

Pre-Requisite Enrollment Information

STUDENT RIGHT TO KNOW (PRE-ENROLLMENT INFORMATION)

The most current pre-enrollment information is given prior to enrollment. This will include the graduation, placement, and licensure rates for the most recent award year.

Washington State Reciprocity Requirements For Cosmetology

Licensing Requirements in Washington Cosmetology graduates, completing the CBC 1640 hours, all course work and fulfilling all CBC requirements, may take the state board exam to receive a cosmetology license in Washington. The exams covers cosmetology theory and Washington law and rules related to cosmetology as well as a practical exam.

To apply for a cosmetology license by reciprocity in Washington state, you must meet the following requirements:

- Complete the Cosmetologist, Hair Designer, Barber, Manicurist, Esthetician, or Master Esthetician License, Renewal, Reinstatement, or Reciprocity Application form
- Provide proof of an active license in good standing in another jurisdiction
- Provide proof that you passed the approved exams in that jurisdiction
- Pay the cosmetology licensing fee when you submit your application

Centralia Beauty College Graduation, Licensure, and Placement Rates

Statistics below are from the 2023 Accreditation Annual Report – All data is based on calendar year 2023 Overall, for All Programs as reported to accreditation.

Cosmetology

- Completion Rate: 75% 18 of 24 students scheduled to complete did complete the course
- Licensure rate 95.45% 17 of 18 graduates who took the exam, did pass the exam
- Placement Rate 82.35% 14 of 17 available to work, reported finding jobs in the cosmetology industry within the calendar year.

Instructor Training

- Completion Rate: 100% 4 of 4 students scheduled to complete, did complete the course.
- Licensure Rate: 100% 4 of 4 graduates who took the exam, did pass the exam.
- Placement Rate: 100% 4 of 4, available to work, reported finding jobs in the esthetics industry within the calendar year.

Other Centralia Beauty College Information

- **Gender Policy** CBC does not discriminate on the basis of sex, age, race, color, religion, or ethnic origin in admitting students. The enrollment in our industry is primarily female, however; gender is not considered in any factor of enrollment and has no bearing on admitting financial aid or non-financial aid students.
- **Vaccination Policy** CBC does not require vaccination records for admittance to CBC. Because we respect the rights and decisions of all parties concerning childhood vaccines, we do not require these records for admittance.
- **Physical Demands Placed on the Body** There are physical demands placed on the body in most careers. Care must be taken to protect your back, legs, and feet. One way to do this is strength training to enhance your back, abdomen, and leg muscles. Regular exercise will help to promote all over body conditioning, and will improve circulation in your legs and feet. We recommend consulting your doctor before beginning any exercise program. Because this job requires that you stand / sit for long periods of time, it is suggested that you wear proper fitting, supportive shoes, and support hose. These are not a requirement but will help to increase your chances of longevity in the profession.
- **Safety Requirements** Safety suggestions with this profession would include wearing shoes that would not be slippery when walking on a damp floor. All hair needs to be swept up following each haircut to minimize accidents. All water spilled should also be wiped up as quickly as possible. It is the responsibility of each student to promote a safe work environment. Gloves should be worn during chemical services to reduce any allergic reaction that an individual may have to certain chemicals. Any product that would accidentally get in the eyes should be flushed thoroughly with water. Seek medical attention if irritation continues.
- **Compensation Expected** Beauty professionals earn an income in a variety of ways. They can be employed on a commission basis, or as a salary employee or earning an hourly wage. Many are self-employed or lease a space. Revenue is generated through services, retail and tips. Some salons offer a benefit package and/or education to employees. Many factors affect the earning potential of a beauty professional including hours worked, pricing of services, guest flow of business, ability to retain and attract customers etc. Typically, a new beauty professional must build up their clientele which can take 1-3 years.
- **EMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE** CBC maintains contact with industry related employers in order to assist students in job placement. CBC cannot guarantee job placement however, sincere effort is made to assist graduates in their job search. CBC hosts Career Fairs designed to introduce students to prospective employers. As part of their training, students receive education in portfolio creation, job search skills and resume preparation. Job possibilities are posted at CBC. Follow up procedures are conducted with students and employers of our graduates to help CBC to continually prepare for future employment opportunities for CBC graduates.