

1. Title	Know about the transmission and prevention of common infectious diseases
2. Code	BEZZCN201A
3. Range	Know about the transmission channels of general infectious diseases; understand the importance of hygiene and follow the regulations and guidelines on hygiene; take effective measures and procedures according to the instructions to prevent transmission of general infectious diseases at beauty-related workplaces.
4. Level	2
5. Credit	6 (for reference only)
6. Competency	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Performance Requirements</u></p> <p>6.1 Know about basic concept of epidemiology</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Know about the structure, classification, growth and breeding condition of all kinds of micro-organisms e.g. virus, bacteria, fungus and bacterial parasite ◆ Understand the basic concept of epidemiology <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Definitions of infectious disease and relevant terms e.g. carrier, latency • Types of pathogen • Source of infection • Transmission mode e.g. direct or indirect contact, transmission through air, saliva, animals, insects, cuts and blood • Groups vulnerable to infection ◆ Understand and have the knowledge of the basic steps to prevent infectious diseases <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Isolation and quarantine • Extinguish the source of infection and improve environmental hygiene • Strengthen personal immunity • Establish good personal hygienic behaviour and habits ◆ Know about regulations related to the prevention and control of infectious disease <p>6.2 Follow regulations and guidelines on hygiene to prevent the occurrence and transmission of general infectious diseases according to the instructions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Follow regulations and guidelines on hygiene to prevent the occurrence and transmission of general infectious diseases according to the instructions during beauty-related routines ◆ Maintain good personal and environmental hygiene to prevent the transmission of general infectious diseases ◆ Correctly sterilize tools and materials before and after the beauty treatment and dispose contaminants properly according to the code of practice for personal and working hygiene

7. Assessment Criteria	The integrated outcome requirements of this unit of competency are: (i) Capable to know about the conditions for the occurrence of general infectious diseases and their transmission channels; and (ii) Capable in following the regulations and guidelines on hygiene, and take effective measures and procedures according to the instructions to prevent the occurrence and transmission of general infectious diseases at beauty-related workplaces.
8. Remarks	