

Assistant Nail Technician

Aliases: Assistant Nail Therapist

Industry/Sector(s): Beauty and Wellness

JOB DESCRIPTION ¹

The tasks an Assistant Nail Technician is expected to perform include:

- Performing various duties such as manicure and pedicure
- Assisting the nail technician in providing advanced nail care services such as nail art, nail enhancement, nail tips, etc.

WORK ENVIRONMENT ^{3, 2}

- It is not a desk job
- Need not handle a team
- Local travelling is not a part of this job profile
- Part-time work and contractual jobs are not available
- Work from home option is not available

Working hours

- Working hours are 8/9 hours a day for 6 days a week. This may vary from salon to salon
- Shift system is not available
- Overtime may be required

Is the job suitable for a candidate with special needs?

This may vary from organization to organization

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS AND TRAINING ¹

- Preferably, 8th with ability to read, write and communicate effectively
- Certified training for Assistant Nail Technician (programme aligned to BWS/Q0401 released by Beauty & Wellness Sector Skill Council)

KEY COMPETENCIES ¹

- Knowledge of types of products, materials and equipment required for the treatment
- Skilled in process to sterilize and disinfect equipment/tools
- Knowledge of the structure and function of the skin
- Basic knowledge of bone structure
- Knowledge of nail diseases and disorders
- Knowledge of nail and skin analysis by visual/manual examination
- Skilled in pedicure and manicure techniques

DESIRABLE COMPETENCIES ¹

- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills
- Good hand-eye co-ordination
- Customer-oriented

AVAILABLE SKILL TRAINING AND LEARNING INSTITUTES

- Shahnaz Husain Group of Companies
<http://shahnaz.in/courses-offered/>
- VLCC Institute
<http://www.vlccinstitute.com/courses/diploma-in-beauty-culture-dbc-3/>
- International School of Aesthetics and Spa
<http://isasbeautyschool.com/nail-art-2/>
- Nail Art Academy
<http://www.nailartacademy.co.in/nail-spa-course.htm>

AVAILABLE SKILL TRAINING SCHEMES/SCHOLARSHIPS

For scholarship and schemes, use further links like:

- <https://scholarships.gov.in/>
- <http://pmkvyofficial.org/ExploreSectorSkillCouncilDetail.aspx?SSC=MTc=>

SAMPLE OF TRAINING AND LEARNING COURSES

<http://www.nailartacademy.co.in/nail-spa-course.htm>

CAREER PROGRESSION PATH ⁴

Salon Manager



Nail Technician



Assistant Nail Technician

The progression is indicative

EXPECTED EARNINGS ³

•For new entrants - Rs 10,000 to Rs 15,000 per month

These figures are indicative and subject to change

REQUIRED WORK EXPERIENCE ¹

Generally, 0-12 months of experience required

PROBABLE EMPLOYERS ³

- Salons and spas
- Hotels

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OCCUPATIONAL CODES AND STANDARDS

| Standard | Code | Description |
|--------------|------------|---|
| NCO 2015 | 5142.0202 | Assistant Nail Technician |
| ISCO 2008 | 5141 | Beauticians and Related Workers |
| NIC 2008 | 96020 | Hairdressing and other beauty treatment |
| QP Reference | BWS/ Q0401 | Assistant Nail Technician |
| NSQF | Level 3 | Not available |

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| 2 | http://www.ccdisabilities.nic.in/page.php?s=reg&t=def&p=list_jobsNew |
| 3 | https://targetstudy.com/professions/nail-technician.html |
| 4 | http://www.dget.nic.in/upload/uploadfiles/files/publication/Des-Div-5.pdf |