

Cosmetologist

Definition

Cosmetologists and hairstylists provide beauty services, such as shampooing, cutting, coloring and styling hair and massaging and treating the scalp and may also apply makeup, dress wigs, perform hair removal and provide nail and skin care services.

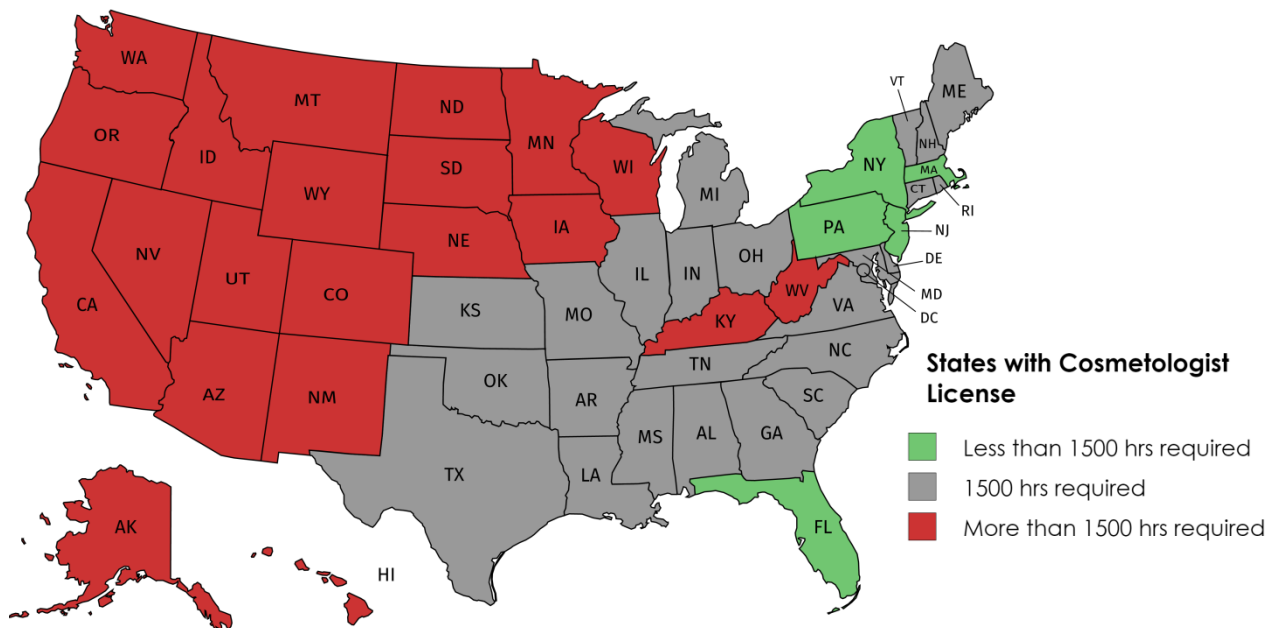
What LB 343 does

This legislation reduces the required hours from 2,100 to 1,500. For Instructors, it reduces the hours from 925 to 750 additional hours, or 350 hours and two years' experience as a licensed cosmetologist. It will also update the language for physical schools located within the state by removing the square footage requirements and the student enrollment status language from the statutes. It eliminates the requirement to register as a guest artist and clarifies guest lecturers are able to visit schools and are not required to receive additional licensure through the Department.

State Specific Information

Every state and the District of Columbia require a license to work as a cosmetologist. Half of states require 1,500 hours of education.

State	Fee	Education	Exams
Nebraska	\$95	2100 hrs. & 2000 credits	1 Required
Colorado	\$27	1800 hours	2 Required
Iowa	\$60	2100 hours	1 Required
Kansas	\$45	1500 hours	2 Required
Missouri	\$50	1500 hrs. or 3000 hr. apprenticeship	2 Required
South Dakota	\$80	2100 hours	3 Required
Wyoming	\$96	2000 hours	2 Required



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