

# Esthetician Medical Setting AAS DEGREE

## Program Overview

Esthetician services include specialized work with skin care products, analysis of skin, skin exfoliation, massage techniques, and facials. Students learn to tint brows and lashes, apply makeup, provide temporary hair removal, and to use machines designed to administer skin treatments.

The Esthetician Medical Setting AAS degree is designed for work in medical clinics or treatment centers. **Program enrollment requires current Minnesota Esthetics or Cosmetology license.**

## Career Opportunities

After esthetician students complete 600 hours of skills and theory training and pass the written exam through the State designated testing service and skills certification, they are eligible for licensure through the Minnesota Board of Cosmetologist Examiners. Estheticians work in a variety of settings including salons, spas, fitness centers, as well as dermatologist, plastic surgeon's offices and hospitals.

Licensing or certification exams are independent of graduation requirements.

## Program Outcomes

1. Graduate will be prepared to take the esthetician skills certification.
2. Graduates will be prepared to take the Minnesota State Esthetician written exam and state law test administered through the State designated testing service (access through [www.bceboard.state.mn.us](http://www.bceboard.state.mn.us)).
3. Graduates will have knowledge and skills in esthetician (skin) services.
4. Graduates will have knowledge and skills in salon operations focusing on skin services.
5. Graduates will possess knowledge and skills for personal care of the skin.
6. Graduates will be prepared for employment as an esthetician.
7. Graduates will have the knowledge and skills for work and life roles.
8. Graduates will have knowledge in cosmetic care product ingredients.

Information is subject to change.  
This Program Requirements Guide is not a contract.

## Program Faculty

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## Textbook and Supply Costs

Students should expect to spend approximately \$1900.00 for esthetics books and supplies (first semester). Tuition, college fees and books for remaining courses are not included in this cost. Items can be purchased in the College Bookstore. Be prepared to purchase all Esthetics kits with the instructor on the second day of class.

Financial aid must have been completed. In addition, there is a fee to take the Minnesota licensure exam.

## Program Requirements

- Check off when completed
- Required Program Orientation**  
All Cosmetology, Esthetics and Nail Technician applicants must attend a program orientation prior to enrollment as a full-time student. Please call the Clinic receptionist at 651.846.1329 to reserve your space at an orientation.

Course	Cr
<input type="checkbox"/> CHSN 1598 Body Systems & Diseases (online) . . . . .	4
<input type="checkbox"/> CHSN 1599 Preclinic Introduction (online) . . . . .	4
<input type="checkbox"/> ESTH 1610 Legal Risk Management for Estheticians . . . . .	2
<input type="checkbox"/> ESTH 1612 Peels and Chemical Exfoliation . . . . .	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ESTH 1614 Advanced Skin Treatments . . . . .	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ESTH 1645 Cosmetic Chemistry & Makeup Applications . . . . .	4
<input type="checkbox"/> ESTH 1650 Skin Analysis & Massage . . . . .	4
<input type="checkbox"/> ESTH 1651 Clinic 1 for Estheticians . . . . .	4
<input type="checkbox"/> ESTH 1652 Clinic 2 for Estheticians . . . . .	4
<input type="checkbox"/> HLTH 1410 Medical Terminology . . . . .	1
<input type="checkbox"/> HLTH 1421 Anatomy & Physiology for the Somatic Practitioner. . . . .	4
<b>Subtotal. . . . .</b>	<b>37</b>

General Education/MnTC Requirements	Cr
Refer to the Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Course List for each Goal Area	
<input type="checkbox"/> Goal 1: Communication. . . . .	7
ENGL 1711 Composition 1 – 4 cr SPCH XXXX (SPCH 1720 Interpersonal Communication - 3cr recommended)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Goal 3: Natural Sciences . . . . .	7
BIOL 1760 Nutrition – 3 cr CHEM 1711 Principles of Chemistry 1 – 4 cr	
<input type="checkbox"/> Goal 5: History, Social Science and Behavioral Sciences . . . . .	3
PSYC 1720 Psychology Throughout the Lifespan	
<input type="checkbox"/> Goal 6: Humanities & Fine Arts . . . . .	3
<input type="checkbox"/> Goals 1-10 of the Minnesota Transfer Curriculum . . . . .	3
Select a minimum of 3 additional credits	
<b>General Education Requirements . . . . .</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>Total Program Credits . . . . .</b>	<b>60</b>

## Program Start Dates

Fall, Spring  
Summer – online CHSN 1598 & CHSN 1599 only

## Course Sequence

The course sequence listed on the back of this guide is required.

