Esthetician Advanced Practice CERTIFICATE

Program Overview
Advanced Practice (AP) esthetics services include specialized training and clinical practice in four AP esthetics categories: chemical exfoliation of the skin, exfoliation of the skin using a machine or device, advanced skin care techniques, and skin needling.

The Esthetician Advanced Practice Certificate is designed to be the next level of training for the esthetician or cosmetologist that wishes to specialize in the above-mentioned categories including advanced understanding of skin anatomy and physiology, skin histology, skin care products and ingredients, pre and post treatment regimens, client consultation including skin analysis and skin typing, and risk management. Students learn to perform chemical peels, hydrodermabrasion, microdermabrasion, dermaplaning, skin needling, facials utilizing machines, electrical devices, facial lymphatic drainage massage, and advanced extractions using needles and lancets.

This certificate is for the student who has a current/active Minnesota basic esthetician license, Minnesota cosmetology license; or for the student who has completed all theory, practical training and state testing as defined in Rule by the State of Minnesota and the Minnesota Board of Cosmetology and is progressing onto the next level of esthetics licensure.

Career Opportunities
After AP Esthetics students complete all theory, practical training and state testing as defined in Rule by the State of Minnesota and the Minnesota Board of Cosmetology, they are eligible for licensure through the Minnesota Board of Cosmetology. AP estheticians work in a variety of settings including salons, spas, fitness centers, medi-spa’s, and skin clinics. AP estheticians may also have their own Advanced Practice Esthetics business.

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Textbook and Supply Costs
Students should expect to spend approximately $2,500.00 for Advanced Practice esthetics books and supplies. Tuition, college fees and books for remaining courses are not included in this cost. Books can be purchased from the Online College Bookstore. Be prepared to purchase all esthetics kits with the instructor on the second day of class.

Financial aid must have been completed. In addition, there are required fees to take the Minnesota licensing exams and obtain a Minnesota license.

Cosmetology Student Handbook/Agreement Form
All new and returning students will need to access D2L Brightspace PRIOR to the first day of classes to read the Cosmetology Student Handbook. After you have read the handbook, you MUST print and sign the Student Agreement Form, Hepatitis B Vaccination/Declination Form, Property and Equipment Form, and Rollabout form and return them to your instructor the FIRST DAY of class before you will be admitted to class. You will need to perform this task prior to the first day of EACH semester. Please direct questions to the assigned instructor of your first class.

Program Requirements
☐ Check off when completed
☐ Required Program Orientation
All Cosmetology, Esthetics, Advanced Practice Esthetics and Nail Technician applicants must attend a program orientation prior to enrollment as a full-time student. Please call the Clinic Receptionist at 651.846.1329 to reserve your space at orientation.

Course Requirements

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Subtotal .......................... 19/536

Total Program Credits .................. 19

Program Start Dates
Fall, Spring

Course Sequence
The following course sequence is required and can be completed by full-time students in one semester.

First Semester
ESTH 1710 Risk Management for Estheticians (online) .......................... 2
ESTH 1712 Advanced Exfoliation .................................................. 4
ESTH 1714 Advanced Skin Care Techniques ................................. 5
ESTH 1716 Advanced Clinic 1 for Estheticians .............................. 4
ESTH 1718 Advanced Clinic 2 for Estheticians .............................. 4

Total Semester Credits ........................................ 19

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The following information is subject to change.
This Program Requirements Guide is not a contract.