Branded learning opportunities can be a great way to improve your skills at an affordable price. We compare your options side-by-side so you can find exactly the type of class you’re looking for.
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<td>Log in as a Pro at cnd.com/education/classes and select “Find A Class.”</td>
<td>LSQ &amp; demo featuring the latest product offerings and nail styles.</td>
<td>Free</td>
<td>$25</td>
<td>4</td>
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<td>Log in as a Pro at cnd.com/education/classes and select “Find A Class.”</td>
<td>SHELLAC Brand Certified Pro (conditions apply)</td>
<td>Have a welcome kit with free business building tools as well as two quarterly merchandise materials.</td>
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<td>How to create Acrylic Nail Art using Chisel 3D Nail Art Stamping</td>
<td><a href="mailto:info@alfa.com">info@alfa.com</a></td>
<td>Learn new skills and techniques for how to create fast and easy nail art designs using acrylic powders.</td>
<td>Best architecture for any illusion.</td>
<td>$100 (includes free gift bag)</td>
<td>3</td>
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<td>Understand the facts of natural nail anatomy.</td>
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<td>Become a Shellac Brand Certified Pro and unlock the secrets of Shellac Brand 14-Day Nail Color.</td>
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<td>Log in as a Pro at cnd.com/education/classes and select “Find A Class.”</td>
<td>SHELLAC Brand Certified Pro (conditions apply)</td>
<td>Use unique nail powder application systems through interactive professional application techniques.</td>
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<td>How to increase income with Botanical Escape Herbal Spa</td>
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<td>Learn how to create signature herbal manicures and pedicures using natural ingredients; make your salon different from others and build value with presentation products.</td>
<td>Learn the five elements of design, perfect application and time-saving finishing techniques that create durable, long-lasting enhancements every time.</td>
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- **Troubleshooting**: Log in as a Pro at ndc.edu/class/ and select “Find A Class.”
- **CND Play Station**: Log in as a Pro at ndc.edu/class/ and select “Find A Class.”

### Description
- **CND**: Upgrade your service with verification and unique massage techniques. CND’s 4-step system allows you to customize with fragrance and add-ons.
- **Troubleshooting**: One-on-one professional advice on all things CND. Identify and solve common problems using science-based knowledge and proven techniques.
- **CND Play Station**: Play with the latest and greatest CND products. On-demand Q&A and demonstration sessions featuring the latest nail styles, menu options, and product offerings.

### Main topics covered
- **CND**: Pedicure, Hand care, Spa, Business management, Sanitation, Nail art, Product chemistry
- **Troubleshooting**: Sales, Product, Business
- **CND Play Station**: Pedicure, Nail health, Retailing, Product chemistry, Nail health, Sanitation

### Price
- **CND**: $50
- **Troubleshooting**: $25
- **CND Play Station**: Free

### Time commitment (in hours)
- **CND**: 4
- **Troubleshooting**: 2
- **CND Play Station**: 4-8

### Frequency of live offerings
- **CND**: Ongoing
- **Troubleshooting**: Ongoing
- **CND Play Station**: Ongoing

### CEU credit approved in (state listing)
- **CND**: none
- **Troubleshooting**: none
- **CND Play Station**: none

### Assessments
- **CND**: none
- **Troubleshooting**: none
- **CND Play Station**: none

### Frequency of this offering
- **CND**: none
- **Troubleshooting**: none
- **CND Play Station**: none

### Offering available in-person?
- **CND**: Set times only
- **Troubleshooting**: Set times only
- **CND Play Station**: Set times only

### Offering available online?
- **CND**: yes
- **Troubleshooting**: yes
- **CND Play Station**: yes

### Frequency of online offerings
- **CND**: none specified
- **Troubleshooting**: none specified
- **CND Play Station**: none specified

### Offerings covered
- **CND**: Certificate of Completion
- **Troubleshooting**: Certificate of Completion
- **CND Play Station**: Certificate of Completion

