

Chemical Texturing: Waving and Straightening Course

Course description:

Many young stylists have never performed a perm. Even seasoned professionals sometimes avoid relaxing and thermal straightening because they lack self-confidence in chemical use. Yet these are the services that often bring in top dollar. To help you earn more and expand your skill set, this course details the fundamentals of chemical reformation by exploring the chemical or waving solutions, their application variations and the wide variety of texture patterns you can create. Divided into three separate parts, the course begins with an overview of waving and relaxing chemicals, their uses and technological advancements. Detailed lessons introduce you to the latest tools and techniques. Part 2 explores the variety of ways you can create contemporary wave and movement, and solve problems with texturizers. Part 3 demonstrates modern relaxing, smoothing and straightening services, step by step.

Part 1

In Part 1, you'll explore the chemicals behind perms or texturizers, relaxers and thermal straightening or reconditioning services, as well as dos and don'ts. You'll learn how chemical applications can be varied to curl, retexturize or straighten hair in different degrees. Step-by-step lessons introduce you to the newest semi-permanent texturizer and a new way to re-texturize hair by removing curl without losing body and movement.

Part 2

Part 2 focuses on curling, waving and bodifying hair through three practical, step-by-step lessons. The first employs extra-large rollers to create permanent volume. The second boosts fine hair with bender rods for an open result with end kick. The third demonstrates a unique wrapping pattern for a fresh, dual-textured finish.

Part 3

Part 3 focuses on straightening and smoothing curly, frizzy or unruly hair with chemicals. The trio of step-by-step lessons details using a no-lye relaxer on the modern, global client's multi-textured hair; taking hair stick-straight with thermal straightening or reconditioning; and quickly reducing frizz and adding sleekness with a chemical straightener.

Objectives:

- Explain the difference between acid and alkaline waves and know when to use them.
- Use sodium or no-lye relaxers to straighten or re-texturize hair.
- Perform a thermal straightening/reconditioning service safely.
- Avoid compromising the hair's fabric when performing chemical services.
- Correctly predict the curl or wave patterns created with a variety of tools.
- Solve common hair problems like frizz or limpness with chemical treatments.
- Vary chemical application procedures to work with your client's hair type.
- Prevent common problems when neutralizing texturizers and relaxers.

Duration: 3 days

Dates: M, T, W

Time schedule: 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. – In-Classroom Lectures, 11:30a.m – 12:00 – Lunch time, 12:00 - 3:30 p.m. – Instructor Guided In-Salon Training

Educational Requirements: Open to licensed stylists

Tuition Fee: Please contact admission office for a pricelist.

*Minimum of 6 students required for this seminar.

