



OHIO STATE COSMETOLOGY AND BARBER BOARD

To protect and support the public through regulation and education, while promoting the integrity of the cosmetology and barbering industries.

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Examination Admittance Information

Candidates are required to present one (1) of the following forms of government-issued, current, valid photo identification:

- **Driver's license**
- **Military ID**
- **USA Passport**
- **Other form of Government Identification**

Failure to comply will result in the candidate for examination being required to reschedule examination date.

Candidates will NOT be permitted to enter the examination room if arrival time is after the initial examination check-in process has been completed or after the time allotment has expired for a lunch break. In order for the candidate to be rescheduled for an examination, the reschedule fee must be submitted.

Candidates that do not attend their scheduled examination date or cannot be admitted to the examination for any reason will have their examination fee forfeited. To be rescheduled for an examination, the reschedule fee must be submitted.

NOTE: Examination fees are non-refundable and cannot be transferred to another examination date.

Personal items such as purses, coats, hats, scarves, cell phones, Smart watches, cameras, tablets, or other electronic devices are not permitted in examination rooms. Secure lockers are available in the lobby area and must be used to store personal items.

Examination Dress Code Requirements

(A) All applicants shall wear professional clothing when scheduled to take the state licensure examination.

(1) Applicants shall be dressed in professional attire in order to be admitted to the testing center.

(2) Clothing that is comfortable and practical for work, such as pants or a skirt or a school uniform and clean shoes are acceptable attire. A clean smock or apron may be worn over professional attire.

(3) The following examination attire is not permitted in the examination center during an examination: tank tops, t-shirts with offensive language, beach wear, torn, dirty or tattered clothing or clothing that reveals the midriff or lower back and clothing that is extremely low cut.

(B) An applicant not admitted to the test center due to attire shall be dismissed, and required to reschedule for the state examination.