

SOUTH DAKOTA COSMETOLOGY COMMISSION

Approved Education Providers

Advisory Notice: The Cosmetology Commission does not endorse any education provider.

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Apprentice Salons

Hollywood Style Apprentice Salon (Mitchell) Phone: 605.990.4247 Email: hollywoodstyle01@yahoo.com	Programs Offered: Cosmetology
Lash Spa Boutique Apprentice Salon (Brookings) Phone: 605.695.4588 Email: lashspaboutiquemhk@gmail.com	Programs Offered: Esthetics
Revive Apprentice Salon (Aberdeen) Phone: 605.695.4588 Email: revive.r3@gmail.com	Programs Offered: Cosmetology

Eyelash Extension, Electric File & Microdermabrasion

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A Perfect 10 (Canada Salter) 1109 W. Omaha St., Ste. B Rapid City, SD 57702 Phone: 702.334.1675	Electric Nail File (Expires 9/14/2024)
Paul Mitchell The School Rapid City 333 Omaha St. Suites 6 & 7 Rapid City, SD 57701 Phone: 605.348.4247	Electric Nail File, Eyelash Extension, Microdermabrasion (Expires 9/14/2024)
Revive Day Spa 301 S. Main St. Aberdeen, SD 57401 Phone: 605.725.4242	Electric Nail File (Expires 9/14/2024)
The Salon Professional Academy 937 E. North St. Rapid City, SD 57701 Phone: 605.342.0697	Electric Nail File, Microdermabrasion (Expires 9/14/2024)
Amazing Lash Studio 2101 W. 60th St. Ste. 101 Sioux Falls, SD 57108 Phone: 605.988.4588	Eyelash Extension (Expires 9/14/2024)
Appoise Esthetics School 701 N. Main St. Aberdeen, SD 57401 Phone: 651.336.9684	Eyelash Extension, Microdermabrasion (Expires 9/14/2024 Expires 12/13/2024)

Atelier Lash Education (Ayla Lindgren) 400 N. Main St. #204 Sioux Falls, SD 57104 Phone: 605.680.2451	Eyelash Extension (Expires 9/14/2025)
605 Vixen (Chantelle Duncan) 707 E. 41st St., Ste. 210 Sioux Falls, SD 57105 Phone: 605.681.5565	Eyelash Extension (Expires 9/14/2024)
Classic Lash Class (Kaylynn Slavik) 3600 W. 43rd St., Suite 9 Sioux Falls, SD 57106 Phone: 605.553.3827	Eyelash Extension (Expires 9/14/2024)
Sandy Marin-Romero 205 W 24th St. South Sioux City, NE 68776 Phone: 712.389.4577	Eyelash Extension (Expires 9/14/2024)
Lash Spa Boutique (Savannah Thorne) 326 Main Ave. Brookings, SD 57006 Phone: 785.410.5879	Eyelash Extension (Expires 9/14/2024)
Studio 19 Lash Bar & Salon (Tami Stokes) 521 Main St. Rapid City, SD 57701 Phone: 605.690.8248	Eyelash Extension (Expires 9/14/2024)
Hollywood Style 2100 Highland Way, Suite C Mitchell, SD 57301 Phone: 605.990.4247	Electric Nail File, Microdermabrasion (Expires 9/14/2025)
Nicole Johnson 10 Railroad Ave. SW Aberdeen, SD 57401 Phone: 651.336.9684	Microdermabrasion (Expires 9/14/2024)

Instructor Continuing Education

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American Association of Cosmetology Schools aacstraining.org	
Cosmetology Education Group cosmetologyedgroup.com	
Milady https://milady.cengage.com/instructor-training	
Pivot Point Educator Program	Available only to Pivot Point School Instructors
Paul Mitchell The School	Available only to Paul Mitchell School Instructors
The Salon Professional Education Company	Available only to T-Spa School Instructors
Imagine All You Can Be (Theresa Jahner)	Available only to T-Spa School Instructors
Revive Day Spa 301 S. Main St. Aberdeen, SD 57401 Phone: 605.725.4242	

