

Specification of Competency Standards of the Beauty and Hairdressing Industry

**Unit of Competency**

**Functional Area: Hair & Scalp Care**

Title	Master the Contraindications of Hair Transplant
Code	105360L4
Range	This unit of competency (UoC) is applicable in hairdressing-related workplaces. It requires judgement and analysis. Practitioners should be able to correctly explain the contraindications of hair transplant to customers, and give appropriate advice on hair transplant and care.
Level	4
Credit	6 (for reference only)
Competency	<p>Performance Requirements</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Understand hair transplant knowledge <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Possess basic knowledge of hair, e.g.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Form of hair</li> <li>• General hair diseases, etc.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Know about the types of abnormal hair loss, e.g.: extensive, partial (circular baldness, male baldness), etc.</li> <li>• Understand causes of hair loss and the care methods, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Congenital, e.g. genetic disease</li> <li>• Physiological, e.g. pregnancy, childbirth, menopause</li> <li>• Pathological, e.g.: endocrine disorders, hormones, pressure, medications, chemicals, etc.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Understand hair transplant knowledge, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Types of hair transplant, e.g. scar-free, hidden scar, etc.</li> <li>• Different methods and techniques of hair transplant</li> <li>• Factors affecting hair transplant effects</li> <li>• Contraindications of hair transplant, e.g.: skin diseases, allergies, etc.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Know about the functions, correct usage and contraindications of different hair transplant tools/equipment</li> </ul> </li> <li>2. Apply hair transplant knowledge <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Master knowledge of hair science, analyze customers' hair condition, causes of hair loss and hair transplant needs, and recommend appropriate hair transplant methods to them</li> <li>• Master the contraindications of hair transplant and provide appropriate health advice to customers according to different causes of hair loss and hair transplant methods</li> <li>• Explain to customers correctly the noting points for hair transplant and the contraindications</li> </ul> </li> <li>3. Exhibit professionalism <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Understand the professional qualification requirements on providing hair transplant in Hong Kong</li> </ul> </li> </ol>
Assessment Criteria	<p>The integrated outcome requirements of this UoC are the abilities to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Apply hair science and hair transplant knowledge to analyse customers' hair condition, causes of hair loss and hair transplant needs, and recommend appropriate hair transplant methods to them; and</li> <li>• Explain to customers correctly the contraindications of hair transplant according to the causes of their hair loss and hair transplant methods they choose.</li> </ul>
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