A smock will be required for all candidates participating in the practical exam. This smock must be snapped at the neckline and cover the backside. If a candidate is not wearing a smock, they will be disqualified from the exam.

**NOTE:** Esthetician candidates will perform all skills on a live model. Cosmetology candidates will perform all skills on a mannequin.

**GENERAL BAG**
(These items should be in a large container or separate container and labeled: “Disinfected”)
- Sanitizer/Disinfectant (Labeled: Sanitizer/Disinfectant)
- Hand sanitizer (Labeled: Hand Sanitizer)
- Paper towels
- Trash bag or trash can (Labeled: Trash)
- Spray bottle with water (Labeled: Water)
- First Aid kit containing: adhesive bandages, gauze or cotton wipe, antiseptic (Labeled: Antiseptic), gloves, and 2 small baggies (Labeled: Biohazard bags)
- Large separate container labeled: “Soiled” (All items that are reusable go into this container after skill set)
- Clips

**OTHER ITEMS TO BRING**
- Plain colored smock
- Estheticians must bring a live model. This model must be at least 16 years of age and may not be a licensed Cosmetologist, Esthetician or Manicurist. and they may not be going to school for such licenses.
- Mannequin stand and/or extender
- Small whisk broom and dustpan (Optional) (On carpeted floors, a comb works best to clean up cut hair)
- **Instructor examinations ONLY:**
  All Instructor candidates must bring mannequins for their services. All nail technicians must bring a sand hand, artificial limb or sand hand with artificial nails attached to represent the natural nail.

**Please Note:** Candidates are expected to take home all of their blood borne pathogenic materials in their own trash.

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**THERMAL STYLING**

**CURLING IRON**
- Cotton towel for draping
- White paper or white towel
- Curling iron
- Heat resistant combs
- Clippies (Optional)
- Styling aids (Optional and labeled correctly)

**FLAT IRON OR PRESSING COMB**
- Towel for draping
- White paper or white towel
- Heat resistant comb
- Flat iron or pressing comb

**CHEMICAL RELAXER**

**RETOUCH OR VIRGIN**
- Towels
- Chemical cape
- Non metal comb or applicator brush
- Mock base cream (Labeled: Base cream)
- Disposable gloves
- Mock relaxer (Labeled: Relaxer)

**HAIR REMOVAL — EYEBROW TWEEZING**

**(SINGLE BROW)**
- Antiseptic (Labeled: Antiseptic)
- Disposable gloves
- Tweezers
- Gauze, cotton, or cotton rounds

**BASIC FACIAL**
- Head drape (Both headband and cap)
- Towel or drape for chest
- Cleanser (Labeled: Cleanser)
- Cotton, gauze or esthetic wipes
- Massage cream (Labeled: Massage cream)
- Spatulas, or squeeze or pump bottles
- Toner (Labeled: Toner) or Astringent (Labeled: Astringent)
- Moisturizer (Labeled: Moisturizer)
FACIAL
SKIN CLEANSING
• Head drape (Both headband and cap)
• Towel or drape for chest
• Cleanser (Labeled: Cleanser)
• Cotton, gauze or esthetic wipes
• Spatulas or squeeze or pump bottles

HAIRCOLOR
HIGHLIGHTING
• 3–4 towels
• Chemical cape
• Disposable gloves
• Weaving comb or comb
• Foils
• Comb
• Applicator brush & bowl
• Mock haircolor (Labeled: Haircolor)

HAIRCOLOR
RETOUCH OR VIRGIN
• 3–4 towels
• Chemical cape
• Disposable gloves
• Applicator bottle or bowl and applicator brush
• Mock haircolor (Labeled: Haircolor)
• Weaving comb or comb

BASIC LAYERED HAIRCUT
RAZOR
• Neckstrip
• Styling cape
• Spray water bottle (Labeled: Water)
• Combs
• Razor
• Clean-up items for removing cut hair
• Clippies or Duck bill clips

BASIC LAYERED HAIRCUT
SHEARS
• Neckstrip
• Styling cape
• Spray water bottle (Optional) (Labeled: Water)
• Combs
• Shears/Scissors
• Clean-up items for removing cut hair
• Clippies or Duck bill clips