### New title or certification issued
- **CND**: none
- **Troubleshooting**: none
- **CND Play Station**: none

### Manufacturer promotional bonuses
- **CND**: none
- **Troubleshooting**: none
- **CND Play Station**: none

### Manufacturer
- **CND**: Manicure With CND Spa
- **Troubleshooting**: Manicure With CND Spa
- **CND Play Station**: Manicure With CND Spa

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**Additional information**

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<td>Hand &amp; Nail Harmony/Artistic Nail Design</td>
<td>Artistic Rock Hard World Tour</td>
<td><a href="http://www.artisticalndesign.com">www.artisticalndesign.com</a></td>
<td>Join world-renowned Artistic Nail Design Educators for a 2-day training you will never forget. This intensive training covers the Rock Hardfast, an innovative gel and liquid powder system, that turns your clients into gels.</td>
<td>- acrylics&lt;br&gt;- brand product instruction&lt;br&gt;- nail art&lt;br&gt;- customer service&lt;br&gt;- business management&lt;br&gt;- retailing</td>
<td>Free with purchase of $795 kit&lt;br&gt;Free with purchase of $195 starter product kit</td>
<td>16&lt;br&gt;40</td>
<td>16&lt;br&gt;2.5</td>
<td>none&lt;br&gt;none</td>
<td>Set times only&lt;br&gt;Set times only</td>
<td>none&lt;br&gt;none</td>
<td>Rock Hard World Tour Advanced Certification &lt;br&gt;Vetro Technician Course&lt;br&gt;OWC (One Week Hands-On Nail Course)</td>
<td>none</td>
<td>- No additional information provided</td>
<td>- Check out <a href="http://www.artisticalndesign.com">www.artisticalndesign.com</a> and YouTube for application and nail art tutorials.</td>
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<td>Hand &amp; Nail Harmony/Entity Beauty</td>
<td>Entity Educator Training</td>
<td><a href="mailto:entityeducation@nailalliance.com">entityeducation@nailalliance.com</a></td>
<td>Join Entity Beauty’s education team to share your knowledge with nail technicians all over the world.</td>
<td>- acrylics&lt;br&gt;- brand product instruction&lt;br&gt;- nail art&lt;br&gt;- customer service&lt;br&gt;- business management&lt;br&gt;- retailing</td>
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<td>none&lt;br&gt;none</td>
<td>Vetro Technician course</td>
<td>none</td>
<td>- No additional information provided</td>
<td>- Check <a href="http://www.nailalliance.com">www.nailalliance.com</a> for details.</td>
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<td>Juke Co Ltd. (Vetro)</td>
<td>Vetro Technician Course</td>
<td><a href="mailto:support@vetro-us.com">support@vetro-us.com</a>, <a href="http://www.vetro-us.com">www.vetro-us.com</a>, (888) 239-3562</td>
<td>Everything you need to know about Vetro products, how to use them correctly to offer your gel nail service, and create Japanese nail art with Vetro gel.</td>
<td>- acrylics&lt;br&gt;- brand product instruction&lt;br&gt;- nail art&lt;br&gt;- customer service&lt;br&gt;- business management&lt;br&gt;- retailing</td>
<td>$400 course fee + $450 student fee</td>
<td>12&lt;br&gt;12&lt;br&gt;3</td>
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<td>Vetro Technician certificate</td>
<td>none</td>
<td>- Additional 9 hours available for those who complete the Vetro Technician Course (see Sculpture/Education/Vetro).</td>
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<td>Vetro Instructor Development Course (EDC)</td>
<td><a href="mailto:support@vetro-us.com">support@vetro-us.com</a>, <a href="http://www.vetro-us.com">www.vetro-us.com</a>, (888) 239-3562</td>
<td>This course is for those who have completed Vetro Technician Course and want to be a Vetro Instructor. You will learn how to teach the Vetro Technician course. You must take this course before taking the instructor exam.</td>
<td>- acrylics&lt;br&gt;- brand product instruction&lt;br&gt;- nail art&lt;br&gt;- customer service&lt;br&gt;- business management&lt;br&gt;- retailing</td>
<td>$1,200</td>
<td>24&lt;br&gt;3&lt;br&gt;3</td>
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<td>Instructor development course</td>
<td>none</td>
<td>- Additional 10 hours available for those who complete the Vetro Instructor Development Course (see Sculpture/Education/Vetro).</td>
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<td>Light Elegance</td>
<td>Light Elegance University</td>
<td><a href="http://lightelegance.com">lightelegance.com</a> or call (800) 275-5596</td>
<td>Earn your Light Elegance University Bachelor’s Degree by completing four interactive courses and passing your final exam. Includes one-on-one training and online training with top DP Schools.</td>
<td>- acrylics&lt;br&gt;- brand product instruction&lt;br&gt;- nail art&lt;br&gt;- customer service&lt;br&gt;- business management&lt;br&gt;- retailing</td>
<td>$85 but varies by city</td>
<td>8&lt;br&gt;3&lt;br&gt;6</td>
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<td>Light Elegance University Bachelor’s Degree</td>
<td>none</td>
<td>- No additional information provided</td>
<td>- Check <a href="http://www.nailtechuniversity.com">www.nailtechuniversity.com</a> for more information.</td>
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<td>MA Secret</td>
<td>Advanced Nail Structure Workshop</td>
