

<b>National Vocational Certificate in Beauty Services (Level 3) (Hairdressing)</b>
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**level of qualification: 3**

	<b>Compulsory</b>	<b>Elective</b>
<b>level 3 credits available</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>minimum totals required</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>-</b>

**registration date:**

**scheduled review date:** 2012

**body responsible for the qualification:** Namibia Training Authority

**other bodies whose unit standards are included in the qualification:** None

## **1 purpose**

This qualification recognises people who have the competencies required for performing hairdressing tasks. It is awarded to people who have demonstrated the skills and knowledge required to perform a range of hairdressing tasks, including conducting a hot towel treatment and shaving, cutting and trimming facial hair; cutting, styling and dressing hair in elementary styles; performing hair straightening and relaxing service; removing hair colouring and applying after care to hair; performing a hair perming service; applying semi-permanent and permanent hair colour service.

This qualification is designed to be accessible and flexible. The entry requirement for this qualification is the National Vocational Certificate in Beauty Services (Level 2) (Hairdressing) or equivalent.

The main focus is on the outcomes of this qualification, not the how, when and where learning occurred. Some people applying to do this qualification may currently be competent in one or more of the unit standards and should then be given the opportunity to apply for recognition of prior learning.

This qualification leads to the National Vocational Certificate in Beauty Services (Level 4) (Hairdressing).

## **2 regulations for the qualification**

### **2.1 summary of qualification requirements**

This qualification will be awarded to people who are credited with 42 credits and have met the requirements of the compulsory sections.

## 2.2 detailed qualification requirements

### Compulsory

*All the unit standards listed below are required.*

FIELD: Services Sector  
Subfield: Beauty Services  
Domain: Hairdressing

Unit ID	Unit Standard Title	Level	Credits
654	Conduct a hot towel treatment and shave, cut and trim facial hair	3	8
655	Cut and style hair using different techniques	3	10
656	Perform a hair perming service	3	8
657	Apply semi-permanent and permanent hair colour service	3	8
658	Perform hair straightening and relaxing service	3	4
659	Remove hair colouring and apply after care to hair	3	4

## 3 credit recognition and transfer arrangements

Credits for any version of a unit standard of the same identification number will be recognised in the award of this qualification.

## 4 special arrangements

Providers seeking accreditation to deliver this qualification must meet the following special arrangements.

1. Providers involved in the assessment of this qualification and the associated unit standards must comply with the national assessment arrangements for the VET system up to and including level 5 of the Namibia Qualifications Framework. These arrangements apply to all occupations and industries, including hairdressing, which are encompassed in the vocational education and training sector. A copy of the national assessment arrangements is available from:

Namibia Training Authority

Rand Street

Khomasdal

Namibia

Telephone number: 27 9550

Facsimile number: 27 9551

Email: info@nta.com.na

2. Providers of this qualification and the associated unit standards must be accredited.
3. Providers of this qualification and the associated unit standards must have access to all equipment and facilities detailed in the Special Notes and / or Range Statements in the unit standards that comprise this qualification.
4. Providers in receipt of funding through the NTA to deliver this qualification must use the national curriculum and training materials developed by the NTA for the National Vocational Certificate in Beauty Services (Level 3) (Hairdressing)
5. The national curriculum and training materials for this qualification are available from:

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Web: [www.nta.com.na](http://www.nta.com.na)

## **5 transition arrangements**

### **5.1 non National Qualifications Framework transition**

None.

### **5.2 National Qualifications Framework transition**

This is the first version of this qualification.