



When designing a salon, the following information may be helpful. Remember this is general information, check with local codes and building specifications when ever you are working on a space.

SETTING UP A SALON

The normal square footage needed per stylist is figured at 150 to 200 square feet as shown in the following table:

| <u>NO. STYLISTS</u> | <u>SQUARE FEET</u> | <u>NO. STYLISTS</u> | <u>SQUARE FEET</u> |
|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| 3 | 450 - 600 | 6 | 900 - 1200 |
| 4 | 600 - 800 | 7 | 1050 - 1400 |
| 5 | 750 - 1000 | 8 | 1200 - 1600 |

These figures include the space necessary for a reception, styling, drying, shampoo and tint area, as well as dispensary and one rest room. Figures are based on a rectangular space, unusual spaces may vary the 150 to 200 square foot base. Add extra square footage for additional services. If you have individual rooms in the plan the more square footage needed, because of the hall ways. To find the square footage of a given space, multiply the length by the width.

ELECTRICAL SUPPLY

Electrical service needs will depend on the size of the salon, number of hair dryers, use of electric hot water heater and electric clothes dryer, etc.

The following list will help to compute your requirements:

| <u>ITEM</u> | <u>VOLTS</u> | <u>RATED AMPERAGE</u> |
|---------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| Hydrotherapy Tub | 220 (single phase) | 20 |
| Electric hot water heater | 220 | 45 minimum |
| Electric clothes dryer | 220 | 45 |
| Hair dryer | 120 | 10.5 |
| Clothes washer | 120 | 15 |

Amperage requirements for electrical outlets are:

| <u>AREA</u> | <u>AMP</u> |
|------------------|------------|
| Styling stations | 15 |
| Reception area | 15 |
| Dispensary | 20 |

Heating and air conditioning requirements will depend in the locality of the salon-in addition to the standard for the area. Figure that each hair dryer will produce 3100 B.T.U. per hour.

WATER SUPPLY

| <u>BOWLS</u> | <u>WATER SUPPLY LINE</u> | <u>HOT WATER HEATER CAPACITY</u> | <u>WATER HEATER RECOVERY RATE (Gals. per hour.)</u> |
|--------------|--------------------------|----------------------------------|---|
| 1 or 2 | 3/4" | 50 gals. | 80 to 100 |
| 3 or 5 | 1" | 75 gals. | 150 |
| 6 or 8 | 1" to 1 1/4" | 100 gals. | 200 |

| <u>MISC</u> | <u>WATER SUPPLY LINE</u> | <u>HOT WATER HEATER CAPACITY</u> | <u>WATER HEATER RECOVERY RATE (Gals. per hour.)</u> |
|------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------------|---|
| Vichy Shower | 1" | 80 gals. | 160 |
| Hydrotherapy Tub | 1" | 80 gals. | 160 |

The above tables are to be used only as a guide and can vary according to state & local codes.



SPACE PLANNING

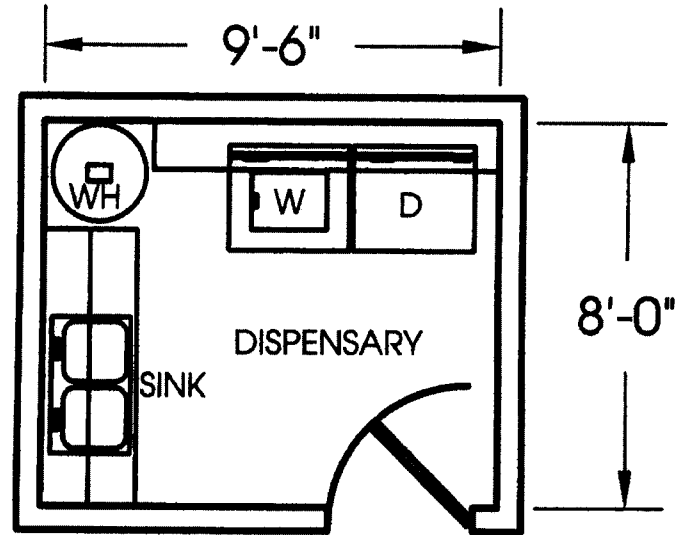
The order of planning a salon is water areas first, styling, drying and additional services second, and reception last.

Dispensary:

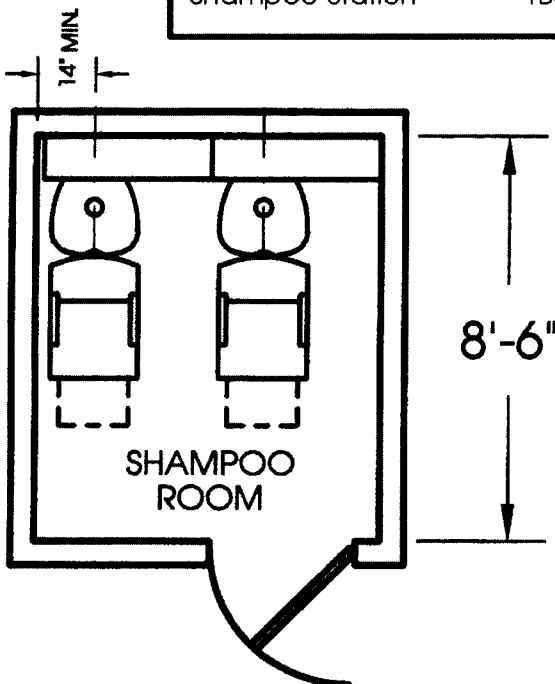
The size of the dispensary depends on your customers needs and wants: The dispensary average size is 8'-0" X 9'-6". This will provide room for a sink, washer, dryer shelving and hot water heater.

