

## Infection Prevention and Control (IPAC) Lapse Report

# **Initial Report**

Premise/facility under investigation:

Pedi N Nails

Address:

109-110 Waverley Rd., Bowmanville ON., L1C 1L2

Type of premise/facility: Personal Service Settings

### **IPAC Lapse Details**

Date board of health became aware of potential IPAC lapse: 2023-08-03

Date IPAC lapse was linked to premise/facility: 2023-08-04

Date of initial report posting: 2023-08-16

How the potential IPAC lapse was identified: Complaint

Summary description of the IPAC lapse:

Observed accumulated debris on work surfaces. Handwashing is not conducted in the designated handwashing sink. Observed cup used to dispense paraffin wax stored in a manner that doesn't prevent contamination of the product. Observed implements and equipment not properly cleaned and disinfected after each use. Observed a container of disinfectant without a label. Operator had incomplete contact information for clients. Observed single use items not discarded immediately after each use.

#### **IPAC Lapse Investigation**

Did the IPAC lapse involve a member of a regulatory college? No

Concise description of the corrective measures required:

- Operator to ensure all surfaces are kept clean and in a sanitary manner.
- Operator to ensure that hands are washed in the designated hand sink and the reprocessing sink is used only for cleaning of implements.
- Operator to dispense products in a manner to prevent from contamination.
- Operator to soak all reusable implements that cannot be reprocessed immediately after use in a labelled, covered container.
- Operator to ensure chemical containers are properly labelled.

- Operator to obtain full contact information of person seeking personal service.
- Operator to use an appropriate detergent to properly clean all reusable implements.
- Operator to properly clean and disinfect all reusable implements, foot baths, and contact surfaces after each use.
- Operator to discard all single-use items immediately after each use, and not reuse or share between clients.
- Operator to ensure implements are fully immersed in the disinfectant solution.
- Operator to ensure that an intermediate level disinfectant is used to properly disinfect foot baths.

Date any order(s) or directive(s) were issued to the owner/operator:

2023-08-04 and 2023-08-09

# **Final Report**

Date of final report posting: 2023-08-16

Brief description of corrective measures taken: Inspections were conducted. Confirmed operator corrected all items noted above.

Date all corrective measures were confirmed: 2023-08-09

## Final Report Comments and Contact Information

Any additional comments: Operator education provided.

If you have any further questions, please contact the Durham Health Connection Line:

Telephone: 1-800-841-2729, or email us.