## Median Pay \$27,872 per year / \$13.40 per hour

## If you are a creative person with a strong sense of design our Nail Tech program may be for you!

### What does a Nail Technician do?

Nail Technicians are licensed professionals that perform a wide variety of hand and feet grooming and manicure procedures.

#### **Duties:**

- Discuss nail treatments and services available
- Remove nail polish
- Clean, trim, and file nails
- Reduce calluses and rough skin
- Massage and moisturize hands (for a manicure) and feet (for a pedicure)
- Polish or buff nails
- Advise clients about nail and skin care for hands and feet
- Promote and sell nail and skin care products
- Clean and disinfect their work area and tools

# What is their work environment like?

Nail techs aren't just employed at spas they work at a variety of locations, including salons, airports, and even cruise ships.

# How do you become a Nail Technician?

Our nail tech program is designed to provide competency-based knowledge, scientific and

artistic principles and hands-on fundamentals associated with the nail care industry.





Students learn in a simulated salon environment that helps develop manipulative skills. After completion of our course, students are prepared to sit for the Ohio State Cosmetology and Barber Board Examinations in order to be licensed as a nail technician.

### What is the Career Outlook for Nail Technicians?

Employment of nail technicians is projected to grow 33 percent from 2020 to 2030, much faster than the average for all occupations.



Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, Occupational Outlook Handbook, Manicurist and Pedicurist at https://www.bls.gov/ooh/personal-care-and-service/ manicurists-and-pedicurists.htm (Last visited March 22nd, 2022).