

# Cosmetology – Temporary Permit

ONLY for Not-for-Profit and Demonstration Events

## Documentation Required

- Applicant and all licensees offering services at the event must already hold an ACTIVE license with the Board.
- Application and fee (\$42 for the first day + \$12 each additional day not to exceed 10 days total). **All application fees are nonrefundable.** To apply, do one of the following:
  1. Create an account, apply and pay online at:  
<https://ibpllicense.iowa.gov/PublicPortal/Iowa/IBPL/common/index.jsp>, OR
  2. Print, complete and return a paper application with a check or money order payable to the Iowa Board of Cosmetology Arts and Sciences:  
[http://idph.iowa.gov/Portals/1/Files/Licensure/cos\\_dem\\_permit.pdf](http://idph.iowa.gov/Portals/1/Files/Licensure/cos_dem_permit.pdf).

### Please Note:

1. Submit the application at least 30 days BEFORE the event start date.
2. The temporary permit must be POSTED for the duration of the event.
3. No more than four permits can be issued to the same licensee in a calendar year.
4. Individuals providing services must hold an ACTIVE cosmetology license.
5. The name of each additional ACTIVE licensee planning to provide services at the event must be provided prior to issuance of the temporary permit.
6. Permits are ONLY issued for not-for-profit and demonstration events.
7. The practice of cosmetology arts and sciences for any other reason can ONLY occur in a licensed salon or school. IAC 157.13(1).
8. Temporary permits are NOT for events such as weddings, prom, fashion shows or photo shoots.