Shampoo:

The spacing requirements for the shampoo units differ, because of the style. The measurements in the following chart do not include bowls, chairs or a walk way. The only exception is the backwash which includes the bowl.



| <u>EQUIPMENT NAME</u> | <u>MODEL NO.</u> | <u>SIZE</u> |
|-----------------------|------------------|---------------------------------|
| Backwash | S54K-BLQ | 32 1/2" X 23" (without chair) |
| Cosmos Bulkhead | 1660Q | 45" X 11 1/4" (without chair) |
| Customline Bulkhead | KO60B | 45" X 11 1/4" (without chair) |
| LTD Bulkhead | SL61-42Q | 42" X 11 13/16" (without chair) |
| LTD Bulkhead | SL61-48Q | 48" X 11 13/16" (without chair) |
| Lillo | LL14 | 22 7/8" X 44 1/2" |
| Modular Bulkhead | 0460-40Q | 40" X 11 13/16" (without chair) |
| Modular Bulkhead | 0460-42Q | 42" X 11 13/16" (without chair) |
| Savannah Bulkhead | SV60-42Q | 42" X 12 7/8" (without chair) |
| Savannah Bulkhead | SV60-48Q | 48" X 12 7/8" (without chair) |
| Shampoo Station | TB54 & TB56 | 18" X 26 1/2" (without chair) |

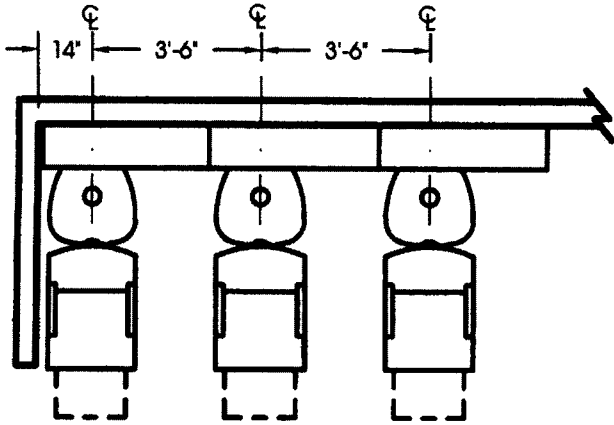


Conventional Shampoo

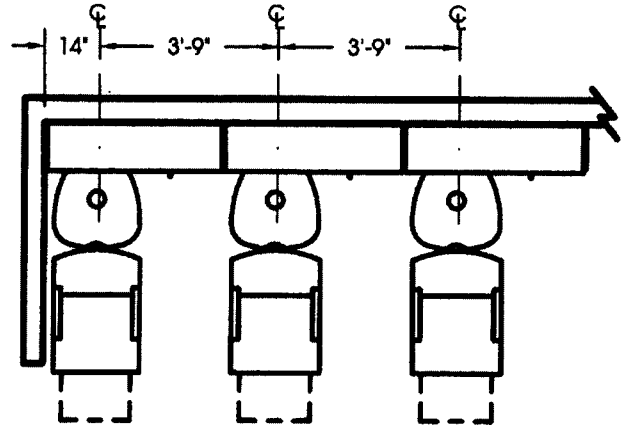
When planning a shampoo room: The distance from the back of the unit to a parallel wall should be 8'-6" minimum. The 0460-40QA, 0460-42QA, SL61-42QA, & SV60-42QA bulkheads need additional room on the left side of the cabinet, as you face the cabinet. The distance from the center line of the first drain to an adjacent left wall should be 14" minimum.



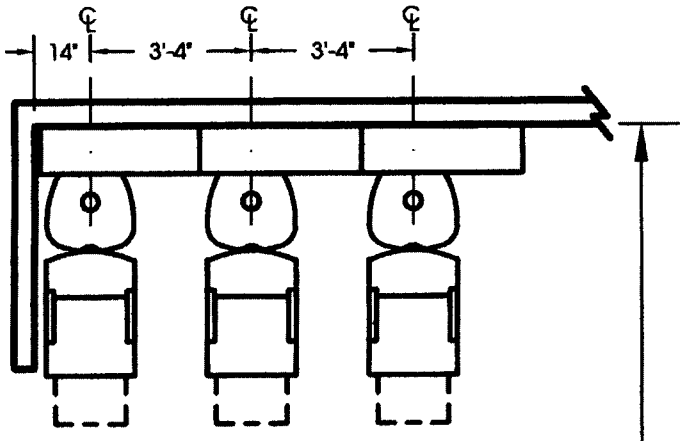
Shampoo:



42" Shampoo.

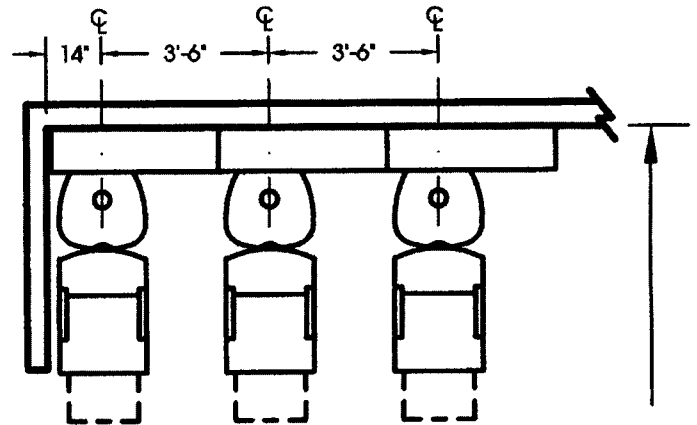


45" Shampoo.



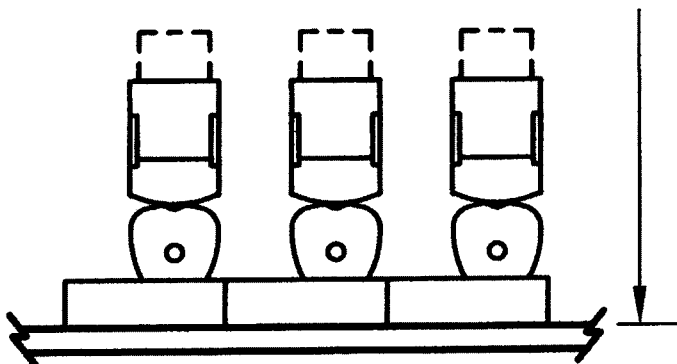
40" SHAMPOO

15'-6"

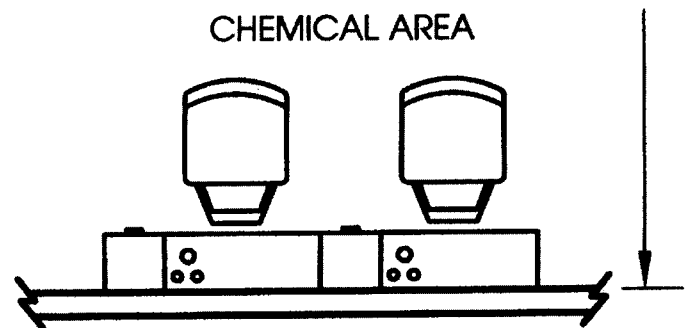


42" SHAMPOO

14'-0"



