# COURSE OUTLINE

| Programme: Focus Awards Level 4 Award in Laser & Intense Pulse Light (IPL) Treatments (RQF) |
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**Why choose us?**

We provide support during and after your course by Qualified, Experienced Trainers. Class sizes are up to 4. Easy access from London, Surrey, Essex, Kent, and surrounding areas, with parking (1 minute away) The train station is only (1minute) away and on the high speed from London. Hotel accommodation is close by at reasonable rates.

**Who is the course for?**

This Focus Awards Level 4 Award in Laser and Intense Pulsed Light (IPL) Treatments is an advanced qualification that has been specifically designed for learners wishing to become a qualified Laser/IPL Aesthetic Practitioner

**What are the entry requirements?**

We welcome all Learners.
- We accept learners aged 16 and over.
- Level 3 Certificate in Entry to Aesthetic Therapies or level 3 Beauty related qualification
- You will also need a good understanding of English to complete your consultations and assignments.

**What will the course cover?**

- Advanced core of knowledge and the classifications of Laser and IPL as well as the differences
- The health and safety precautions to ensure the safe operation of Laser and IPL
- Managing safe working practices and how to identify and control hazards in a Beauty Salon or Clinic environment
- How to complete a full consultation checking for contra-indications, when to avoid, when to obtain GP's approval and how to complete consent forms and logbooks
- How to prepare your client and perform a Test Patch, this will include giving aftercare and homecare
- Understanding how to work with safe parameters for effective results and the time required between treatments
- The Biology of Skin and Hair, as well as the different hair types and hair growth patterns
- Different skin types, skin conditions and how to treat them, including
- Acne and Age Spots
- Freckles, Fine Line and Wrinkles
- Pigmentation and Sun Damage
- Rosacea and Thread veins
- Hair Removal techniques and how to deal with adverse reactions
- Pricing guidance
- Live demonstrations and hands on practical working

**Will I be expected to complete work in my own time? (Home-study, practice & case studies)**

Structured, supported self-study will be expected from all learners.  You will have assignments to complete as evidence of knowledge & understanding. Theory will include the following units:

- **Management of Health, Safety and security in the Salon**
- **Client care and communication in beauty related industries**
- **Laser and Light treatments for Hair Removal**
- **Laser and Light treatments for Skin Rejuvenation**

**What do I need, for this course?**

You will need access to a phone with a camera, also a laptop, computer, or tablet.  You will need to wear a white tunic or polo shirt, black/white trousers and closed shoes. **You will need to bring a model with you for your final practical exam.**

**What is the cost of the course?  Are there any additional costs?**

- £1,495
- Upfront payment £1,425
- A deposit of £150 is required
- Flexible Payment Options available.

**How long is the course?**

This is a part-time course. Many Learners complete the course in 10-12 weeks. We like to ensure that you have plenty of hands-on experience, so if you feel that you require extra practical sessions, this can be arranged for you.  You will be required to submit your assignments, attend your practical sessions and your exam day to complete the course and gain your certification. Refresher training can be arranged.

**What are my employment prospects with this qualification?**

Our qualifications enable you to work from home, mobile, beauty salons, spas, clinics, and your own business offering the specialised treatment(s) that you have completed. You can start earning by offering treatments to paying clients as soon as you have obtained your insurance. Please check with your local borough before enrolling onto our accredited courses, if you wish to work from home or mobile.

Contact us today on **01474 569 383 / 07803 788818 Mon-Fri 9.30am – 6pm**