

Infection Prevention and Control (IPAC) Lapse Report

Initial Report

Premise/facility under investigation:

Venus Nails & Spa

Address:

2-220 Taunton Rd E, Whitby ON L1R 0M5

Type of premise/facility: Personal Service Settings

IPAC Lapse Details

Date board of health became aware of potential IPAC lapse: 2023-09-03

Date IPAC lapse was linked to premise/facility: 2023-09-06

Date of initial report posting: 2023-09-15

How the potential IPAC lapse was identified: Complaint

Summary description of the IPAC lapse:

Observed surfaces in poor repair and made of absorbent material. Observed single use items stored in an unsanitary manner. Observed contents of sharp container above the fill line. Observed implements and equipment improperly cleaned and/or disinfected after each use. Also, completed accidental exposure records were not on-site.

IPAC Lapse Investigation

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

Concise description of the corrective measures required:

- Operator to provide fixtures, furniture, and surfaces in good repair and made of easily cleanable, smooth and/or impermeable material.
- Operator to store all single use and reusable items in a clean and sanitary manner.
- Operator must discard full sharps container once it reaches the fill line or ³/₄ capacity.
- Operator to ensure implements are fully immersed in the disinfectant solution.
- Operator to clean foot baths by using a clean, dedicated brush with detergent and water and friction to remove debris, rinse and then disinfect with the appropriate level of disinfectant after each use.

• Operator to keep accidental exposure records on-site for 1 year and readily available in a secure location for at least 2 years thereafter.

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

2023-09-06, 2023-09-07 and 2023-09-19

Final Report

Date of final report posting: 2023-09-22

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

Date all corrective measures were confirmed: 2023-09-19

Final Report Comments and Contact Information

Any additional comments: Operator education and resources were provided.

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

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