West Virginia University at Parkersburg Uniform Course Syllabus (UCS)

COSM 105 Haircutting Theory and Technique

# Credit Hours: 4

**Scheduled hours per week**

Lecture: 1

Lab: 6

Field Experience: Actual clock hours are 9.5 per week

**Catalog Course Description**: Provides students with the opportunity to develop hair service skills with a focus on shampooing, conditioning, hair cutting.

# Pre-requisites:

**Co-requisites:** List

# Course Learning Outcomes (CLO):

***Upon successful completion of the course, students will be able to:***

* Express the philosophy and elements of Hair design on both men and women
* Express in detail the structure of the hair
* Be able to drape, shampoo and condition a client
* Show proficiency with haircutting techniques

**CLO Assessment Methods:** Methods of Evaluation of each CLO (Tests, quizzes, oral presentations, lab activities, clinical experiences, written papers, etc.)

This course will be evaluated using tests, quizzes, lab activities, instructor observation and written papers.

# Topics to be studied:

# Principles of Hair Design a.

# Why Study Principles of Hair Design

# Philosophy of Design

# Elements of Hair Design

# Influence of Hair Type on Hairstyle

# Creating Harmony between Hairstyle and Facial Structure

# Scalp Care, Shampooing and Conditioning

# Why Study Scalp Care, Shampooing, and Conditioning

# Scalp Care and Massage

# Hair Brushing

# Understanding Shampoo

# Understanding Conditioner

# Draping Three-Part Procedure

# Haircutting

# Why Study Haircutting

# Basic Principles of Haircutting

# Client Consultation

# Haircutting Tools

# Posture and Body Position

# Safety in Haircutting

# Basic Haircuts

# Other Cutting Techniques

# Clippers and Trimmers

# Relationship of Course to Program Learning Outcomes (PLO) or Institutional Learning Outcomes:

(For Program Courses, indicate outcomes taught in this course that relate to program outcomes) (For Foundational Learning or Reinforcement Learning Courses, indicate the approved Institutional Learning Category, the Institutional Learning Outcomes, and the related course outcomes)

Relates to program learning outcome- Perform hair care services for all types of hair including hair analysis, hair cutting, hairstyling, hair coloring and lightening, permanent waving, and chemical relaxing

Check if approved as:  **Foundational Learning Course**  Reinforcement Learning Course

# Special requirements of the course:

(If a program assessment is required in this course, indicate it here.)

*Program review is conducted towards the end of this course.*

# Additional information:

(Anything else that may be useful.) **Prepared by**: Lisa Carter

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