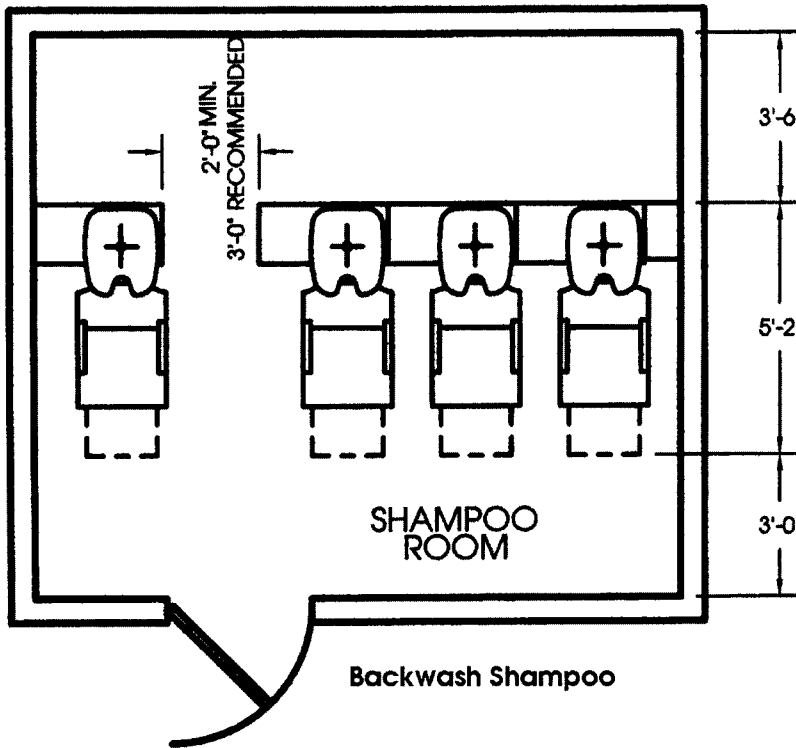
Shampoo stations on two (2) parallel walls, should be 15'-6" used.



Shampoo on one wall and chemical on the parallel wall, should be 14'-0".



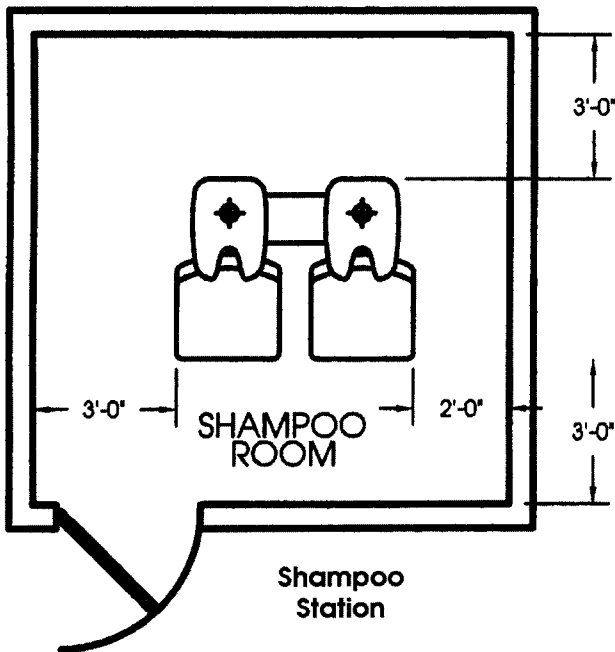
Shampoo:



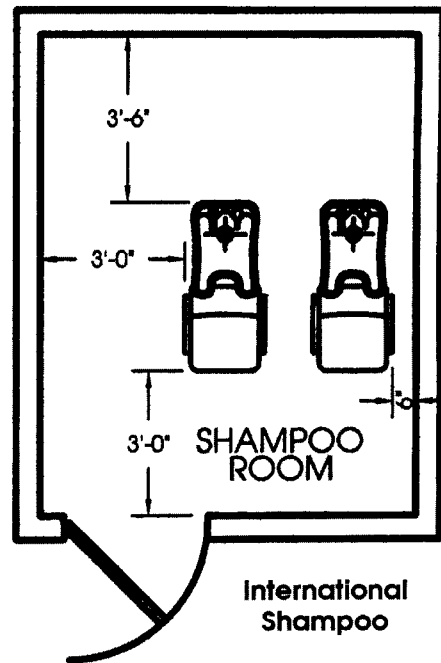
The Siesta shampoo chair requires 12" more space front to back than a conventional shampoo chair.

S54 backwash only.
48" in front of the chair if using a siesta chair w/footrest.
A reminder to order joining panels when more than one backwash is used.

The spacing for the backwash cabinet, bowl and chair is:
50" for regular shampoo chair.
62" for siesta with footrest.



Shampoo Station



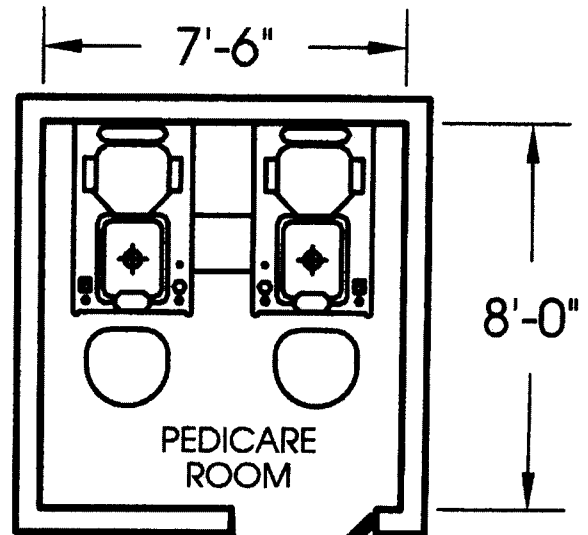
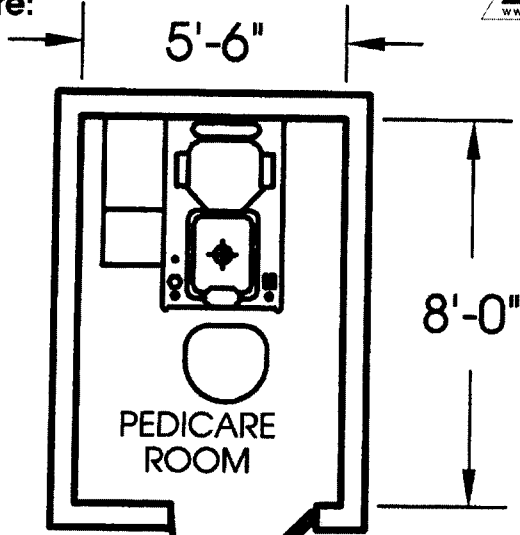
International Shampoo

The backwash type stations, spacing is:
42" behind the unit.
24" on either side for walk way.
36" in front of the chair.

