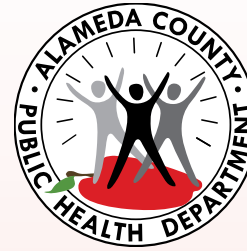


How to become recognized as a Healthy Nail Salon?

Recognition is a four-step process:

1. Fill out the survey form, *AND* email to us
OR mail to Alameda County's Healthy Nail Salon Program at **1100 San Leandro Blvd, 4th Floor, San Leandro, CA 94577.**
2. Schedule and attend free training classes provided by our staff.
3. Schedule a site visit with our staff to verify that all criteria are met.
4. Upon verification, your nail salon will be recognized as a Healthy Nail Salon.



Alameda County's Healthy Nail Salon Program

*Nail salons that protect your health
and the environment*



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What is the Healthy Nail Salon Program?

This is a free and voluntary program that promotes the use of healthier and safer practices and nails products to protect the health of salon staffs, the health of customers and the environment.

What are the benefits of joining the program?

- o Attract more clients by being recognized as a Healthy Nail Salon
- o Protect health and wellbeing of both nail salon staffs and customers
- o Enhance safer salon environment
- o Receive up-to-date information about safety guidelines and regulations
- o Opportunity to attend free training classes provided by California Healthy Nail Salon Collaboratives

What are safer practices and products?

A recognized salon has committed to the following:

- o Requiring all nail technicians to use nitrile gloves and appropriate respiratory protection
- o Setting up a designed well-ventilated area with a ventilation unit for artificial nails services to reduce harmful fume and dust indoor

Polishes and Lacquers without:

- o Toluene
- o Dibutyl phthalate
- o Formaldehyde

Nail Polish Thinners without:

- o Toluene
- o Methyl ethyl ketone (MEK)

Nail Polish Removers without:

- o Ethyl or butyl acetate

Artificial Nails without:

- o Methyl methacrylate

For more information, please visit:

- o Alameda County website
- o www.Cahealthynailsalons.org

