



Diploma

COSMETOLOGY

Program available at all IBMC campuses

Training for a new career is a beautiful thing in the Cosmetology program — where creative, innovative students enjoy making people look and feel their best. Individuals gain valuable experience in the beauty field, both through lecture classes and hands-on practice. Students will perform dynamic coursework, and the diversity of the program allows learners to graduate with the knowledge to perform a vast array of cosmetic services — from head to toe.

→ Program Objective

Students in the Cosmetology program receive comprehensive instruction in the areas of hair, nails, and skin care services.

Training will include both classroom and hands-on learning by working on models and guests in the Student Beauty Services Clinic.

In addition to a strong foundation of safety, appropriate work habits, and business skills, students are prepared to take the State Board Examination and begin working in entry-level careers as Licensed Cosmetologists in a salon or spa after graduation.

→ Employment Outlook / Career Potential

- Faster than the average of all occupations through 2026 — **an employment increase of 13%.***
- Cosmetologists may be employed by/as: hairstylists, health spas, beauty spas, makeup artists, medical offices, salons, self-employed or adult and vocational education teachers.

*U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics Occupational Outlook Handbook: Barbers, Hairstylists and Cosmetologists. For more information, please see IBMC's Career Services Department.



→ Course Area / Clock Hours

HAIRSTYLING / 725

- (50) COS101.1 Shampooing, Rinsing and Conditioning
- (200) COS102.1 Haircoloring
- (200) COS103.1 Haircutting
- (175) COS104.1 Hairstyling
- (100) COS105.1 Chemical Texture Services

NAIL SKILLS / 300

- (175) COS111.1 Manicuring and Pedicuring
- (125) COS112.1 Application of Artificial Nails

SKIN CARE / 275

- (175) COS121.1 Facials and Skin Care
- (25) COS122.1 Facial Makeup
- (75) COS123.1 Hair Removal

SALON & BUSINESS SKILLS / 200

- (25) COS131.1 Laws, Rules and Regulations
- (25) COS132.1 Management, Ethics, Interpersonal Skills and Salesmanship
- (150) COS133.1 Disinfection, Sanitation, and Safe Work Practices

TOTAL CLOCK HOURS / 1,500

TOTAL WEEKS / 50

Instructor/Student Ratio:

- Theory class: 1 instructor per 25 students
- Lab class: 1 instructor per 20 students

**** Enrollment in entire program and completion of all program content required to fulfill cumulative grading and final grading requirements for successful program completion.**

Gainful Employment Disclosures – 2019

Program: Cosmetology Diploma **Length:** 50 weeks

Cost: \$20,250* **Fees:** \$1,850* in program kit, exam and licensure fees

*If completed within normal time. There may be additional costs for living expenses. These costs were accurate at the time of posting, but may have changed. Of the students who completed this program within normal time, the typical graduate leaves with \$9,386 of debt.

Program meets licensure requirements in the following States: CO

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