

WAC 246-830-510 Hygiene. To maintain a professional standard of hygiene in their practice, a massage therapist must:

(1) Cleanse any exposed body part used for applying treatment, before and after each treatment, using a sink with water and soap or a chemical germicidal product;

(2) Maintain a barrier of unbroken skin on their exposed body part used for applying treatment during each treatment and in the case of broken skin use a finger cot, glove or chemical barrier product to cover the affected area during treatment; and

(3) Wear clothing that is clean.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 18.108.085 and 18.108.025. WSR 23-07-065, § 246-830-510, filed 3/10/23, effective 4/10/23. Statutory Authority: RCW 18.108.025 (1)(a), 18.108.085 (1)(a), 43.70.041 and chapter 18.108 RCW. WSR 17-14-062, § 246-830-510, filed 6/29/17, effective 7/30/17.]