<td>(626) 581-4444 or <a href="mailto:info@minxnails.com">info@minxnails.com</a></td>
<td>Learn and practice how to properly sculpt the nail structure.</td>
<td>- acrylics&lt;br&gt;- brand product instruction&lt;br&gt;- nail art&lt;br&gt;- customer service&lt;br&gt;- business management&lt;br&gt;- retailing</td>
<td>$400 course fee</td>
<td>1&lt;br&gt;8</td>
<td>3&lt;br&gt;8</td>
<td>none&lt;br&gt;none</td>
<td>Set times only&lt;br&gt;Set times only</td>
<td>none&lt;br&gt;none</td>
<td>Certificate of Completion - Basic Acrylic</td>
<td>none</td>
<td>- No additional information provided</td>
<td>- Join <a href="http://www.minxnails.com">www.minxnails.com</a> today for more information.</td>
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<td>Mina Nails</td>
<td>Mina Mastery Course</td>
<td><a href="http://www.mininals.com">www.mininals.com</a>, <a href="mailto:rajazion@gmail.com">rajazion@gmail.com</a>, 866-235-NAUA</td>
<td>Course includes the basic foundation of Mina application, mixed media, and how to incorporate into your existing services to make money.</td>
<td>- acrylics&lt;br&gt;- brand product instruction&lt;br&gt;- nail art&lt;br&gt;- customer service&lt;br&gt;- business management&lt;br&gt;- retailing</td>
<td>$150/class, call for quote for online or private courses</td>
<td>2&lt;br&gt;6&lt;br&gt;3</td>
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<td>Certificate, Mina Nail Stylist</td>
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<td>- No additional information provided</td>
<td>- Visit <a href="http://www.mininals.com">www.mininals.com</a> for more information.</td>
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<td><a href="http://www.marian.edu/nails">www.marian.edu/nails</a></td>
<td>Fashion industry training to get you real work, improve your portfolio, and transform your brand. Led by nail artist Marian Newman.</td>
<td>- acrylics&lt;br&gt;- brand product instruction&lt;br&gt;- nail art&lt;br&gt;- customer service&lt;br&gt;- business management&lt;br&gt;- retailing</td>
<td>$1,980 (or $550/month)</td>
<td>Varies&lt;br&gt;4&lt;br&gt;n/A</td>
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<td>no work at your own pace&lt;br&gt;none&lt;br&gt;n/A</td>
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<td>Creative work by fashion industry icons</td>
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<td>- Best work will be featured by top magazines and brands.</td>
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<td>OPI Products, Inc.</td>
<td>OPI DESIGNSCAPE</td>
<td><a href="http://opi.com">opi.com</a></td>
<td>Professional Nail techs need to contact their authorized distributor or call on <a href="http://www.ropi.com">www.ropi.com</a> for a complete listing for classes.</td>
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<td>ORLY Workshops at Tradeshows (Basic and Advanced), ORLY Master Courses (available second half 2016)</td>
<td><a href="http://www.orlybeauty.com">www.orlybeauty.com</a> for Master Courses</td>
<td>1. TradeShow Basic Workshop: ORLY Ambassador teaches basics that you can easily apply to create simple to complex designs. 2. TradeShow Advanced Workshop: ORLY Ambassador teaches techniques for achieving complex looks. 3. Master Course of Hairdressers: Classes on spa techniques, perfecting nail, gel and techniques, and business development.</td>
<td>- acrylics&lt;br&gt;- brand product instruction&lt;br&gt;- nail art&lt;br&gt;- customer service&lt;br&gt;- business management&lt;br&gt;- retailing</td>
<td>Check tradeshow websites and ORLY’s website in the fall</td>
<td>OPI, GelColor</td>
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<td>none&lt;br&gt;none&lt;br&gt;n/A</td>
<td>no work at your own pace&lt;br&gt;no work at your own pace&lt;br&gt;n/A</td>
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<td>Hand-On Nail Application Workshops</td>
<td>810-93-38NYX (826-6659) to speak to your personal Tammy Taylor Educator</td>
<td>Learn how to build a successful nail business by mastering the “4 money making” nail services.</td>
<td>- acrylics&lt;br&gt;- brand product instruction&lt;br&gt;- nail art&lt;br&gt;- customer service&lt;br&gt;- business management&lt;br&gt;- retailing</td>
<td>(recommended) $155-$250</td>
<td>6&lt;br&gt;8&lt;br&gt;n/A</td>
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<td>OYNC (On Your Course)</td>
<td><a href="http://www.younignails.com">www.younignails.com</a> or (714) 992-1402</td>
<td>Course 1: Mastering Acrylic; Course 2: Mastering Gel. There are one-week courses are not for the weak at heart. For five straight days, Young Nails Tech will challenge you, inspire you, and work you hard.</td>
<td>- acrylics&lt;br&gt;- brand product instruction&lt;br&gt;- nail art&lt;br&gt;- customer service&lt;br&gt;- business management&lt;br&gt;- retailing</td>
<td>$795/each</td>
<td>42&lt;br&gt;n/A</td>
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<td>Certificate of Completion - Mastering Acrylic and Mastering Gel</td>
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Essie professional
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Gehwol
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Mina Nails
Oily
Tammy Taylor Nails, Inc.