This spacing is for the following: Backwash, Brillio, Gilda, Key Largo, Lillo, Shampoo Station, Sofia and Verdeacqua back shampooing stations.

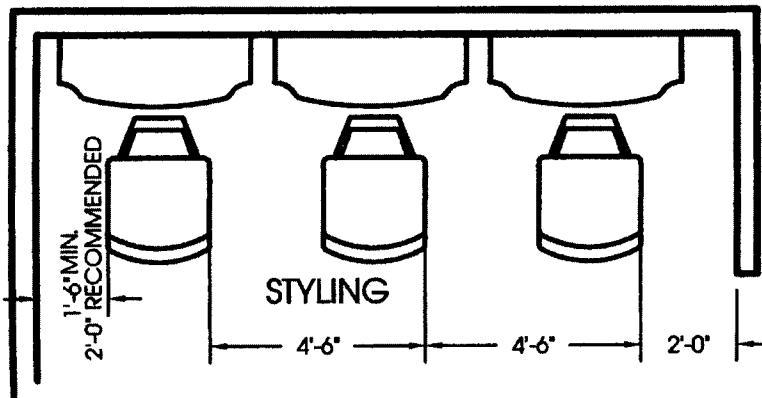


Pedicure:

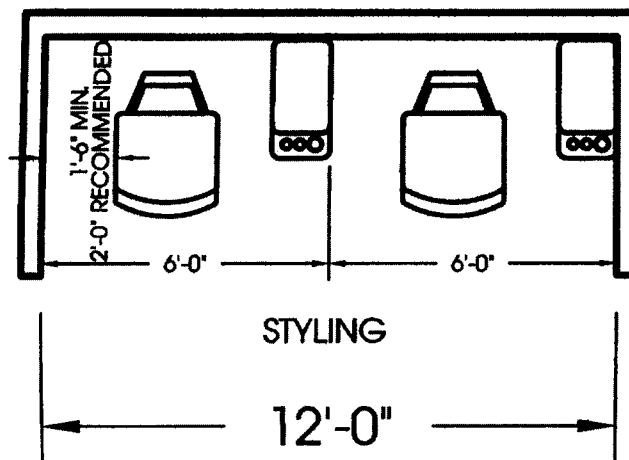


The side of the pedicure sink unit opposite the stairs must be placed 13" away from the wall. Room size for a single pedicure station 8'-0" X 5'-6" (44 square foot). Room size for a double pedicure station 8'-0" X 7'-6" (60 square foot)

Styling:

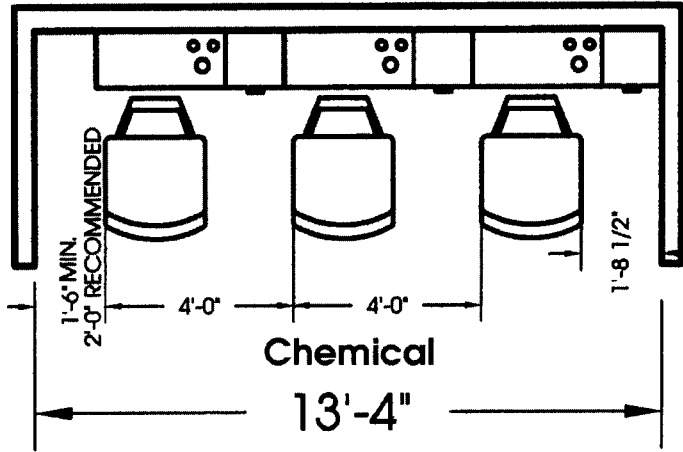


Wall stations require 4'-6" centers. Island or off-the-wall stations 6'-0" centers minimum. 18" min. spacing around the styling chair.

