



CERTIFICATE SUPPLEMENT (*)



1. TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (EN)

Hairdresser

2. TRANSLATED TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (IS)

Hársnyrtir - hársnyrtiiðn

This translation has no legal status

3. PROFILE OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS

The holder

- analyses hair and scalp, washes hair and massages scalp with conditioner
- is able to cut ladies' and men's hair in different styles and use a variety of techniques to create and work out day- and pin-up styles for all lengths and types of hair, as well as the shapes of heads of both men and women
- uses a variety of techniques to perm and colour hair and has the skills to create colours and cutting styles
- is able to form and shave beards
- selects products and treatment based on his fundamental knowledge of the nature of hair, interplay of chemical reaction of permanent and general handling of chemical substances
- takes the client's shape of face, build and personality into account when treating him/her, but fully respecting his/her wishes at the same time. Gives personal advise on hair-care, use of hair-styling products and hair accessories
- is familiar with the history of hairdressing and the changes of fashion throughout the centuries. Follows fashion trends and is able to adapt them
- is able to write and illustrate job-descriptions and can follow such instructions from others himself
- adheres to law and regulation on cleanliness, health and safety in the workplace, preventative measures, rights and obligations. Is familiar with the most common occupational diseases. Is able to give first aid
- adheres to law and regulation on environmental protection, is familiar with environmentally friendly products and ways to obtain recognition as an environmental friendly hairdresser
- is courteous and considerate towards clients, colleagues and the environment. Is discreet and is aware of his/hers professional and moral obligations
- is able to participate and contribute to professional discussions
- is able to make a simple financial and marketing plan for running a hairdressing salon.

4 RANGE OF OCCUPATIONS ACCESSIBLE TO THE HOLDER OF THE CERTIFICATE

Hairdressers work in hairdressing salons and provide comprehensive service, such as washing, cutting, styling, blow-drying, perming and dyeing hair, as well as shaving. Authorised to work as hairdressers are those who have earned a journeyman's certificate in hairdressing, issued by the Minister of Industry and Innovation.

(*) Explanatory note

This document is designed to provide additional information about the specified certificate and does not have any legal status in itself. The format of the description is based on the following texts: Council Resolution 93/C 49/01 of 3 December 1992 on the transparency of qualifications, Council Resolution 96/C 224/04 of 15 July 1996 on the transparency of vocational training certificates, and Recommendation 2001/613/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 10 July 2001 on mobility within the Community for students, persons Undergoing training, volunteers, teachers and trainers. More information on transparency is available at: www.cedefop.eu.int/transparency

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5. OFFICIAL BASIS OF THE CERTIFICATE

Name and status of the body awarding the certificate An Icelandic upper secondary school operating on the basis of the Upper Secondary School Act and the National Curriculum for Upper Secondary Schools, issued by the Minister of Education, Science and Culture.	Name and position of governing body or region that looks after certifying or confirming the certificate The Ministry of Education, Science and Culture
Level of the certificate (national or international) Upper secondary school level Isced 3 Icelandic Qualifications Framework (ISQF) Level 3 – EQF Level 4	Grading scale / Pass requirements 1-10 Passing grade 5.
Examples of further educational opportunities Studies for master of crafts examination, additional studies for matriculation or technical studies	International agreements
Legal basis The Upper Secondary School Act no. 92/2008, regulation regarding journeyman's examination no. 698/2009 The Industrial Act no. 42/1978 and regulations on Authorised Branches of Industry no. 940/1999	

6. FRAMEWORK AND ORGANISATION OF TRAINING

<p>The average duration of the education and training programme is four years, organised as follows: formal education for five school terms, or 90 weeks including examinations, and 72 weeks of on-the-job training. The programme concludes with a journeyman's examination.</p> <p>Entry requirements To have passed final exams of compulsory education</p> <p>Additional information Further information may be found on http://eng.menntamalaraduneyti.is</p> <p>National reference point The Ministry of Education, Science and Culture, http://eng.menntamalaraduneyti.is</p>
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