

Skin Therapies Pathway Program (ShortCourse)

COURSE CODE	3120HBS025
LOCATIONS	Warrnambool
STUDY MODE	Short Course
Length	18 weeks
Commencement	Follow the book now button for upcoming dates
Timetable	Semester 1:
	Tuesdays 9am-12pm Plus: Mondays 9am - 3.30pm (9 Feb - 2 Mar) and Tuesdays 12.30pm - 3.30pm (17 & 24 Feb)

Course Overview

This section gives you an introduction to what you will be learning in this course, plus course outcomes, career opportunities, and student support.

Introduction

This accredited short course gives you the essential skills and knowledge required to move into advanced skin therapies.

It's the perfect starting point for further study and prepares you with the prerequisite units required for the **Advanced Diploma of Skin Therapies**, including skin science, body systems, infection control, and facial treatment techniques.

What will I Learn?

You will develop a thorough understanding of skin and body structure and function, safe work practices, and industry-standard infection control procedures.

You will also gain hands-on training in both general and specialised facial treatments, allowing you to build confidence and competence in performing professional skin services.

Course Outcomes and Career Opportunities

This course provides the essential skills and knowledge needed for entry-level roles in the beauty and skin therapy industry.

It also offers a clear pathway into the **Advanced Diploma of Skin Therapies**, while opening opportunities to work in beauty salons and wellness spas.

Information Session

Why don't you come along to our next course info session to find out everything you need to start your learning journey? You can chat with our teachers, tour our facilities, learn more about the course, find out about the application process and get your questions answered by our course experts.

[Find the next info session near you](#)

Course Requirements

This section gives you an overview of entry requirements, course units and electives, skills recognition, and assessment criteria.

Entrance requirements & pre-requisites

To enrol in this course you must be at least 17 years old and completed Year 11 or equivalent.

Units offered

Core Units

Unit Code	Unit Name	Unit Hours	Unit Consumables
SHBBFAS005	Provide facial treatments and skin care recommendations	100	\$60.00
SHBBSSC001	Incorporate knowledge of skin structure and functions into beauty therapy	60	\$0.00
SHBBSSC002	Incorporate knowledge of body structures and functions into beauty therapy	60	\$0.00
SHBBFAS006	Provide specialised facial treatments	100	\$60.00
SHBBINF002	Maintain infection control standards	75	\$15.00

Assessment

This course involves accredited units. You will be required to complete assessment tasks to demonstrate your underpinning knowledge, skills and attributes to meet the course outcomes. A combination of written, oral and practical assessment strategies will be used in either a classroom, online or workplace environment.

Where units require demonstration of skills in a workplace environment, you will have the opportunity to do this either in your own workplace (where appropriate), through a practical placement, or by using one of the Institute's simulated workshops/classrooms. Detailed information about the types, conduct and dates of assessments will be provided in advance. You will also be provided with information about the opportunity for reassessment and appeal.

Fees

This section gives you an overview of course fees, subsidies, and how they can be paid.

Course Fees

Here's an outline of fees and costs associated with your course.

Course Fees	\$1,450.00
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No concession or government funding applies

Additional course fees	Indicative Course Fee
Course consumable/materials (approximate)	\$0.00

How do I pay for the short course?

Booking your short course is easy and starts online. Once you've completed your online booking, you can choose from the following convenient payment options:

- **Online:** pay securely via our online payment portal.
- **Over the phone:** we will call you to take EFTPOS payment over the phone using your credit or debit card.
- **In person:** visit your nearest campus to pay by card.
- **Authority to Invoice:** if you nominate a third party (such as your employer) to cover your course cost, we will email you an Authority to Invoice form.

Withdrawals, Refunds and Course Date Changes

If you are wanting to withdraw from your studies. Please see our policy below.

Notification of withdrawal	Type of refund
More than five business days before the course commencement date	Full refund or you have the option to transfer to a new date in an identical course
Less than or including five business days before the course commencement date	No refund. You have the option to transfer to a new date in an identical course
Course commencement date and after including "no show."	No refund, no transfer to a new date and no substitutions.
Course cancelled by SWTAFE	Full refund.

[Find out more about our withdrawal policy here.](#)

Outstanding Fees

Please note that a Statement of Attainment, qualification or card cannot be issued if there are fees outstanding.

Next Steps

Ready to take the next step? Here you can make an enquiry, attend an information session or begin the application process.

How to book for a short course

There are 5 simple steps when booking a short course with us.

1. **Book** – Book online and complete our enrolment details at swtafe.edu.au
2. **Verify** – You will be asked to verify your identity online as part of the booking process.
3. **Pay** – Pay online, in person, over the phone, or request an invoice for third-party payment.
4. **Assessment** – Some courses require a Language, Literacy and Numeracy (LLN) assessment. We'll let you know if it's needed.
5. **Attend** – Once confirmed, we'll email all the course details and any pre-reading required.

If need any assistance with completing your booking, contact our team via the live chat below, call 1300 648 911 or [visit your nearest campus](#).

Careers and Course Advice

Not sure which course is right for you? South West TAFE will help you find your way.

Our Careers Coaches at the [Skills and Jobs Centre](#) is here to support you. Whether you're exploring career options, transitioning from school to the workforce or looking to study after school we're here to help you.

Student Support

As a SWTAFE student, you can access a variety of support services that will enhance your study experience and help you complete your studies successfully. For more information about any of these services, [visit our student page](#).