

2019 FACT SHEET AND PLANNER

DERMATECH (PTY) LTD

Short Learning Programme Title
Waxing

1. Type of Programme

- Short Learning Programme (SLP)

Short programmes upgrade skills and knowledge to ensure success in a chosen field of learning, but are not credit bearing.

2. Description

The Short Programme in Waxing provides the student with the knowledge and skills to apply the correct technique in both hot and strip wax methods to create a hair free area. The student will learn how to maintain good hygiene and safety in all the procedures, and how to perform professional waxing treatments.

The purpose of the Short Programme is to equip the student to work in the Health and Skincare industry as a professional waxing practitioner. It is an ideal short course to add on for manual facial therapists, nail technicians, hairdressers and make-up artists. It will upgrade the skill of an individual that works in a Salon or Spa environment. This is ideal if the individual wants to upgrade their skill in waxing or solely want to focus on the skill.

3. Admission requirements

- Knowledge, comprehension and application of English language and Mathematical literacy at Grade 12 or equivalent.
- Admission may be subject to an interview with an academic staff member.

4. Duration

The programme duration consists of 60 total hours, including practical, theory and case studies. Theory is completed in a self-study manner, while practical training is face to face and case studies are completed in a private capacity. Case studies need to be completed within 4 months from course completion. Dermatech tuition is scheduled at specific times of the year. Programmes are offered during week days. After successful completion of the assessment, certification will take place.

5. Textbooks and study material

All prescribed material and kit is included. A list of student material and textbooks if necessary will be provided by Dermatech campus academic department.

6. Pricing

Enquire at your nearest Dermatech campus for a current programme pricelist.

7. Additional costs

Students must make provision for additional items such as optional wax kit and stationary if not included.

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8. Syllabus

The following topics are covered in this Short Programme:

- Theory(Self-Study)
 - Structure of the hair and the hair follicle
 - Different types of hair
 - Factors affecting hair growth
 - Hair follicle diseases
 - Benefits of sugaring
 - Different hair removal techniques
 - Advantage and disadvantages of waxing versus shaving
 - Differences between hot and strip wax method
 - Defining purpose of patch test
 - The hair growth cycle
 - How the endocrine system influences the hair growth cycle
 - Endocrine disorders and diseases having an influence on hair growth
 - How hormones play a role in the hair growth cycle.
 - Indications and contra-indications
 - Hygiene
 - Risks and pre-cautions associated with waxing
 - Knowledge of pre and post-care products used including ingredients and benefits
 - Homecare and aftercare advice
- Practical
 - Performing correct hygiene and sterilization procedures
 - Preparation of station including wax
 - Preparation and thorough consultation of client
 - Perform patch test
 - Preparation of area being wax
 - Accurate application and removal of strip and hot wax taking all safety pre-cautions into consideration
- Case Studies

9. Career fields

With this programme, successful students could pursue a career as a Waxing Practitioner in the Health and Skincare industry or Salon/Clinic that specializes in hair removal.

10. Certification

On successful completion of the short programme, the student will receive a Dermatech Short Programme Certificate in Waxing.

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11. Further Studies

Please enquire at the Dermatech campus for the prospectus containing post-certificate studies. Admission to further your studies at a different institution remains the prerogative of each institution and its academic council.

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Name of student: I....., hereby acknowledge that I understand the information stated in this document and fully comprehend the specifics explained above pertaining to this qualification.

Signature of student:.....

Name of legal guardian:.....
(if applicable)

Signature:

Name of sales consultant:

Signature:

Date:

Please note the original signed copy should be kept on the student record file.