## Cosmetology Student Handbook/ Agreement Form

All new and returning students will need to access D2L Brightspace PRIOR to the first day of classes to read the Cosmetology student handbook. After you have read the handbook, you MUST print and sign Student Agreement Form, Hepatitis B Vaccination/Declination Form, Property and Equipment Form, and Rollabout Form and return them to your instructor on the FIRST DAY of class before you will be admitted to class. You will need to perform this task prior to the first day of each semester. Please direct questions to the assigned instructor of your first class.

## Current Minnesota Esthetics or Cosmetology License:

Students must bring a copy of their license on the first day of class. A copy will be added to the students' permanent file.

*See back of this guide for Course Sequence and Transfer Opportunities*

## Minimum Program Entry Requirements

Students entering this program must meet the following minimum program entry requirements:

**Reading:** Score of 78+ or grade of "C" or better in READ 0722

**Writing:** Score of 78+ or grade of "C" or better in ENGL 0922

**College Level Mathematics:** Score of 50+ or grade of "C" or better in MATH 0920

**Assessment Results and Prerequisites:** Students admitted to Saint Paul College programs may need to complete additional courses based on assessment results and course prerequisite requirements. Certain MATH, READ, and ENGL courses have additional prerequisites.

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**Course Sequence**

The following course sequence is required.

**First Semester**

Clinical experience conducted at our affiliate location  
 CHSN 1598 Body Systems & Diseases (online) . . . . .4  
*This course is a prerequisite to or must be taken concurrently with ESTH 1645, ESTH 1650, ESTH 1651 and ESTH 1652*  
 CHSN 1599 Preclinic Introduction (online) . . . . .4  
*This course is a prerequisite to or must be taken concurrently with ESTH 1645, ESTH 1650, ESTH 1651 and ESTH 1652*  
 ESTH 1645 Cosmetic Chemistry & Makeup Applications . . . . .4  
*This course is a prerequisite to ESTH 1650*  
 ESTH 1650 Skin Analysis and Massage . . . . .4  
 ESTH 1651 Clinic 1 for Estheticians . . . . .4  
 ESTH 1652 Clinic 2 for Estheticians . . . . .4  
**Total Semester Credits. . . . . 24**

**Second Semester**

HLTH 1410 Medical Terminology . . . . .1  
 HLTH 1421 Anatomy & Physiology for the Somatic Practitioner . . . . .4  
 Goal 1: SPCH XXXX (SPCH 1720 Interpersonal Communication recommended) . . . . .3  
 Goal 3: BIOL 1760 Nutrition . . . . .3  
**Total Semester Credits. . . . . 11**

**Third Semester**

ESTH 1610 Legal Risk Management (Online) . . . . .2  
 ESTH 1612 Peels and Chemical Exfoliation (Hybrid) . . .3  
 ESTH 1614 Advanced Skin Treatments (Hybrid) . . . . .3  
 Goal 5: PSYC 1720 Psychology Throughout the Lifespan . . . . .3  
**Total Semester Credits. . . . . 11**

**Fourth Semester**

Goal 1: ENGL 1711 Composition 1 . . . . .4  
 Goal 3: CHEM 1711 Principles of Chemistry 1 . . . . .4  
 Goal 6: Humanities and Fine Arts . . . . .3  
 Goals 1-10: Minnesota Transfer Curriculum . . . . .3  
**Total Semester Credits. . . . . 14**

**Total Program Credits . . . . .60**

**Transfer Opportunities**

Saint Paul College has a transfer articulation agreement between the following program and post-secondary institutions for the baccalaureate degree programs listed below.

For more information please go to [www.saintpaul.edu/Transfer](http://www.saintpaul.edu/Transfer).

**Esthetician Medical Setting AAS**

- BS Healthcare and Human Service Management  
Saint Mary's University-Twin Cities Campus
- BA Health Care Administration  
Concordia University, St. Paul
- BA Individualized Studies  
Metropolitan State University