

Focus Awards Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Therapy (RQF)

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Qualification Summary

Level Sector Qualification Type

2 Service Enterprises Occupational Qualification

Total Qualification Time Credit Value Guided Learning Hours

500 50 447

Status Methods of Assessment Minimum Age

Available to Learners Portfolio of Evidence 18





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QRN: 603/3818/0

GLH: 447

TQT: 500

Credit: 50

Qualification Purpose:

The objective of the Focus Awards Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Therapy (RQF) is to develop learners' knowledge and skills and confirm their competence as beauty therapists

The Focus Awards Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Therapy (RQF) is aimed at those learners wishing to enter the Beauty Therapy sector, looking at all areas of this service industry.

Age Range

Learners should be 16 years of age and at the discretion of the centre.

Geographical Coverage

This qualification is available in England.

Learner Entry Requirements:

There are no specific entry requirements for this qualification



Reasonable Adjustments and Special Considerations

Please refer to the Focus Awards 'Reasonable Adjustments and Special Considerations Policy'. A copy is available for download from the Focus Awards website at the following url: https://www.focusawards.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2016/08/Reasonable-Adjustments.pdf

Assessment Methods

This qualification is Internally Assessed. Each learner must create a portfolio of evidence that demonstrates achievement of all the learning outcomes and assessment criteria associated with each unit.

The main pieces of evidence for the portfolio could include some or all of the following:

- Assessor observation
- Witness testimony
- Learner product
- Worksheets
- Assignments/projects/reports
- Record of oral and written questioning
- Learner and peer reports
- Recognition of prior learning (RPL)

Progression Routes

Learners seeking progress from this qualification can advance their skills further through the following:

• Focus Awards Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Beauty Therapy

Supporting Material and Useful Websites

- https://focusawards.org.uk/supportingmaterials
- https://ofqual.gov.uk



Mandatory Units

Unit Title	Unit Reference	Level	Credit	Guided Learning Hours
Provide pedicure treatments	R/601/4448	2	5	48
Develop and maintain effectiveness at work	M/617/3378	2	3	30
Ensure your own actions reduce risks to health and safety	Y/600/9011	2	4	30
Provide facial skin care treatment	T/617/3379	2	8	68
Enhance the appearance of eyebrows and eyelashes	K/617/3380	2	5	45
Provide manicure treatments	T/601/4569	2	5	48
Carry out waxing services	L/617/3386	2	7	61
Apply make-up	A/617/1018	2	5	41

Optional Units

Unit Title	Unit Reference	Level	Credit	Guided Learning Hours
Salon reception duties	A/600/8773	2	3	24
Promote additional services or products to customers	D/601/0936	2	6	40
Provide nail art	L/601/4450	2	3	24
Instruction on make-up application	A/617/0998	2	5	34
Provide threading services	Y/617/3388	2	4	39
Carry out ear piercing	D/617/3389	2	2	20



Staff Requirements

Requirements for Tutors/Instructors

Tutors delivering the qualification will be required to hold or be working towards a teaching qualification. This may include qualifications such as the Levels 3, 4 or 5 in Education and Training, or a Certificate in Education. Focus Awards will however; consider other teaching qualifications upon submission. Tutors must also be able to demonstrate that they are occupationally competent within the sector area.

Requirements for Assessors

Assessors will be required to hold, or be working towards a relevant assessing qualification. This includes qualifications such as:

- Level 3 Award in Assessing Competence in the Work Environment
- Level 3 Award in Assessing Vocationally-Related Achievement
- Level 3 Certificate in Assessing Vocational Achievement

Focus Awards will however; consider other relevant assessing qualifications upon submission.

Assessors who only hold the Level 3 Award in Understanding the Principles and Processes of Assessment will be required to complete an additional programme of study to achieve the relevant competency units required for one of the qualifications listed above.

Trainee assessors who do not hold an assessment qualification will require their decisions to be countersigned by a suitably qualified assessor.

Assessors must also be able to show they are occupationally competent within the sector area

Requirements for Internal Quality Assurers (IQA)

Internal Quality Assurers should hold or be working towards the following an IQA qualification. This may include qualifications such as the V1 (previously D34), or the Level 4 Award in the Internal Quality Assurance of Assessment Processes and Practice. Focus Awards will however; consider other relevant IQA qualifications upon submission. Trainee IQAs who do not hold an IQA qualification will require their decisions to be countersigned by a suitably qualified IQA. IQAs must be able to demonstrate occupational competence.