

Chapter H 6

BARBER SHOPS AND SCHOOLS TEACHING BARBERING

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H 6.01 Practice. (1) No person shall practice barbering in any place other than a barber shop, excepting for sick or infirm persons in homes and hospitals.

(2) No person shall operate a barber shop in connection with any other business or dwelling unless there is a substantial, dust or odor-proof partition or wall from the floor to the ceiling, separating the barber shop from such other business or dwelling.

(3) Access to the barber shop shall be by means of a separate entrance. Interior doors leading to the barber shop from adjacent rooms shall be securely locked and closed and shall not be used.

(4) Plans and specifications for any barber shop hereinafter established or removed to a new location, showing all details as to entrances, partitions, windows, openings, ventilation, vestibules, toilets, water supply, waste connections, sanitary equipment and other details as may be required by the board shall be submitted to and must be approved by the board before such shop may be opened for business.

(5) Nothing herein shall prohibit the sale of tobacco, newspapers, or candy in original packages, or shoe shining, or manicuring in barber shops.

(6) Master, journeyman, apprentice or student license cards must be conspicuously displayed in front of the licensee's chair.

(7) The owner or manager of any barber shop shall post a copy of these rules and regulations in a conspicuous place in said shop.

H 6.02 Sanitation. (1) Every barber or other person in charge of a barber shop shall supply continuously hot and cold running water therein in such quantities as may be necessary to conduct such shop in sanitary manner.

(2) In places where there is a water or sewer system in close proximity to a barber shop the manager thereof shall cause such shop to be connected with such system.

(3) Where hot running water is not available, receptacles equipped with faucets must be installed holding not less than five gallons of hot water and must be connected with a wash bowl and the waste water shall be drained into a septic tank or disposed of in a manner satisfactory to the board.

(4) No master, journeyman, or apprentice barber shall knowingly continue the practice of barbering and no student shall knowingly continue as a student in any school or college teaching barbering while such person has an infectious, contagious, or communicable disease, nor shall any owner or manager of a barber shop permit any person suffering from a communicable disease or from any venereal disease

in a communicable form to act as a barber in said shop. Any barber who shall be afflicted with any such disease shall return to work only upon written order of a physician, a copy of which order must be sent to the state board of health.

(5) Every barber or other person in charge of a barber shop or school or college teaching barbering shall use or cause to be used therein separate and clean towels for each customer and every barber serving any customer shall wear washable outer linen, coat or apron, which shall be kept clean.

(6) Used towels must be discarded into a receptacle and must not be left on the washstand or washbowl and not used again until relaundered.

(7) Every barber or other person in charge of a barber shop shall provide the head rest of each chair with a separate clean sheet of paper for each patron.

(8) A clean strip of cotton, towel, or paper band shall be placed around the neck of each patron served so that at no time the hair cloth or cape will come in contact with the neck or skin of the patron.

(9) After using a razor, scissors, tweezers, comb, hairbrush, rubber disc or parts of a vibrator on a patron, same shall be thoroughly cleaned with hot water and soap, and shall not again be used on a patron until the appliance has been first sterilized by immersing it in a solution containing at least 65 per cent alcohol or similar disinfecting solution of equal strength, such as mercuric iodide, etc.

(10) Clippers shall be kept clean at all times and before using same on a person the plates shall be disinfected by immersing same in kerosene, gasoline, or a solution of at least 65 per cent alcohol.

(11) No tools shall be left on workstand when not in use.

(12) No barber shall use in practicing barbering any styptic pencil, finger bowl, sponge, lump alum, or powder puff. Possession of used styptic pencil or lump alum in a barber shop is prima facie evidence that the same is being used there in the practice of barbering.

(13) All barber shops and barber schools together with all furniture, equipment, tools, utensils, floors, walls and ceilings shall at all times be kept in a clean and sanitary condition and be well-lighted and well-ventilated.

(14) All jardinieres, stand vases and cuspidors shall be thoroughly cleaned at least once each day.

(15) Floors must be kept free from hair and swept or mopped each day and must be covered with nonabsorbent material.

(16) No barber or other person in charge of any barber shop shall undertake to treat any disease of the skin.

(17) No barber shall shave any person when the surface to be shaved is inflamed or broken out or contains pus, unless such person is provided with a cup and shaving brush for his individual use.

(18) All persons employed in a barber shop shall be clean both as to person and dress.

(19) Every barber shall thoroughly wash his hands with soap and water immediately before serving a customer.

(20) No barber shall, to stop the flow of blood, use alum or other material unless the same be used as a powder and applied with a clean towel or in liquid form.

(21) All shaving cups and lathering brushes must be thoroughly cleaned with hot water before using on any customer.