FRENCH BRAID
(OVERHAND OR UNDERHAND)
• Combs
• Rubber bands
• Styling aids

PERMANENT WAVE
• 2–3 Towels
• Chemical drape
• 3–5 Permanent rods
• End papers
• Combs
• Protective cream (Labeled: Protective cream) or Cotton
• Disposable gloves
• Perm bottle with water inside (Labeled: Perm wave solution)

HAIR REMOVAL
EYEBROW, UPPER LIP, OR CHIN
• Antiseptic (Labeled: Antiseptic)
• Cotton rounds or gauze
• Disposable gloves
• Spatulas
• Strips
• Wax (mock) (Labeled: Wax)

NOTE: All nail services require artificial nail tips to represent the natural nail on a sand hand, Freddy Finger, or artificial hand. A separate finger is needed for each service (5–7 Freddy Fingers total). Please glue tip on prior to examination to represent natural nail plate.

BASIC MANICURE
• Hand sanitizer (Labeled: Hand sanitizer)
• Manicure bowl
• Water (Labeled: Water)
• Emery boards and nail files
• Cuticle remover (Labeled: Cuticle remover)
• Spatulas
• Cotton-tipped orangewood sticks or cuticle pusher
• Manicure brush
• Cuticle nippers
• Towel
• Base coat (Labeled: Base coat)
• Dark polish (Labeled: Nail polish)
• Top coat (Labeled: Top coat)
• Cotton or wipes (Optional)
• Nippers
POLISH APPLICATION
- Polish remover (Labeled: Polish remover)
- Base coat (Labeled: Base coat)
- Dark polish (Labeled: Nail polish)
- Top coat (Labeled: Top coat)
- Cotton or wipes (Optional)

NAIL ENHANCEMENTS
NAIL TIP APPLICATION
- Hand sanitizer (Labeled: Hand sanitizer)
- Cotton-tipped orangewood sticks or cuticle pushers
- Cuticle Nippers
- Nail tips
- Files or emery boards
- Manicure brush
- Buffers
- Nail prep solution (Labeled: Nail prep)
- Nail glue (Labeled: Nail glue)

ACRYLIC
OVER FORM OR ON NATURAL NAIL OR OVERLAY WITH TIP
- Hand Sanitizer (Labeled: Hand sanitizer)
- Cuticle pusher or cotton-tipped orangewood sticks
- Cuticle Nippers
- Nail tips
- Files or emery boards
- Buffers
- Manicure brush
- Nail forms
- Nail prep solution (Labeled: Nail prep)
- Primer (Labeled: Primer)
- Acrylic (Labeled: Acrylic)
- Monomer (Labeled: Monomer)
- Nail glue (Labeled: Nail glue)
- Acrylic nail brush
- Cuticle oil (Labeled: Cuticle oil)

FACIAL MANIPULATIONS
INCLUDES FACE, NECK, AND SHOULDERS
- Head drape (Includes cap and headband)
- Client drape or towel
- Massage cream (Labeled: Massage cream)
- Spatulas
- Cotton rounds, gauze, or cotton
- Toner (Labeled: Toner) or Astringent (Labeled: Astringent)
- Moisturizer (Labeled: Moisturizer)

MASQUE APPLICATION
- Head drape (Includes cap and headband)
- Client drape or towel
- Pre moistened eye pads in a baggie (Labeled: Eye pads)
- Masque (Labeled: Masque)
- Cream Masque. Evaluator must be able to see it.
- Applicator brush
- Spatulas or squeeze/pump bottles
- Toner (Labeled: Toner) or astringent (Labeled: Astringent)
- Moisturizer (Labeled: Moisturizer)
- Gauze or cotton rounds

MAKEUP APPLICATION
- Powder concealer/highlighter (Labeled: Concealer/highlighter)
- Powder foundation (Labeled: Foundation)
- Powder eye shadow (Labeled: Eye shadow)
- Eyebrow pencil (Labeled: Eyebrow pencil)
- Pencil sharpener
- Mascara (Labeled: Mascara)
- Powder blush (Labeled: blush)
- Lipcolor (Labeled: Lipcolor)
- Disposable applicators

Note: If you use a large beauty school Makeup Compact, all of the cosmetics must be labeled on the outside of that compact.

SKIN ANALYSIS
- Inexpensive magnifying glass