Schools**Programs Available**

Appoise Esthetics School 701 North Main Street Aberdeen, SD 57401 Phone: 605.846.0725 or 651.336.9684 Contact: Gina Sommers appoise.com/estheticsschool	Esthetics
Lake Area Technical College 1201 Arrow Ave. P.O. Box 730 Watertown, SD 57201 Phone: 800.657.4344, ext. 382 FAX: 605.882.6299 Contact: Angela Larson www.lakeareatech.edu	Cosmetology
Paul Mitchell The School Rapid City 333 Omaha St. Suite 6 & 7 Rapid City, SD 57701 Phone: 605.348.4247 FAX: 605.348.5462 Contact: Peggy Sproat paulmitchell.edu/rapidcity	Cosmetology, Esthetics, Nail Technology
Stewart School 604 West Ave. N. Sioux Falls, SD 57104 Phone: 800.537.2625 or 605.336.2775 FAX: 605.330.8277 Contact: Angela Taylor stewartschool.com	Cosmetology, Esthetics, Nail Technology
The Salon Professional Academy 937 E. North St. Rapid City, SD 57701 Phone: 605.342.0697 FAX: 605.342.6886 Contact: Wendy Beaumont tsparapidcity.com	Cosmetology, Esthetics, Nail Technology

Additional Information for Instructor Continuing Education Training:

In order to renew a senior instructor license, you must attend an approved 12-hour education course each year on teaching methodology. The course must be completed before your license renewal date.

Other Providers/Courses

Other options to obtain instructor continuing education include:

- Public or private colleges, universities, or technical schools
- Other online or classroom courses
- Courses sponsored by a South Dakota cosmetology school (school must submit their course materials to the Commission for preapproval)

The course must have approval from the Commission office before you take it. Course approval decisions will be given at a regularly scheduled Commission meeting before the license expires. After the course is completed and before your license expires, you must send the Commission all of the following information:

- Course title
- Dates and times the course was presented
- Length of course (number of hours not including lunch breaks) or total credits
- Course description such as syllabus or outline
- Sponsoring school
- An official transcript or certificate from the school
- Your renewal fee, if necessary
- \$35 verification fee payment

A qualified course must be a minimum of 12 education clock hours in length and should deal with teaching methods, such as:

- Conflict resolution
- Management
- Motivation
- lesson planning
- Dealing with people
- Planning skills
- Ethics
- Retention of students
- Preparing presentations
- Speaking in public
- Communication skills
- Dealing with cultural differences
- Crisis management
- Time management
- Listening skills
- Assertiveness skills
- Leadership
- Dealing with discipline

Unapproved Providers/Courses

Providers unlikely to receive approval are:

- Individual Educators
- Beauty Shows or Cosmetology Product Companies
- Cosmetology Schools (unless the education is part of a state-approved instructor-license program required by that state)

Courses unlikely to receive approval are:

- Business skills courses on typing, keyboarding or speed reading
- Orientation courses through cosmetology schools
- Courses through cosmetology schools that do not offer instructor training or normal business meetings.

Additional Information for Eyelash Extension, Electric File, and Microdermabrasion Education:

The South Dakota Cosmetology Commission requires education prior to performing eyelash extension services, using a microdermabrasion machine or electric nail file. These are one-time educational requirements. Documentation must be sent to the Commission immediately upon completion of any course. A \$35 verification fee must be paid by the licensee to the Commission if the education provider is not approved by the Commission. The providers on the list below are approved providers for South Dakota licensees, so the licensee does not have to pay the \$35 verification fee to the Commission.

If you would like to apply for approval as an educator of eyelash extensions, microdermabrasion, or electric nail file, please fill out the Education Certification Course Provider Application (Adobe PDF format) and send to the Commission office with the \$100 application fee. Your application will be presented to the Commission for approval at their next regular scheduled meeting. Approval is valid for a one-year period of time.

- Performing eyelash extensions requires 16 hours of training, which must be completed before performing the service.
- Performing microdermabrasion requires 16 hours of training, which must be completed before starting the service.
- Using electric files requires eight hours of training, and licensees must complete the electric file course before using the electric file.
- If a licensee does not complete the education requirement and continues the service, the license may be suspended or revoked.

The Commission is not responsible for any course dates, rescheduled courses, cancelled courses, or fees paid to the provider.