NATURAL NAILS
Akzentz Professional Nail Products
Alfalfa Nail Supply
Chisel 3D Nail Art Stamps
CND
En Vogue Sculptured Nail Systems Inc.
Essie professional
Famous Names
Footlogix
Hand & Nail Harmony
Hand & Nail Harmony/Entity Beauty
Mia Secret
Mina Nails
Oily
Tammy Taylor Nails, Inc.
Young Nails Tech

GELS
Akzentz Professional Nail Products
CND
En Vogue Sculptured Nail Systems Inc.
Essie professional
Famous Names
Hand & Nail Harmony
Hand & Nail Harmony/Artistic Nail Design
Hand & Nail Harmony/Entity Beauty
Juko Co. Ltd. (VETRO)
Mia Secret
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### The Academy of Nail Design (TANDS)

**Provider:** The Academy of Nail Design (TANDS)

**Website:** [www.taond.com](http://www.taond.com)

**Description:** The D.C.N.S. program has been designed to give already experienced nail professionals advanced training in natural nail care and the opportunity to earn their D.C.N.S. professional designation as accredited by the Canadian Examining Board of Health Care Practitioners.

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### Cosmetology Continuing Education Online, LLC

**Provider:** Cosmetology Continuing Education Online, LLC

**Website:** [www.3topsnews.com](http://www.3topsnews.com)

**Description:** Earn Texas or Florida CEUs.

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### The High Road to Education (HRTE)

**Provider:** The High Road to Education (HRTE)

**Website:** [www.thenhrtc.com](http://www.thenhrtc.com)

**Description:** Non-professional product education from veteran technicians teaching their tips, tricks, and techniques on a variety of subjects, such as gel, acrylic, pedicure, design, nail art, trends, business, and much more.

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### International Nail Technicians Association (INTA)

**Provider:** International Nail Technicians Association (INTA)

**Website:** [www.americasbeautyshow.com/education/online-education](http://www.americasbeautyshow.com/education/online-education)

**Description:** The INTA's home study course is designed to teach practical technique and application along with the marketing ideas to put your skills to work. The program is divided into three sections: a short quiz and a home study program evaluation. Covers spa manicure, spa pedicure, and marketing your new skills.

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### Career Opportunities in the Beauty Industry (INTA)

**Provider:** Career Opportunities in the Beauty Industry (INTA)

**Website:** [www.americasbeautyshow.com/education/online-education](http://www.americasbeautyshow.com/education/online-education)

**Description:** The INTA's home study course is designed to give an overview and basic information on work opportunities available to beauty professionals. This program is divided into two sections: along with a short quiz and a home study program evaluation. Covers different types of employment opportunities.

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**Website:** [www.americasbeautyshow.com/education/online-education](http://www.americasbeautyshow.com/education/online-education)

**Description:** Basic Nail Art

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### Lauren Yllimann (Wildflowers Nails)

**Provider:** Lauren Yllimann (Wildflowers Nails)

**Website:** [www.wildflowermnails.com](http://www.wildflowermnails.com)

**Description:** 100% hands-on class where techs create the latest trends in salon-style nail art. Each style can be created in 10 minutes or less.

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<td>Skype lessons and private lessons are also available with or without a kit.</td>
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### MediNail Learning Center

