

Chapter BC 1

DEFINITIONS

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(1) "Antiseptic" means a chemical that kills or inhibits the growth of organisms on skin or living tissue.

(1m) "Artificial nails" means any material other than nail polish which is added to the fingernail or toenail generated by the person's own body, or which is used to replace the fingernail or toenail of a person.

(1v) "Board" means the barbering and cosmetology examining board.

(2) "Chemical relaxing" means the process of straightening hair by use of chemical agents.

(2m) "Chemical waving" means a system of permanent waving employing chemicals rather than heat.

(3) "Contagious" means that which can be transmitted by direct or indirect contact.

(4) "Department" means the department of regulation and licensing.

(6) "Disinfectant" means a chemical that is capable of destroying disease-causing organisms on inanimate objects, with the exception of bacterial spores.

(7) "Full time" means work which is performed for 30 hours per week or the maximum number of hours an establishment is open if the establishment is open less than 30 hours per week.

(8) "Infectious" means that which is capable of being transmitted.

(9) "Intermediate level disinfection" means application of a process that may be accomplished by any of the following:

(a) Immersion of the object to be disinfected in 70% to 90% isopropyl or ethyl alcohol for at least 10 minutes followed by air drying.

(b) Immersion of the object to be disinfected in household bleach, diluted to one tablespoon per quart of water, for at least 10 minutes (100 ppm available chlorine/ 1:250 dilution).

(c) Use of a phenolic germicidal detergent solution prepared and used according to the manufacturer's instructions for use and dilution. Exposure time to the solution shall be at least 10 minutes.

(d) Use of an iodophor germicidal detergent solution prepared and used according to the manufacturer's instructions for use and dilution. Exposure time to the solution shall be at least 10 minutes.

(10) "Licensee" means a person who holds a license, permit, certificate or registration issued by the board or who has the right to renew a license, permit, certificate or registration issued by the board.

(10m) "Low level disinfection" means application of a process that may be accomplished by any of the following:

(a) Immersion of the object to be disinfected in 70% to 90% isopropyl or ethyl alcohol for at least 10 minutes followed by air drying.

(b) Immersion of the object to be disinfected in household bleach, diluted to one tablespoon per quart of water, for at least 10 minutes (100 ppm available chlorine/ 1:250 dilution).

(c) Use of a phenolic germicidal detergent solution prepared and used according to the manufacturer's instructions for use and dilution. Exposure time to the solution shall be at least 10 minutes.

(d) Use of an iodophor germicidal detergent solution prepared and used according to the manufacturer's instructions for use and dilution. Exposure time to the solution shall be at least 10 minutes.

(e) Use of a disinfectant registered with the United States environmental protection agency with demonstrated bactericidal, germicidal and fungicidal activity, used according to manufacturer's instructions. For hair scissors and electric clippers, use of an alcohol wipe after thorough cleaning is preferred.

(11) "Manager" means a person who holds a current license issued under s. 454.06 (3), Stats.

(12) "Owner" means the person who holds an establishment license or right to renew an establishment license.

(13) "Patron" means a person to whom services from a barber or cosmetologist, aesthetician, electrologist or manicurist are provided for compensation.

(13m) "Personal care services" means shampooing, setting, combing, brushing, cutting, chemical waving, chemical relaxing, bleaching or coloring the hair. "Personal care services" also includes electrology, manicuring and aesthetic services.

(14) "Practitioner" means a person who holds a current license to practice barbering and cosmetology issued under s. 454.06 (2), Stats.

(15) "Supervision" means regular, on-premise coordination, direction and inspection of the practice of another.

(16) "Training permit holder" means a person who holds a current training permit issued pursuant to s. 454.06 (9), Stats.

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