

61G5-20.002 Salon Requirements.

(1) Definitions: For the purposes of this rule, the following definitions apply:

(a) "Clean" means the removal of visible debris from a surface such as washing with soap/water.

(b) "Disinfect" means the use of a chemical to destroy potential pathogens.

(c) "Sterilize" means the complete destruction of all microbial life, commonly achieved through the use of heat and/or pressure.

(d) "Wet disinfection container" means a tub or jar with a lid, filled with disinfectant and large enough for all items to be completely immersed.

(e) "Infection control" means the process for reducing the risk of spreading disease causing pathogens.

(2)(1) Prior to opening a salon, the owner shall:

(a) through (b) No change.

(c) Meet the safety and sanitary requirements as listed below and these requirements shall continue in full force and effect for the life of the salon:

1. Ventilation and Cleanliness: Each salon shall be kept well ventilated. The walls, ceilings, furniture and equipment shall be kept clean and free from dust. Hair must not be allowed to accumulate on the floor of the salon. Hair must be deposited in a covered waste receptacle ~~closed container~~. Each salon which provides services for the extending or sculpturing of nails shall provide such services in a separate area which is adequately ventilated for the safe dispersion of all fumes resulting from the services.

2. through 3. No change.

4. Animals: No animals or pets shall be allowed in a salon, with the exception of service animals and fish kept in closed aquariums, ~~or trained animals to assist the hearing impaired, visually impaired, or the physically disabled.~~

5. No change

(d) No change.

(3)(2) Each salon shall comply with the following:

(a) through (b) No change.

(c) ~~Sterilization and~~ Disinfection: The use of a brush, comb or other article on more than one patron without being disinfected is prohibited. Each salon is required to have sufficient combs, brushes, and implements to allow for adequate disinfecting practices. Combs or other instruments shall not be carried in pockets.

(d) Disinfectants ~~Sanitizers~~: All salons shall be equipped with and utilize wet sanitizers with hospital level disinfectant or EPA approved disinfectant, sufficient to allow for disinfecting practices.

1. A wet disinfection container ~~sanitizer~~ is any receptacle containing a disinfectant solution and large enough to allow for a complete immersion of the articles. A cover shall be provided.

2. Disinfecting methods which are effective and approved for salons: First, clean articles with soap and water, completely immerse in a chemical solution that is hospital level or EPA approved disinfectant as follows:

a. through d. No change

e. Shampoo bowls, facial beds, and neck rests, clean and disinfect between each use.

3. For purposes of this rule, a “hospital level disinfectant or EPA approved disinfectant” shall mean the following:

a. No change

b. For all combs, brushes, metallic instruments with a cutting edge, and implements that have come into contact with blood or body fluids, a disinfectant that indicates on its label that it has been registered with the EPA as a ~~tuberculocidal~~ disinfectant, in accordance with 29 C.F.R. 1910.1030.

4. No change

(e) through (f) No change

(g) Pedicure Equipment ~~Sterilization and~~ Disinfection:

The following cleaning and disinfection procedures must be used for any pedicure equipment that holds water, including sinks, bowls, basins, pipe-less spas, and whirlpool spas:

1. No change.

2. At the end of each day of use, the following procedures shall be used:

a. All filter screens in whirlpool pedicure spas or basins for all types of foot spas must be ~~disinfected~~ sanitized. All visible debris in the screen and the inlet must be removed and cleaned with a low-foaming soap or detergent and water. For pipe-free systems, the jet components or foot plate must be removed and cleaned and any debris removed. The screen, jet, or foot plate must be completely immersed in an EPA registered, hospital grade bactericidal, fungicidal, virucidal, and pseudomonacidal disinfectant that is used according to manufacturer’s instructions. The screen, jet, or foot plate must be replaced after disinfection is completed and the system is flushed with warm water and low-foaming soap for 5 minutes, rinsed, and drained.

b. No change.

3. through 4. No change.

(3) through (6) renumbered (4) through (7) No change.