

Assistant Spa Therapist

Aliases: Spa Assistant

Industry/Sector(s): Beauty and Wellness

JOB DESCRIPTION ¹

The tasks an Assistant Spa Therapist is expected to perform include:

- Assisting the Spa Therapist in providing different spa services
- Preparing and maintaining work area

WORK ENVIRONMENT ^{2, 5}

- 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 may be 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, 10th
- Certified training for Assistant Spa Therapist (programme aligned to BWS/Q1001 released by Beauty & Wellness Sector Skill Council)

KEY COMPETENCIES ¹

- Knowledge of the process and products to sterilize and disinfect equipment/tools
- Knowledge of basic ailments, contraindications, contra-actions, treatment plans, etc.
- Knowledge of basic spa therapy techniques (range of body massages, wraps, etc.)
- Knowledge of range of rejuvenation products, procedure for product selection, different skin types and application of products based on skin types

DESIRABLE COMPETENCIES ¹

- Training certification in performing a range of body massages, scrubs, wraps, and facials
- Training in basic spa product knowledge
- Training in product preparation for therapies
- Training in basic hygiene and safety
- Pleasant personality
- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills
- Service-oriented

AVAILABLE SKILL TRAINING AND LEARNING INSTITUTES

- VLCC Institute
<http://www.vlccinstitute.com/courses/diploma-in-spa-therapies/>
- Annabel The Universal Spa
<http://annabelspa.com/institute.html>
- G Spa
<http://gspaaroma.com/academy.html>
- Nazareth Institute of Management & Technology
<http://www.nimat.org/professional-career-course-certificatediploma-in-spabeauty-therapy/>
- Tattva Spa
<http://tattvaspa.com/about-us/wellness-academy>

AVAILABLE SKILL TRAINING SCHEMES/SCHOLARSHIPS

For scholarship and schemes, use further links like:

- <https://scholarships.gov.in/>
- <http://pmkvofficial.org/ExploreSectorSkillCouncilDetail.aspx?SSC=MTc%3d>

SAMPLE OF TRAINING AND LEARNING COURSES

<http://www.studyspa.com/courses.html>

CAREER PROGRESSION PATH ⁴

Spa Manager



Spa Supervisor



Spa Therapist



Assistant Spa Therapist

The progression is indicative

EXPECTED EARNINGS ³

- For new entrants - Rs 10,000 to Rs 14,000 per month

These figures are indicative and subject to change

REQUIRED WORK EXPERIENCE ¹

Some organizations hire new entrants too

PROBABLE EMPLOYERS ³

- Salons and spas
- Hotels and other recreation centres

KEYWORDS

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OCCUPATIONAL CODES AND STANDARDS

Standard	Code	Description
NCO 2015	5142.0802	Assistant Spa Therapist
ISCO 2008	5141	Beauticians and Related Workers
NIC 2008	96905	Activities of sauna and steam baths, massage salons etc.
QP Reference	BWS/Q1001	Assistant Spa Therapist
NSQF	Level 3	Not available

REFERENCES

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2	http://www.ccdisabilities.nic.in/page.php?s=reg&t=def&p=list_jobsNew
3	http://www.naukri.com/job-listings-SPA-Therapist-Beautician-Female-Unimax-Delhi-Noida-Ghaziabad-0-to-2-years-310516003434?src=seo_srp&sid=1465625210611&xp=14&qp=spa%20therapist&srcPage=s
4	www.dget.nic.in/upload/uploadfiles/files/publication/Des-Div-5.pdf
5	http://www.indeed.co.in/cmp/Stone-Salon-and-Spa/jobs/Senior-Spa-Therapist-Beautician-8a7aa90b1ce2b8f1?sdu=QwrRXKrqZ3CNX5W-O9jEvb3jah1zuiM8AKGmwjJO4Jz6135Sq29UjwWPmi9k3D4FlyM_dAk4dS7u8PM6O1YIFzX0AIW44SD0egOoWpgFXes0Nm_SJd9fWSAsMFSKnXIb