



Rules for Salon Suites

Louisiana State Board of Cosmetology

A. Definition

A Salon Suite Establishment is an enclosed commercial space leased or occupied by one or more persons licensed by the Louisiana State Board of Cosmetology for the independent practice of cosmetology or any specialty regulated by the Board. A salon suite establishment may be located within a larger multi-tenant commercial building or facility containing other businesses or professions.

B. Licensure

Each salon suite establishment shall obtain and maintain a valid establishment license issued by the Board prior to providing cosmetology services to the public.

The establishment license shall be issued to the owner or operator of the individual salon suite and shall be displayed in a conspicuous location within the establishment.

Each salon suite establishment shall operate under a business name that is distinguishable from other licensed establishments located within the same building.

C. Inspection Access

Every licensed salon suite establishment shall be accessible to Board inspectors for inspection purposes during its posted business hours.

If the salon suite is located within a secured or multi-tenant building, the establishment owner shall ensure that Board representatives are able to gain reasonable access to the licensed establishment without unreasonable delay.

Continued failure to provide access for inspection during posted business hours may constitute grounds for disciplinary action.



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D. Identification of Establishment

An establishment located within a salon suite shall display its assigned suite number, or unit number, at or immediately adjacent to the public entrance.

The establishment name and identifying designation shall be maintained in a manner that is readily visible and legible to the public and to Board inspectors including but not limited to the door of the salon.

The establishment name displayed at the entrance and on the door shall substantially correspond to the name under which the establishment is licensed with the Board.

E. Shared Facilities

A salon suite establishment may utilize common areas within a multi-tenant commercial building, including but not limited to hallways, waiting areas, restrooms, parking areas, and break rooms, provided such shared facilities do not prevent the establishment from complying with all applicable statutes and administrative rules.

F. Compliance

Each salon suite establishment shall independently comply with all the same applicable laws and administrative rules governing traditional salons and facilities.

G. Responsibility

The owner or operator of each salon suite establishment shall remain responsible for compliance with all laws and rules applicable to the licensed establishment regardless of the ownership or management of the building in which the salon suite is located.