# APPENDIX B EQUIPMENT LIST

**Dress Code:** All candidates scheduled for a practical exam will be required to dress appropriately (business casual attire is recommended) – no hats, ripped jeans, tanks or halter tops, shorts, and skirts must be to the knee or below. Candidates must have a clean, well-groomed appearance and wear a salon smock or apron that covers undergarments during the examination. If the smock or apron has a school name on it, candidates are asked to ensure the school name is covered prior to coming to the test site and remains covered during the examination. If a candidate does not bring a smock or apron with them on the day of testing, they will not be allowed to test and will be required to reschedule their practical examination for a later date. Fees will apply.

**NOTE:** Barber candidates will perform the tapered haircut, shave, and facial on a live model. Chemical services and layered haircuts will be performed on a mannequin.

**NOTE:** Ensure all supplies are labeled correctly and without a numbering system (numbering the supplies will be construed as cheating). If you arrive at the testing location without the required supplies, you risk disqualification and/or failure of your examination.

Required equipment for the practical skills examination include:

- First Aid Kit
- Conventional Razor
- Mannequin (not pre-sectioned)
- Live Model
- Smock or Apron (meets dress code requirements)

#### **GENERAL BAG**

(THESE ITEMS SHOULD BE IN A LARGE CONTAINER OR SEPARATE CONTAINER AND LABELED: "DISINFECTED")

- Sanitizer/Disinfectant (Labeled: Sanitizer/ Disinfectant)
- Hand sanitizer (Labeled: Hand Sanitizer)
- Paper towels
- Spray bottle with water (Labeled: Water)
- First Aid kit containing: adhesive bandages, gauze or cotton wipe, antiseptic (Labeled: Antiseptic), gloves, and 2 small baggies (Labeled: Biohazard bags)
- Large separate trash bag/trash can (Labeled: Trash)
- Large separate container (Labeled: Soiled) (All items that are reusable go into this container after skill set)
- Clips

## OTHER ITEMS TO BRING

- Plain colored smock or apron (Please note: Candidates will be disqualified from the exam if they do not have a smock or apron as defined.)
- Barbers must bring 1 live model and 1 mannequin (Presectioned/pre-parted mannequins are prohibited, and candidate will be disqualified)
- Mannequin stand and/or extender
- Small whisk broom and dustpan
- Instructor examinations:

Barbers must bring a live model. Models must be at least 16 years of age and cannot be a licensed Barber, or going to school for the profession. Model's hair must be at least 1" long on the top of the head and no less than 1/4" at the nape of the neck and sideburn area. The length must be sufficient for the barber to demonstrate a shear over comb tapered blend from the clippered area up to the longer hair on top. If your model does not meet these requirements, you will not be permitted to test and you will forfeit your fees. Model must have visible stubble on the face to perform the 14 stroke shave.

**Please Note:** Candidates are expected to take home all of their blood borne pathogenic materials in their own trash.

#### CHEMICAL RELAXER

#### **RETOUCH OR VIRGIN**

- Towels
- Chemical cape
- · Non metal comb or applicator brush
- Mock base cream (Labeled: Base cream)
- Disposable gloves
- Mock relaxer (Labeled: Relaxer)

#### MALE FACIAL

- Head drape (Both headband and cap)
- Cleanser (Labeled: Cleanser)
- 2–3 Mock steam towels
- Massage cream (Labeled: Massage cream)
- Toner (Labeled: Toner) or Astringent (Labeled: Astringent)
- Moisturizer (Labeled: Moisturizer)
- Spatulas, or squeeze or pump bottles
- Chest drape

## **HAIRCOLOR**

#### RETOUCH OR VIRGIN

- 3–4 towels
- · Chemical cape
- Disposable gloves
- Applicator bottle or bowl and applicator brush
- Mock haircolor (Labeled: Haircolor)
- Weaving comb or comb

## **TAPERED HAIRCUT**

#### SCISSORS/CLIPPERS

- Neckstrip
- Styling cape
- Scissors/Clippers
- Combs
- Clean-up items for removing cut hair

### **BASIC LAYERED HAIRCUT**

#### **SHEARS**

- Neckstrip
- Styling cape
- Spray water bottle (Labeled: Water)
- Combs
- Razor
- Clean-up items for removing cut hair
- Clippies or Duck bill clips

## PERMANENT WAVE

- 2–3 Towels
- · Chemical drape
- 3–5 Permanent rods
- End papers
- Combs
- Protective cream (Labeled: Protective cream) or Cotton
- Disposable gloves
- Perm bottle with water inside (Labeled: Perm wave solution)

## **SHAVING**

#### FACE AND NECK

- · Haircutting cape
- 4–5 Terry towels
- Shaving cream or gel
- Straight razor or razor with disposable blade
- Astringent (Labeled: Astringent) or Toner (Labeled: Toner)

## HONING AND STROPPING

#### FACE AND NECK

- Conventional razor
- Hones and strops will be provided at test center