

MINNESOTA WEST COMMUNITY & TECHNICAL COLLEGE

COURSE OUTLINE

DEPT. COSM

COURSE NUMBER: 1140

NUMBER OF CREDITS: 4

Lecture: 1 Lab: 3 OJT: 0

Course Title:

Clinic I

Catalog Description:

Clinic I will assist students to develop the practical skills necessary for entry-level salon work concentrating on nail structure and growth, nail diseases and disorders, as well as advanced techniques for manicuring, pedicuring, and artificial nail applications. This course will contribute 112 hours toward licensure. The State of Minnesota mandates the hours to go toward the hour requirements.
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Prerequisites or Necessary Entry Skills/Knowledge:

Preclinic courses COSM 1100, COSM 1105, COSM 1110, COSM 1115, COSM 1120 or by permission from instructor.

FULFILLS MN TRANSFER CURRICULUM AREA(S) (*Leave blank if not applicable*)

- ☐ Goal 1: Communication: By meeting the following competencies:
- ☐ Goal 2: Critical Thinking: By meeting the following competencies:
- ☐ Goal 3: Natural Sciences: By meeting the following competencies:
- ☐ Goal 4: Mathematics/Logical Reasoning: By meeting the following competencies:
- ☐ Goal 5: History and the Social and Behavioral Sciences: By meeting the following competencies:
- ☐ Goal 6: The Humanities and Fine Arts: By meeting the following competencies:
- ☐ Goal 7: Human Diversity: By meeting the following competencies:
- ☐ Goal 8: Global Perspective: By meeting the following competencies:
- ☐ Goal 9: Ethical and Civic Responsibility: By meeting the following competencies:
- ☐ Goal 10: People and the Environment: By meeting the following competencies:

Topics to be Covered

Safety precautions and contraindications for services Care and maintenance of natural finger and toenails Advanced artificial nail enhancement application techniques Compliance with Minnesota Cosmetology Laws and Rules

Student Learning Outcomes

Describe characteristics of normal healthy nails
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Identify the nine basic parts of the nail unit anatomical structure
Summarize how nails grow
List and relate diseases of the nail
Recognize nail diseases that serve as contraindications for salon services
Perform advanced manicuring and pedicuring techniques
Demonstrate dry preparation of nails for advanced enhancement applications
Practice artificial nail application, including tip and sculpture with acrylic and gel products

Is this course part of a transfer pathway: Yes ☐ No ☒

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