

#### PUBLIC HEALTH UNIT INFECTION PREVENTION AND CONTROL LAPSE REPORT

#### **Initial Report**

Premise/facility under investigation (name and address)

MK Nails located at 1867 O'Brien Street, North Bay, Ontario P1B 5Y7

Type of premise/facility:

(e.g., clinic, personal services setting)

**Personal Services Setting** 

Date Board of Health became aware of

**IPAC** lapse

4/20/2023

4/25/2023

Date of Initial Report posting

Date of Initial Report update(s)

(if applicable)

Not applicable

How the IPAC lapse was identified

Other

Summary Description of the IPAC Lapse

Complaint received 4/4/2023. A client reported an injury during service resulting in an infection. Onsite investigation occurred on 5/4/2023 where:

- A proper reprocessing area was not available for reusable equipment to be cleaned and disinfected, as required.
- Reusable equipment, including tweezers and dremel bits were observed not to be cleaned as required after each use.
- Reusable equipment, including tweezers, manicure/pedicure tools and dremel bits were observed not to be disinfected as required after each use.
- One disinfectant did not have a Drug Identification Number (DIN) and another disinfectant was not being used as per manufacturer's instructions.
- Staff were not washing their hands, as required, after removing gloves and before and after services.
- Records of accidental exposures to blood not kept.

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### **IPAC Lapse Investigation**

Did the IPAC lapse involve a member of a regulatory college?

No

If yes, was the issue referred to the regulatory college?

Not applicable

Were any corrective measures recommended and/or implemented?

Yes

Please provide further details/steps

Corrective measures as follows:

- 1) All reusable equipment must be cleaned and disinfected at a reprocessing area that meets the requirements.
- 2) Clean all reusable equipment after each client.
- 3) Disinfect all reusable equipment after each client.
- 4) Use disinfection products that have a DIN and is used as per manufacturer's instructions.
- 5) Wash hands before and after each service and at other times, when necessary.

Date any order(s) or directive(s) were issued to the owners/operators (if applicable)

Issued report of inspection detailing infractions and directives on 5/4/2023.

#### **Initial Report Comments and Contact Information**

**Any Additional Comments** 

(Do not include any personal information or personal health information)

Complaint investigation was conducted 5/4/2023, a yellow conditional pass resulted from this investigation. Corrective measures were required as indicated above. Re-inspections occurred on 11/4/2023 and 25/4/2023 where some corrective measures are outstanding.

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# **Final Report**

Date of Final Report posting:

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

Brief description of corrective measures taken

Date all corrective measures were confirmed to have been completed

## **Final Report Comments and Contact Information**

**Any Additional Comments** (Do not include any personal information or personal health information)

#### If you have any further questions, please contact:

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