1. Title	Blend aromatherapy products for beauty care
2. Code	BEZZHC301A
3. Range	Master aromatherapy beauty knowledge and techniques; select and blend aromatherapy products and provide beauty services at places providing such services to suit customers' needs.
4. Level	3
5. Credit	6 (for reference only)
6. Competency	Performance Requirements
	 ♦ Understand the properties, beauty effects and mixed use of popular aromatherapy essential oils ♦ Understand the properties and beauty effects of popular carrier oils ♦ Understand the techniques, dilution ratio and concerns for blending compound essential oils ♦ Understand the techniques, dilution ratio and concerns for blending massage oils ♦ Understand the beauty therapy effects and possible physical effects or adverse effects of aromatherapy product compounds ♦ Understand popular aromatherapy treatments, their effects and relevant concerns e.g. vaporisation, direct inhalation, cold/hot compress, bath, etc. ♦ Understand the contraindications of aromatherapy for beauty care e.g. pregnancy, high blood pressure, epilepsy and over-sensitivity of skin ♦ Know about the handling and storage methods of all types of aromatherapy products and relevant concerns ♦ Understand types of essential oils suitable for different types of skins e.g. dry, oily, sensitive, aging, etc. ♦ Understand safety practices and concerns for using essential oils
	 6.2 Blend aromatic oils for beauty care Make preparations for aromatherapy beauty treatment, such as: Preparing the treatment room and necessary materials Sterilizing the hands and tools

	 Master the effects and blending techniques of different essential oils, and popular aromatherapy beauty care methods; correctly select and blend aromatherapy oil products and carry out related beauty treatment according to the customers' needs and the agreed treatment plan: Correctly select, blend and dilute essential oils and carrier oils to suit the parts of the body being treated, age and skin nature of the customers Correctly blend massage oils, essential oil compounds, etc. to suit different beauty needs and methods Clearly explain the information, beauty treatment effects and possible adverse effects of the aromatherapy products used by the customers; record relevant information Advise the customers on home beauty-care and relevant concerns
7. Assessment Criteria	The integrated outcome requirements of this unit of competency are: (i) Capable to master aromatherapy beauty knowledge, the techniques of blending aromatherapy oil products and their effects and contraindications; and (ii) Capable to select essential oils and carrier oils, blend them according to correct dilution ratio and carry out beauty treatment to suit the customers' treatment needs.
8. Remarks	