1	8 February 1995	31 December 2016
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<b>Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference</b>	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.

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**Comments on this unit standard**

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