The Essential Planner for Opening a Salon

A 12-week plan for turning your salon from daydream into reality.

WEEKS PRIOR TO OPENING	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
INTERIOR DESIGN												
Create logo & branding identity Choose an interior color scheme Finalize salon space layout scheme Order salon equipment & cabinetry Aggregate construction bids Order storefront signage and décor Set up utilities Buy office & employee lounge supplies Get a washer & dryer Sign up for reception area magazines Get a cash register & safe												
HIRING												
Post help wanted ads on major outlets Conduct employee interviews Train Staff		•	•		•	•		•			•	
CONSTRUCTION												
HVAC, plumbing & electricity Hire carpenters and complete work		•	•	•	• • •	•	•	•	•	•		
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