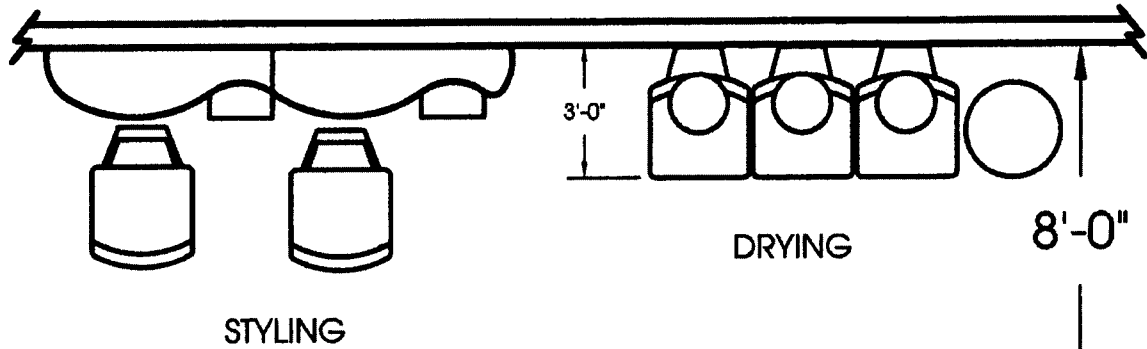




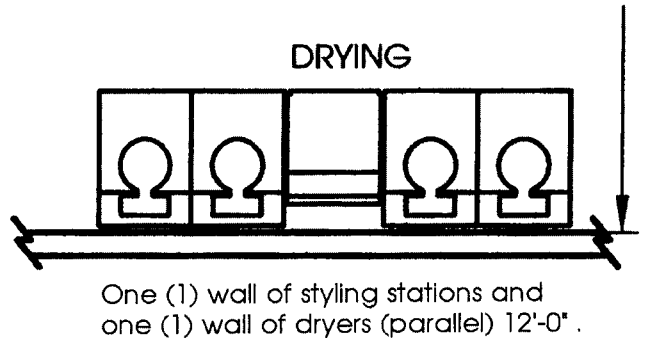
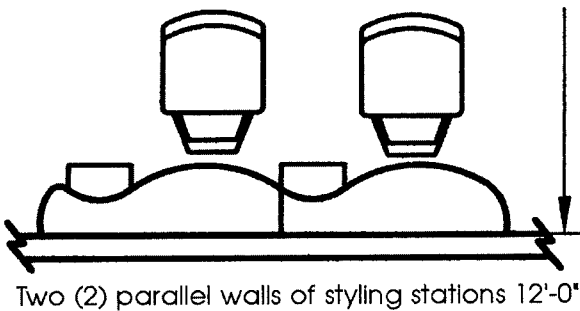
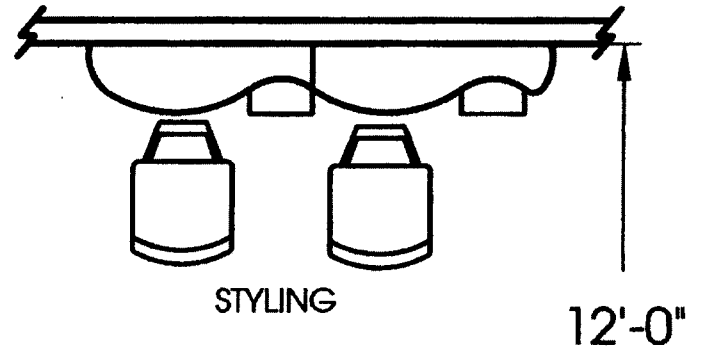
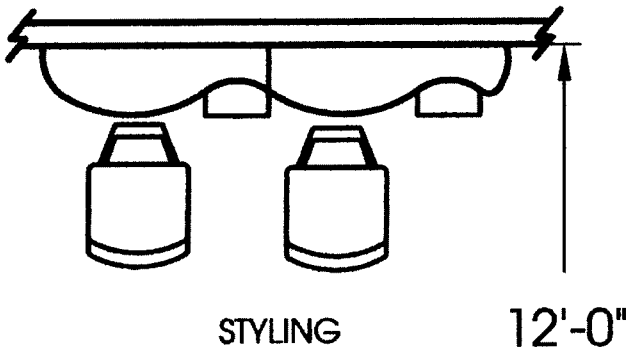
Chemical:



Styling-Drying:

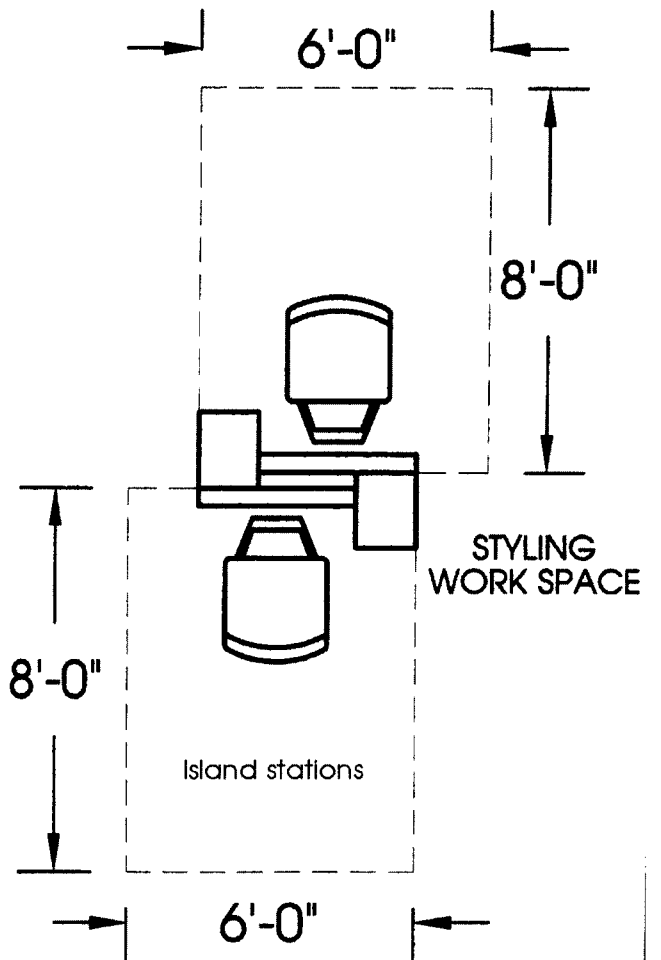
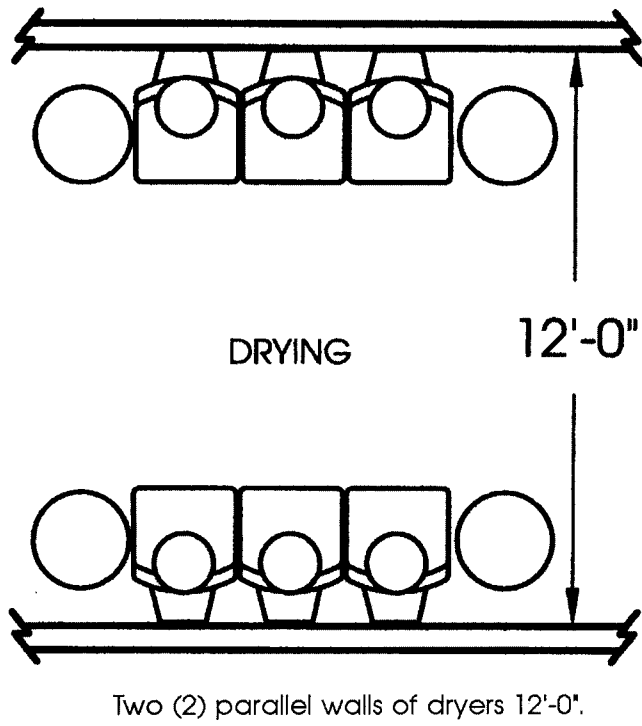


One (1) wall of styling stations or dryers parallel to a blank wall 8'-0".

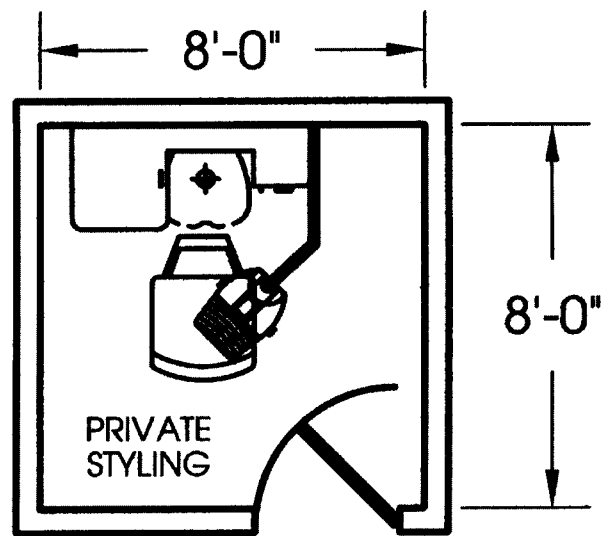
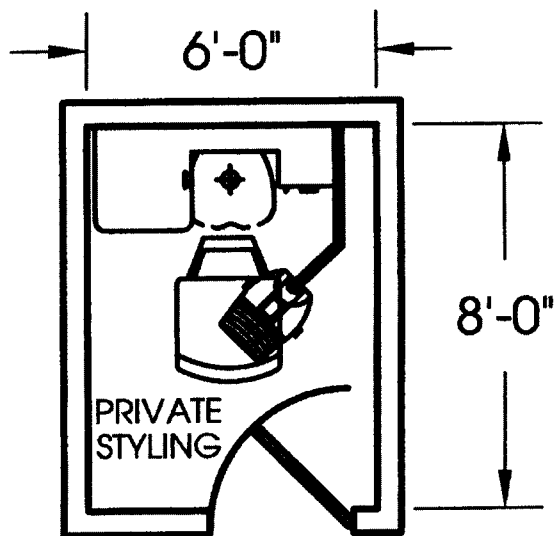