**Provider:** MediNail Learning Center

**Website:** [www.medinail.com](http://www.medinail.com), 423-805-7966, or MediNailFacebook page

**Description:** A physician-directed advanced seminar that provides nail technicians and CPMA's the opportunity to participate in lectures held by internationally recognized physicians in topics such as nail pathology and nail tumors, and participants mingle with practitioners and their respective attendees. Hands-on training may include lasers, electric file classes, and prosthetic nail classes.

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<td>MediNail Advanced Nail Technician (M-ANT)</td>
<td><a href="http://www.medinail.com">www.medinail.com</a> or 423-805-7966</td>
<td>10 (10 modules at 2 hours each)</td>
<td>N/A (available on demand)</td>
<td>none</td>
<td>yes</td>
<td>Self-paced</td>
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<td>MediNail Learning Center</td>
<td>Medical Nail Technician (MNT)</td>
<td><a href="http://www.medinail.com">www.medinail.com</a> or 423-805-7966</td>
<td>10 (10 online modules at 2 hours each and 40-hour internship)</td>
<td>N/A (available on demand)</td>
<td>none</td>
<td>yes</td>
<td>Self-paced</td>
<td>2 online tests plus 40-hour internship in a podiatry office</td>
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<td><a href="http://www.medinail.com">www.medinail.com</a> or 423-805-7966</td>
<td>N/A</td>
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<td>MiladyPro</td>
<td>MiladyPro Online Classes</td>
<td>miladypro.com</td>
<td>N/A</td>
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<td>none</td>
<td>yes</td>
<td>Self-paced</td>
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<td>Nailcare Academy, LLC</td>
<td>Advanced Nail Technician Program (ANT); Footcare Nail Technician Program (FNT); Medical Nail Tech Program (MNT)</td>
<td><a href="http://www.nailcareacademy.com">www.nailcareacademy.com</a> (inquiries to <a href="mailto:info@nailcareacademy.com">info@nailcareacademy.com</a>, 863-273-9134)</td>
<td>N/A</td>
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<td>none</td>
<td>yes</td>
<td>Self-paced</td>
<td>100 multiple-choice questions online</td>
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<td>North American School of Podiatry</td>
<td>Level 1: Certified Master Pedicure</td>
<td>855-622-6277 (2677), <a href="http://www.podology.net">www.podology.net</a>, <a href="mailto:NASP@kvggroup.com">NASP@kvggroup.com</a></td>
<td>60 hours (class, 48 home study)</td>
<td>6-10 times/year</td>
<td>none</td>
<td>yes</td>
<td>Set times only</td>
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<td>North American School of Podiatry</td>
<td>Level 2: Infection Control and Salon Safety</td>
<td>855-622-6277 (2677), <a href="http://www.podology.net">www.podology.net</a>, <a href="mailto:NASP@kvggroup.com">NASP@kvggroup.com</a></td>
<td>20 (6 online, 14 home study)</td>
<td>6 times/year</td>
<td>none</td>
<td>yes</td>
<td>Set times only</td>
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<td>North American School of Podiatry</td>
<td>Level 3: Comprehensive Foot and Leg Evaluation</td>
<td>855-622-6277 (2677), <a href="http://www.podology.net">www.podology.net</a>, <a href="mailto:NASP@kvggroup.com">NASP@kvggroup.com</a></td>
<td>100 (32 in class, 68 home study)</td>
<td>4 times/year</td>
<td>none</td>
<td>yes</td>
<td>Set times only</td>
<td>Certificate of Completion—application for CMP (1)</td>
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Frequency of the offering
CPE credits available in (list states)
Offering available on website
Pacing
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Additional information

