

Cosmetology, State Board of

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Mission Statement To safeguard and protect the health and general welfare of the people of Oklahoma by enforcing all rules and regulations necessary relating to standards of sanitation which shall be observed and practiced by all beauty schools and beauty shops; mediating in areas of consumer complaint and alleged violation of cosmetology laws and rules; promoting state socioeconomic goals relating to the industry; and by serving as a resource base regarding products, techniques, trends, and fashions affecting cosmetologists and consumers of service.

Administration Sherry Leweling, Executive Director; Jennifer McRee, Principal Assistant;
Candis Ross, Administrative Assistant to the Director

Personnel 11 classified, 3 unclassified, merit

History and Function Created by the Oklahoma Legislature in 1935, primarily as a licensing agency, the board is self-sustaining by collection of licensing and inspection fees and has the following functions: to safeguard and protect the health and general welfare of the people; to conduct license examinations; register students and apprentices; inspect beauty shops, beauty schools and prescribe curriculum for basic, master instructor, manicurist, facial, hair braider, and cosmetician operator courses.