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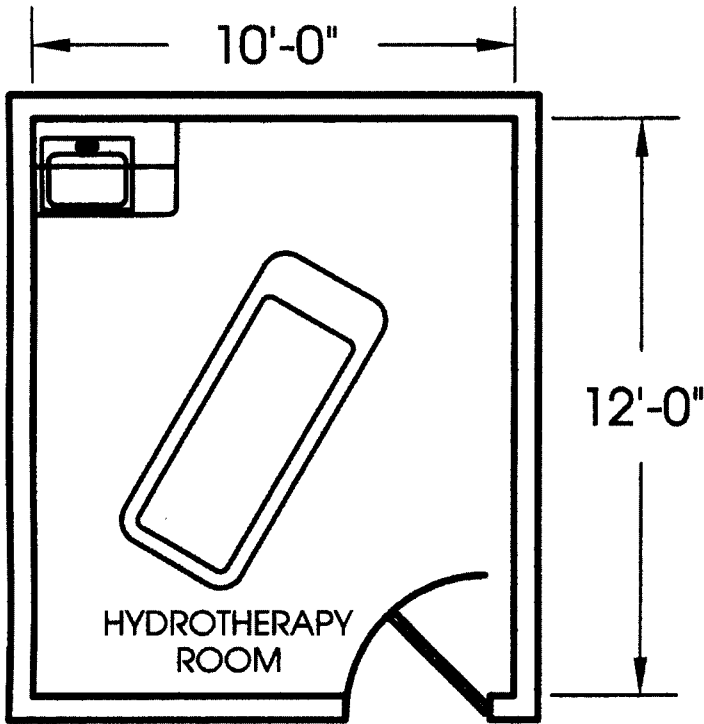
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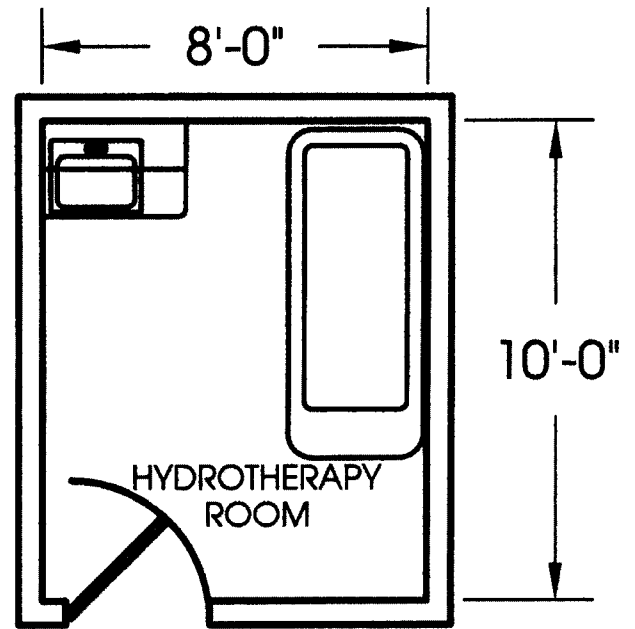
Private styling room 8'-0" X 8'-0" (6'-0" X 8'-0"min.).



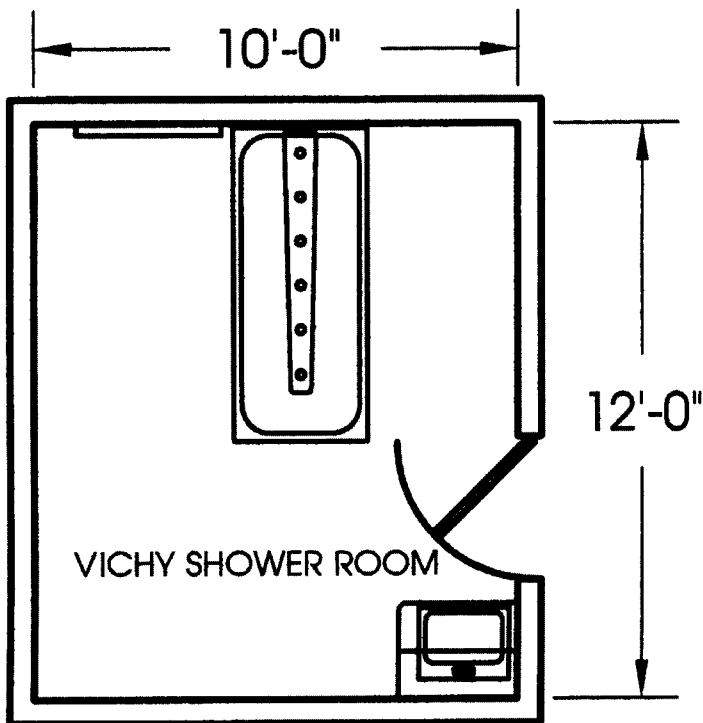
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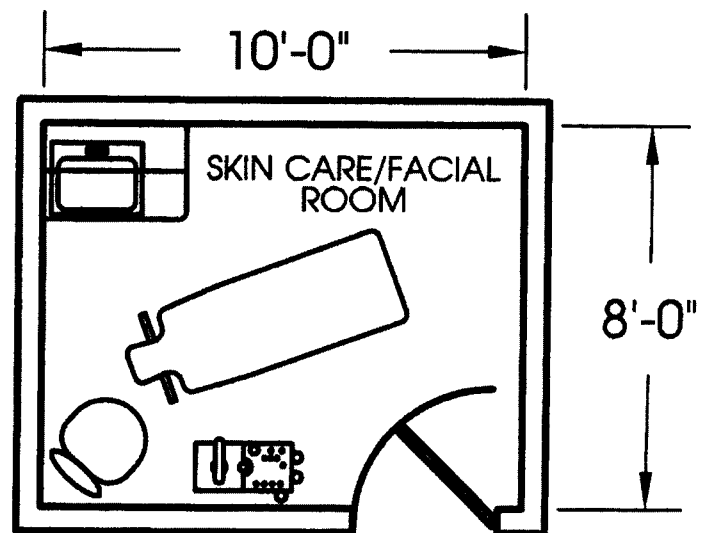
Hydrotherapy 10'-0" X 12'-0"



