

Tennessee Board of Cosmetology Exam

Aligned Program of Study: Cosmetology

Description:

A cosmetologist performs, for compensation, arranging, dressing, curling, waving, cleansing, cutting, singeing, bleaching, coloring, or similar work on the hair. A cosmetologist may care for or service wigs or hairpieces; manicure; massage, clean, stimulate, manipulate, exercise, beautify or perform similar work upon the hands, arms, face, neck, or feet with hands or by use of cosmetic preparations, tonics, lotions or creams; place or apply artificial eyelashes, give facials, apply makeup, give skincare, or remove superfluous hair by tweezing, depilatories, or waxing. Effective July 1, 2015, a cosmetologist may shave using a safety razor.

Certification Information

Test Owner

State of Tennessee Board of Cosmetology and Barber Examiners

Registration/Testing Sites/Centers

For locations and to register for the practical and theory tests, go to [PSI Exams Online](#).

Preparing to offer the certification

Required Instructor Qualification

Certified Cosmetology Instructor

Exam Details

Consists of both a practical and a theory test

Materials and Resources

The current state-adopted Cosmetology textbook is the main resource for this certification.

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The Tennessee State Board of Cosmetology has partnered with PSI exams for testing.	
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