

## **NOTICE ABOUT CLEAN TOOLS**

The importance of sanitization, disinfection, cleanliness, and safety are the focus of the Kansas Board of Barbering. It is our responsibility to ensure that individuals we regulate adhere to the statutes and regulations regarding the above for the safety of the public. Infection control, using clean tools and implements, and cleanliness are all vital aspects of the barbering profession. The Board will continue to enforce the rules and regulations for the barbering profession in Kansas.

When a candidate comes to participate in a practical examination, tools or implements shall not be soiled in any manner.

Any candidate who shows up to the practical examination with dirty tools or implements, will receive an automatic failure. All fees shall be forfeited, and the candidate will be removed from the examination. The candidate will then need to reapply for examination and pay a new fee.

The importance of clean tools has been noted on all barber practical examination kit lists and posted on the KBOB website since August 8, 2024 under the “exams” tab.