Hydrotherapy 8'-0" X 10'-0"



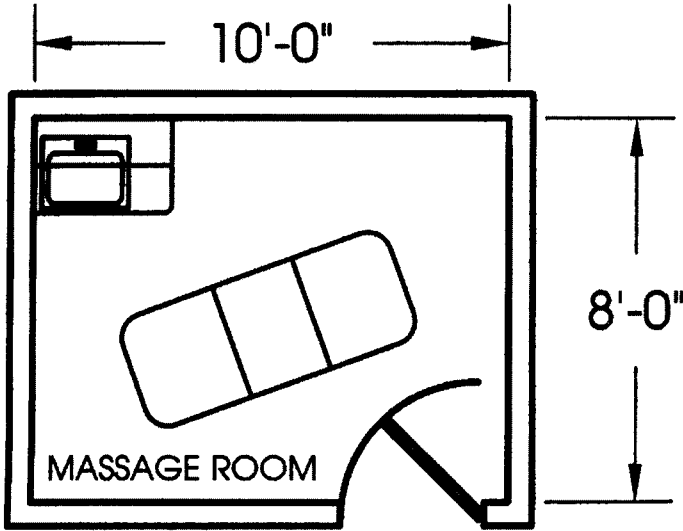
Vichy Shower
10'-0" X 12'-0" or 10'-0" X 14'-0"



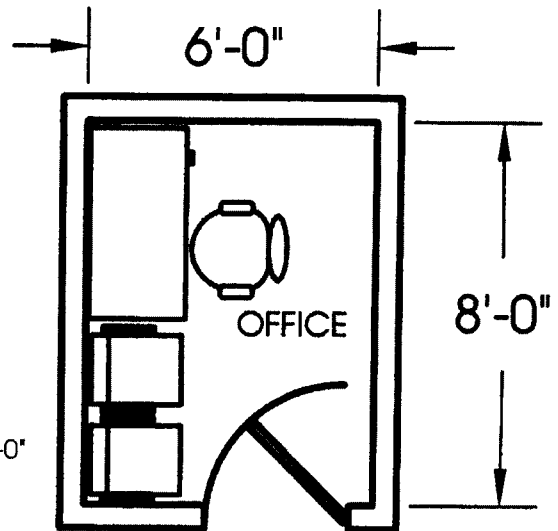
Skin care or Facial Rooms
8'-0" X 10'-0" (80 square foot)



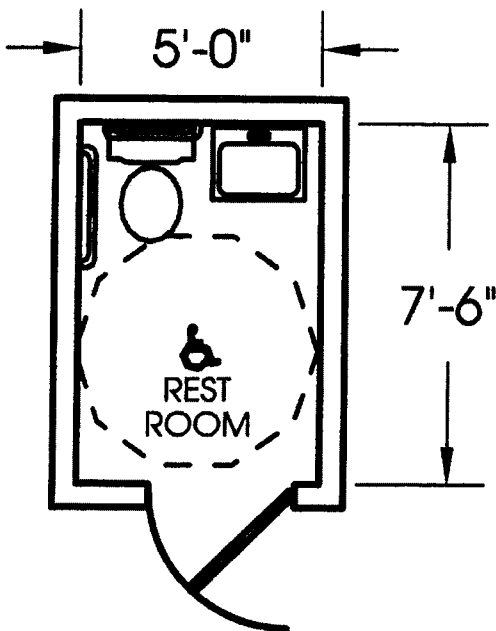
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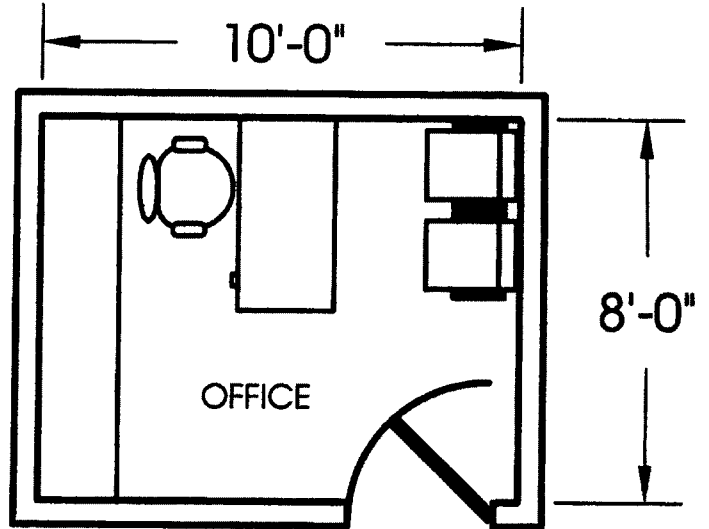
Massage Room
8'-0" X 10'-0" (80 square foot)



Office 8'-0" X 10'-0"
(80 square foot)
or 8'-0" X 6'-0"
(48 square foot).



