

**61G5-20.008 Employment of Applicants for Licensure as a Cosmetologist Prior to Licensure; Employment of Applicants for Registration as a Specialist Prior to Registration.**

(1) Holders of a cosmetology salon license who wish to permit an applicant for licensure as a cosmetologist by examination to perform cosmetology services in their salon shall:

(a) Prior to permitting an applicant to perform cosmetology services in their salon, obtain from the applicant proof that they have passed all parts of the examination for licensure as a cosmetologist within the two years as provided by Rule 61G5-18.004, F.A.C.;

(b) Display in a conspicuous place at the cosmetology salon in which the applicant performs cosmetology services a copy of the cosmetology examination passing certificate(s).

(2) Holders of a cosmetology or specialty salon license who wish to permit an applicant for registration as a specialist to perform specialty services in their salon pursuant to Rule 61G5-29.004, F.A.C., or who wish to permit applicants for registration as a hair braider, hair wrapper, or body wrapper to perform hair braiding, hair wrapping, or body wrapping services in their salon pursuant to Rule 61G5-31.006, F.A.C., shall:

(a) Prior to permitting an applicant to perform any specialty services or hair braiding, hair wrapping, or body wrapping services in their salon, obtain from the applicant a copy of the completed application for registration that includes proof of successful completion of the education requirements and payment of the applicable fees submitted to the Department by the applicant;

(b) Upon learning or in any way becoming aware that an applicant who is performing specialty services in their salon pursuant to Rule 61G5-29.004, F.A.C., or performing hair braiding, hair wrapping, or body wrapping services in their salon pursuant to Rule 61G5-31.006, F.A.C., has been notified that his or her application is incomplete, or has been determined by the Board to be not qualified for registration as a specialist, shall immediately cease to permit the applicant to further perform specialty services;

(c) Display in a conspicuous place at the cosmetology or specialty salon in which the applicant performs specialty services pursuant to Rule 61G5-29.004, F.A.C., or hair braiding, hair wrapping, or body wrapping services pursuant to Rule 61G5-31.006, F.A.C., a copy of the completed application for registration as a specialist or application for registration as a hair braider, hair wrapper, or body wrapper submitted to the Department by the applicant.

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