

Certificate: **NAIL TECHNOLOGY (NAT7)**

Credit Requirements: 17 semester credit hours

Criminal Background Check Required: YES

Urine Drug Screening Required: YES

This program teaches basic nail care, various nail additions, repair wraps, sanitation procedures and basic salon management practices. Licensed nail technicians must demonstrate that they have completed a 360 clock hour training program approved by the State Department of Labor Licensing and Regulation, and then must pass both written and practical exams of the State Board of Cosmetology.

Admission into this program requires acceptable scores on SAT, ACT or the Compass Placement Test. Applicants must be 18 years of age and possess a high school diploma or GED.

ADDITIONAL ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- Submission of Health Sciences Division physical examination form indicating the candidate has the ability to perform the physical tasks required in the program.
- Criminal background checks will be required of all students entering the program.
- Students will be responsible for purchasing uniforms and nail kits.

PROGRESSION REQUIREMENTS

- A grade of "C" or better in each of the required courses.

FIRST SEMESTER (FALL)

COS130	Professional Image	2
COS131	Bacteria and Other Infectious Agents	2
COS132	Science of Nail Technology	2
COS133	Basic Procedures	3
COS136	Fundamentals of Artificial Nail Application	4
COS224	Nail Practice I	4
	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>17</u>
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	17