North American School of Podology
Level 4: Advanced Skin and Nail Pathologies, Diabetic Foot Syndrome, Lower Limb Circulation
855-622-NASP (6277), www.podology.net, NASP@kvggroup.com
This class includes detailed information about skin and nail pathologies as well as information on the circulatory system including lymph, diabetic foot syndrome, and what it means to podiatric. You will also learn about sensitivity testing and compression taping.
$395
100 CEs in class; 76 home study
2 times/year
none
no
no
Set times only
written exam
Certified Podologist C.Pod (®)

North American School of Podology
Art of Touch Massage Modalities to the Lower Leg
855-622-NASP (6277), www.podology.net, NASP@kvggroup.com
In-depth class on massage modalities, reflexology techniques, touch therapies, and Ayurveda massage with akansa wand, specifically for the feet and lower leg.
$345
16
4 times/year
none
no
no
Set times only
written exam
none

Professional Continuing Education Services, LLC
PCES
www.pcosceu.com
Professional Continuing Education Services has a state-accredited online solution to cosmology continuing education for cosmetologists, nail techs, estheticians, and instructors.
$49.99 for first 3 hours, $39.99 for the second 3 hours, $60 in-person classes
12 bi-annually
N/A (available on demand)
NC
GA, NC, DC
yes
yes
Self-paced and set time options available
none
South Carolina license holders receive a certificate from the University of South Carolina higher education, nail techs in other states print a certificate from the site after completion

Salon Gurus, LLC
Many courses available including "Working with a Physician," "Pedicuring with an E-Pæ," and "Safe Salon Concept."
www.salon-gurus.com, choose a program, and move through purchase process.
This site is developed to allow skin and nail care industry gurus to support their peers by making their expertise available in an interactive format.
$37-59/program
1-5/program
N/A (available on demand)
none
yes
no
Self-paced
none
Safe Salon Concept Program is the only one with certification (the tech and salon are awarded a certificate and declaration)
Completing the Safe Salon Concept Program earns a placement on the Safe Salon Services site.

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ONLINE OPTIONS

Want to learn without leaving the comfort of your home? Here are your opportunities. Refer to the chart and contact providers for additional details on which course covers exactly what you want to learn.

- The Academy of Nail Design
- Cosmetology Continuing Education Online
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- International Nail Technicians Association
- MediNail Learning Center
- MedtifyPro
- Kasey Academy
- North American School of Podology
- Professional Continuing Education Services, LLC
- Salon Gurus, LLC