

**PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE
STATE BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY**

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NEVADA STATE BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY

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EXPLANATION – Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

This proposed, permanent regulation has been submitted under the authority of NRS 644A.275.

NRS 644A.275 authorizes Nevada State Board of Cosmetology to adopt reasonable regulations related to the practice and governance of cosmetology. The provisions of this regulation do not apply to unlicensed individuals or individuals who are already licensed to practice cosmetology or any branch thereof.

Chapter 644A of NAC is hereby amended as follows:

NAC 644A.618 Instruction of students by licensed instructors; requirement for students to wear badges; limitation on practice by students. (NRS 644A.275, 644A.735, 644A.745)

1. A school of cosmetology:
 - (a) Shall maintain a staff of licensed instructors who are competent to give instruction in all subjects of its curriculum, including, without limitation, the subjects required by regulation of the Board.
 - (b) Shall not use a licensed student instructor as a student operator.
2. Each student in cosmetology, esthetics, nail technology, electrology or hair designing shall wear a badge with the word “student” inscribed on it. This badge must be worn at all times when the student is in attendance at the school. The student may not work on the public until the student has completed a preliminary training period of 300 hours for students in cosmetology or hair design, 150 hours for students in esthetics or electrology and 100 hours for students in nail technology.
3. *Except in a state of emergency, as declared by the Governor, and upon a majority vote of the Board,* students shall not practice at home or in a cosmetological establishment and shall not give demonstrations other than those required of them by the school of cosmetology at the location of the school or while on a field trip supervised by the instructors of the school.
 - (a) *Should the Board allow practice at home, such practice is limited solely to practice on a mannequin.*
4. No instructor in a licensed school of cosmetology may, during the hours in which he or she is on duty as an instructor, devote his or her time to the public or to the private practice of cosmetology for compensation. Each instructor shall devote the instructor’s full time during the hours he or she is on duty as an instructor to instructing students.