

## COSM1000 - Principles and Practices

Credits:	3 (3/0/0)
Description:	This course is intended for manicurists, estheticians and some transfer students. In a condensed form, this course will include the topics of chemistry, electricity, salon business, professional image, anatomy and infection control.
Prerequisites:	• none
Corequisites:	
Pre/Corequisites*:	
Competencies:	<ol> <li>Demonstrate an understanding of ergonomic principles and ergonomically correct postures and movements.</li> <li>Discuss Universal Precautions and your responsibilities as a salon professional.</li> <li>Name the ten main body systems and explain their basic functions.</li> <li>Explain the difference between organic and inorganic chemistry.</li> <li>Understand the principles of electrical equipment safety.</li> <li>Explain the importance of keeping accurate business records.</li> <li>Describe how to safely clean and disinfect salon tools and equipment.</li> <li>Name and describe the types of ownership under which a salon may operate.</li> <li>Explain pH and the pH scale.</li> </ol>
MnTC goal areas:	None

<sup>\*</sup>Can be taking as a Prerequisite or Corequisite.