



Why Work as a... Barbering Professional

A solution for your training needs and career progression

ROLE OVERVIEW

The broad purpose of the occupation is to demonstrate a range of Barbering skills tailored to client requirements, whilst providing an outstanding service. They will be able to shampoo and condition hair, cut hair using a range of barbering techniques, style and finish hair to create variety of looks, cut facial hair into shape and provide shaving services.

KEY POINTS

- **Level:** 2
- **Duration:** 18 months + End Point Assessment
- **Entry requirements:** You may be required to undertake training in maths and English. See [HERE](#) for more information
- **Career progression:** This apprenticeship provides an ideal entry into the occupation and supports progression within the sector

KNOWLEDGE REQUIREMENTS



- How to maintain effective and safe methods of working and infection control when completing barbering services
- Work related injury and ill health associated with barbering (e.g. physical injuries, posture, disorders, disease, viruses, blood, contact or airborne, dermatitis)
- Products, tools and equipment used in barbering services and legal organisational requirements for safe use and storage
- Barbering professionalism, values, industry codes of conduct, best practice and ethics
- The techniques and methodology behind preparing for and carrying out different shaving services
- Complementary male grooming services, their benefits and drawbacks

SKILL REQUIREMENTS



- Carry out front of house duties to support the barbershop business
- Maintain the client's privacy, comfort and welfare during a barbering service
- Advise clients (new and regular) pre, during and after service on the services, products available and maintenance
- Carry out a consultation, examine and analyse the hair, skin and scalp
- Restyle hair by changing the length, bulk or shape to achieve a significant/clear different style
- Create basic outlines and detailing in hair

BEHAVIOUR REQUIREMENTS



- Demonstrates good verbal and non-verbal communication skills
- Demonstrates professionalism and a passion for the industry
- Facilitates safe working practices, ensures safety of self and others and challenges safety issues
- Maintains professional ethics: integrity, respect, empathy, client confidence, confidentiality and discretion

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