

Hairdressing & Barbering Industry Standards

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- ✓ Always greet clients with a smile.
- ✓ Attend to a client immediately on arrival and call the client by their name.
- ✓ Listen to the client's requests and complaints.
- ✓ Be aware of client comfort at all times.
- ✓ Do not criticise or put down other hairdressing/barbering salons or salon staff.
- ✓ Maintain a high standard of hair workmanship.
- ✓ Maintain a high standard of cleanliness in the salon.
- ✓ Show respect for the salon and the salon's equipment.
- ✓ Do not take the salon's regular clientele for granted.
- ✓ Be aware of an employer's legal obligations.
- ✓ Demonstrate acceptable social behaviour, and develop confidence and effective communication skills.
- ✓ Be punctual, honest, dependable and enthusiastic about your chosen career and always remember to keep confidentiality.
- ✓ Develop a positive attitude to hairdressing/barbering training.
- ✓ Conform to the salon's code of ethics.
- ✓ Use salon professional products and maintain knowledge of the manufacturer's instructions.
- ✓ Maintain a standard of dress that is acceptable to the employer and care for clothes including laundering and dry-cleaning.
- ✓ Maintain a high standard of personal hygiene and avoid posture that could be offensive to the client.
- ✓ Always provide a personalised service - remember that the hair industry is a service industry.