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AFTER THE EXAMINATION.**

Answer **ALL** questions in the space provided.

**Question 1**

**K-2 (6 marks)**

a. Define the term contraindications.

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\_\_\_\_\_ (2)

b. List **TWO** contraindications for scalp treatment and **TWO** contraindications for face treatment, apart from the ones mentioned in Question 1c.

Scalp:

Contraindication 1: \_\_\_\_\_ (0.5)

Contraindication 2: \_\_\_\_\_ (0.5)

Face:

Contraindication 1: \_\_\_\_\_ (0.5)

Contraindication 2: \_\_\_\_\_ (0.5)

c. Categorise the following contraindications for scalp or face treatments in Table 1.

Epilepsy	Diabetes	Headache	Infections and infestations
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Table 1

Scalp treatments	Face treatments

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**Question 2**

**K-3 (8marks)**

a. Name **TWO** hair conditions and **TWO** skin conditions.

Hair Condition 1: \_\_\_\_\_ (0.5)

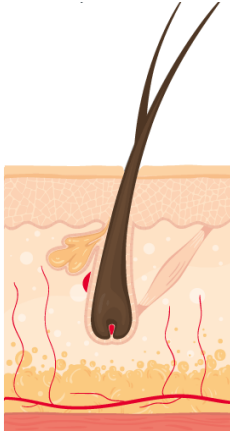
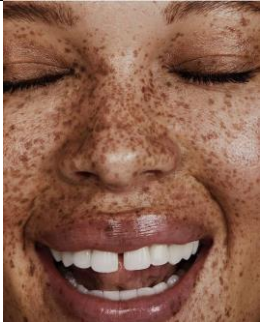
Hair Condition 2: \_\_\_\_\_ (0.5)

Skin Condition 1: \_\_\_\_\_ (0.5)

Skin Condition 2: \_\_\_\_\_ (0.5)

b. Identify the **TWO** hair conditions and the **TWO** skin Conditions mentioned in Table 2.

Table 2

		Hair and skin conditions
i)	 <p>(Source: <a href="http://shorturl.at/hGKY9">shorturl.at/hGKY9</a>)</p>	<p>_____</p>
ii)	 <p>(Source: <a href="http://shorturl.at/tH578">shorturl.at/tH578</a>)</p>	<p>_____</p>
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c. Describe in detail any **TWO** hair conditions and any **TWO** skin conditions.

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**Question 3**

**K-5 (8 marks)**

a. State **TWO** benefits of shampooing.

Benefit 1: \_\_\_\_\_ (1)

Benefit 2: \_\_\_\_\_ (1)

b. Outline **TWO** effects that shampoo has on the hair and the scalp.

Effect 1: \_\_\_\_\_

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Effect 2: \_\_\_\_\_

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c. Describe the implications of using the wrong type of conditioner on **TWO** different hair types.

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**Question 5** **K-8 (8 marks)**

a. List **FOUR** products used in a face care treatment.

Product 1: \_\_\_\_\_ (0.5)

Product 2: \_\_\_\_\_ (0.5)

Product 3: \_\_\_\_\_ (0.5)

Product 4: \_\_\_\_\_ (0.5)

b. Outline the purpose of the following ingredients found in different face care products.

Detergents: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ (0.5)

Waxes: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (0.5)

Fragrances: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (0.5)

Astringents: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (0.5)

c. Describe the effects of **TWO** different products used in a face care treatment.

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**Question 6**

**K-10 (8 marks)**

a. List **TWO** steps you will do in a face massage.

Step 1: \_\_\_\_\_ (1)

Step 2: \_\_\_\_\_ (1)

b. Outline the following **TWO** different massage movements used during a face massage.

Effleurage: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (1)

Tapotment: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (1)

c. Describe an effect of each massage movement mentioned in Question 6b used during a face massage.

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**Question 7**

**C-3 (12 marks)**

a. Explain **TWO** effects of how the PH value of hair products affect the hair and scalp.

Effect 1: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (2)

Effect 2: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (2)

b. Explain **TWO** ways how water temperature combined with products affects the hair and scalp.

Way 1: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (2)

Way 2: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (2)

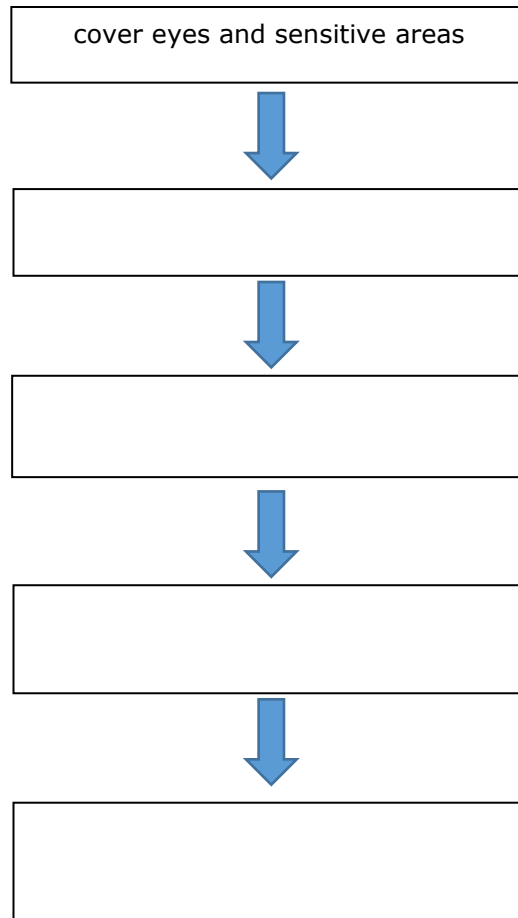
c. Explain **FOUR** repercussions of not rinsing the hair and scalp thoroughly.

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**Question 8**

**C-5 (12 marks)**

a. Outline the **FOUR** missing steps of the procedure of heating the face for a given method.



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b. Explain the recommended application duration of heating equipment for the following skin types and conditions.

Sensitive skin: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (2)

Normal and Combination skin: \_\_\_\_\_  
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c. Discuss **TWO** advantages and **TWO** disadvantages when heating the face with a steamer.

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