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Modification History

No equivalent unit.

Performance Evidence

Evidence of the ability to complete tasks outlined in elements and performance criteria of this unit in the context of the job role, and:

- provide six eyebrow cosmetic tattoos for six different clients with different skin types, skin colours and desired treatment outcomes
- during the above six cosmetic tattoos, use each of the following methods at least twice:
 - hair stroked
 - shading and solid
 - combination
- for each of the above clients:
 - diagnose client Fitzpatrick skin type
 - design eyebrow shapes
 - apply tattoo pigments
 - use suitable needles
 - evaluate healed results and provide touch-up treatment as required
 - photograph treatment area prior to, during and after treatment
 - record treatment and update client treatment plan
 - provide post-treatment care and product advice.

Knowledge Evidence

Demonstrated knowledge required to complete the tasks outlined in elements and performance criteria of this unit:

- state, territory or local health and hygiene regulations and requirements relevant to cosmetic tattooing:
 - skin penetration guidelines
 - use of topical anaesthetics
- practitioner's legal and insurance liabilities and responsibilities for cosmetic tattooing treatment:
 - role and importance of indemnity insurance
 - potential risks, liabilities and consequences of non-coverage
- organisational policies and procedures relevant to cosmetic tattooing:
 - client record management

- equipment use and maintenance
- incident reporting
- contingency management if skin does not react well to treatment
- linen use and laundry procedures
- personal hygiene and presentation
- presentation of treatment area
- waste disposal
- work health and safety
- work health and safety requirements:
 - safe practices and management when using electrical currents
 - safe practices for using needles
 - considerations for safety of operator and client during treatment
 - safe use of topical anaesthetics
- possible adverse reactions and how to manage these
- contraindications specific to eyebrow tattooing:
 - skin conditions:
 - conditions on effected area:
 - rosacea
 - dermatitis
 - eczema
 - currently under the care of a physician or dermatologist for any skin conditions pertaining the face
 - keloid scarring
 - four weeks pre-post resurfacing treatments:
 - Laser
 - BroadBand Light (BBL)
 - Intense Pulsed Light (IPL)
 - strong chemical peels
 - skin needling (four weeks pre-post)
 - visible sunburn
 - medical history:
 - uncontrolled diabetes
 - currently undergoing chemotherapy or radiation
 - pregnancy or breastfeeding
 - immunodeficiency virus
 - haemophilia
 - allergies to topical numbing ingredients (lidocaine, tetracaine, benzocaine, epinephrine)
 - prescription medicines:
 - isotretinoin

- prescription vitamin A
- opioid medication
- recent use of botox or fillers
- considerations:
 - blood thinning medication
 - thyroid medications
 - fish oil supplements
- face shapes:
 - bone structure
 - brow mapping
 - eye or eyelid shape
- treatment options:
 - tattoo with machine
 - tattoo with a hand tool
- different needles and their uses:
 - single
 - triple
 - slanted
- brow style options:
 - hair stroked
 - shading and solid
 - combination
- procedures for tattooing eyebrows:
 - cleansing
 - brow mapping and shaping
 - use of anaesthetic and topical creams
- tattooing techniques:
 - needle shapes, taper and selection
 - needle depth
 - needle angle
- available devices:
 - machine
 - single hair strokes
- post treatment care procedures and advice for specific treatment areas:
 - special care of treatment area
 - sun protection
 - managing the healing process
 - follow up treatments
 - ongoing assessment
 - healed expectations

- aftercare for eyebrow treatments:
 - safety related to resumption of lash enhancements after treatment
 - elevation of head
- procedures for reviewing and assessing treatment
- process correction of previous treatments to eyebrow.

Assessment Conditions

Skills must be demonstrated in a cosmetic tattooing environment; this can be:

- an industry workplace or
- a simulated workplace set up for the purpose of skills assessment

Assessment must ensure access to:

- relevant documentation:
 - organisational policies and procedures relevant to cosmetic tattooing
 - current standards and guidelines:
 - AS/NZS 1336:2014 Eye and face protection Guidelines
 - safety guidelines for skin penetration procedures
 - use of topical anaesthetics according to state or territory legislation
 - manufacturer instructions and safety data sheets for pigments and any other chemicals as required.

Assessment must ensure use of:

- cleaning and disinfection products and equipment
- client gowns and hair protectors
- personal protective equipment:
 - disposable gloves
 - apron
 - sharps container
- hand washing facilities:
 - basin
 - hot and cold running water
 - liquid soap
 - single use towels or hand dryer
- equipment and materials:
 - cosmetic tattoo machine
 - disposable hand tools
 - pigments (minimum of ten)
 - pigment:
 - holders
 - diluters
 - colour modifiers

- disposable needles in sterile packs
- disposable, single use, sterile skin wipes
- sterilised or single use and disposable small tools and equipment
- tissues
- topical anaesthetic creams, according to state or territory legislation
- individual work station consisting of:
 - adjustable treatment chair or table with safe working access to both sides and ends
 - individual electricity supply
 - magnifying lamp
 - operator chair
 - trolley for products
 - sterile dressing kit and equipment
 - brow powder, pencils, brow mapping string, sticky head bands for brow mapping
- treatment towels or linen, or disposable linen
- paying clients with different cosmetic tattooing requirements, and who have the expectation that the services provided reflect those of a commercial business
- assessment activities that allow the individual to:
 - complete cosmetic tattooing services within commercially realistic speed, timing and productivity requirements
 - demonstrate competency in an environment reflective of real work situations
 - manage tasks and contingencies in the context of the job role.

Assessors must satisfy the Standards for Registered Training Organisation' requirements for assessors and:

- have worked for at least three years where they have applied the skills and knowledge of this unit of competency

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

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