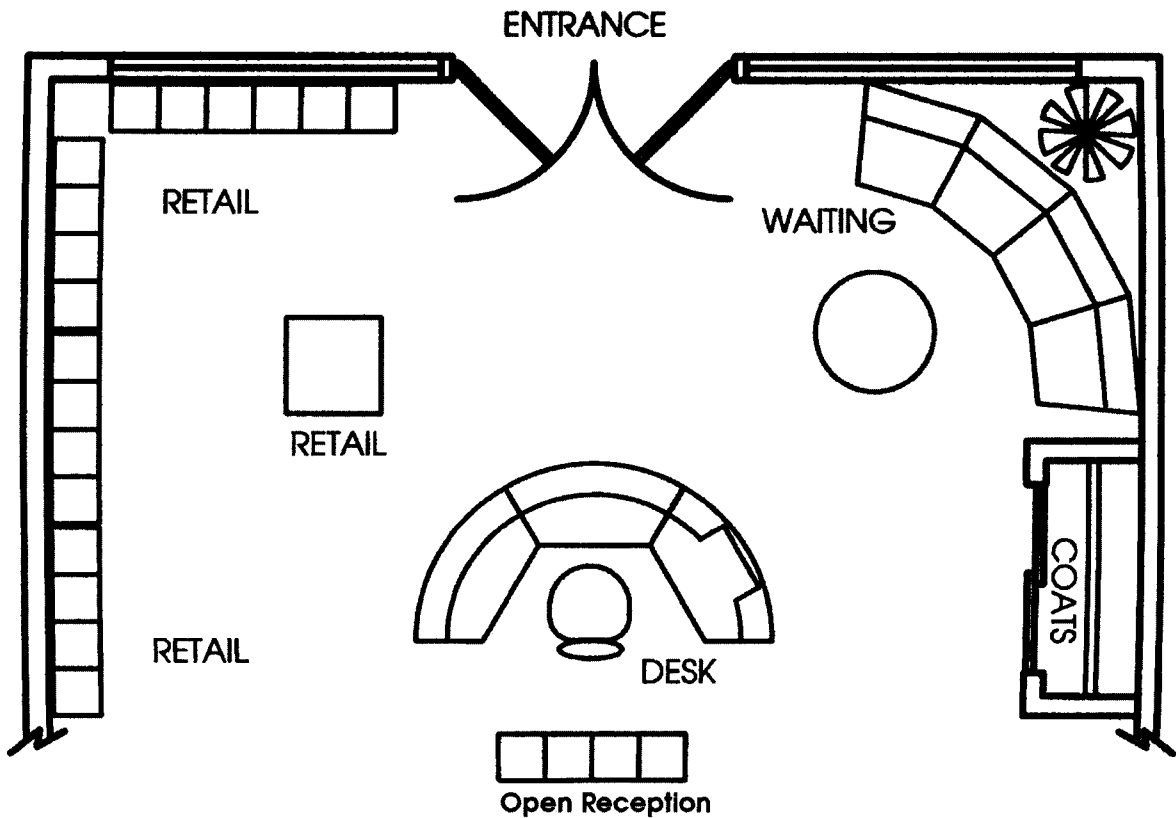
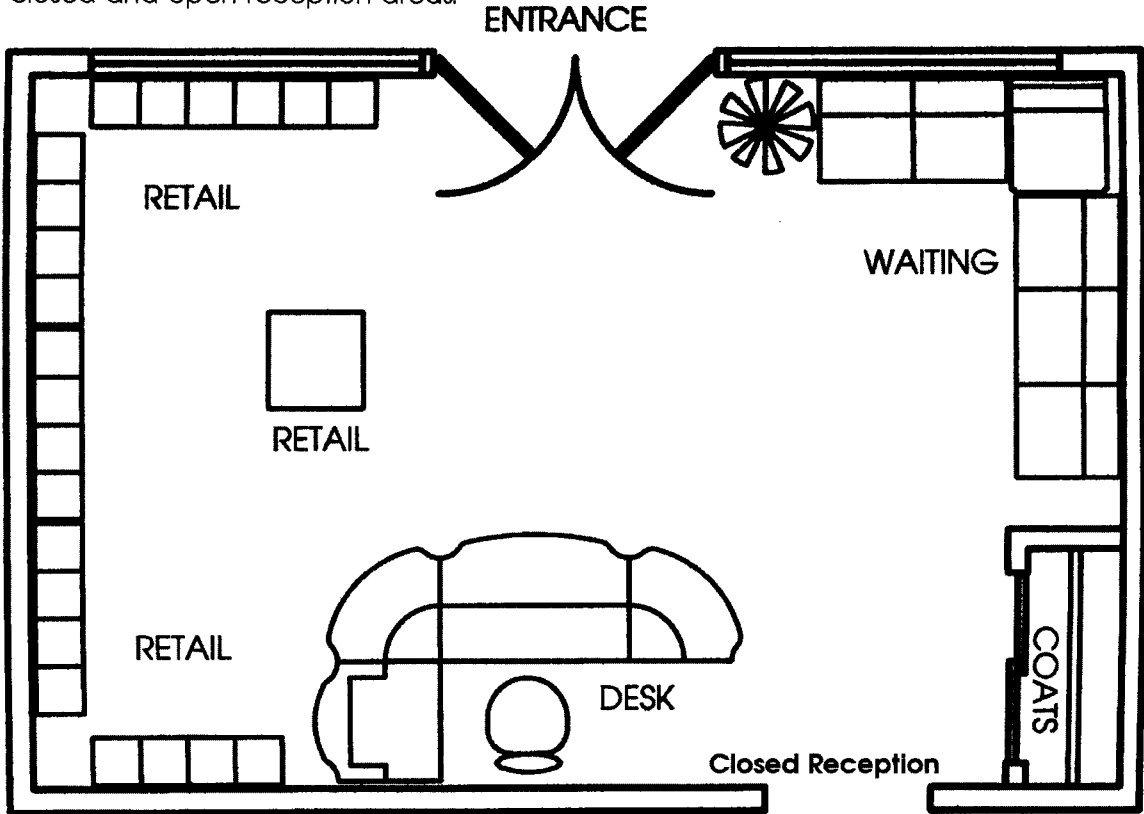
Rest room
Handicap Rest Room 5'-0" X 7'-6"
(Verify size with State and Local codes).





Reception Area:

This area consists of a desk, retail, waiting, & coats (optional). Additional service such as manicure, make-up consultation, coffee & vending and dressing rooms can be placed anywhere in the salon area. Here are examples of closed and open reception areas.





DON'T FORGET TO CHECK !!!

Below are items to remember when opening a salon.

1. Salon meets all State and City codes.
2. Outside door mats.
3. All supplies will be delivered on time.
4. Magazines for customers.
5. Towels for shampoo area.
6. Laundry supplies.
7. Vacuum or floor sweeper.
8. Waste baskets and arrangements for trash removal.
9. Outside sign.
10. Cleaning Supplies: brooms, dust mop, glass cleaner, etc.
11. Vending machines or service.
12. Paper towel dispenser for rest room.
13. First aid kit.
14. Cash register.
15. Appointment cards, stamp pad, "Deposit Only" stamp.
16. Stationary and envelopes, postage stamps.
17. File and file folders.
18. Appointment book.
19. Pencils, pens stapling machine and staples.
20. Customer sales tickets - service record files.
21. Charge plate machine for popular credit cards.
22. Bookkeeping record books, etc.
23. Salon price list of services.
24. Retail products.
25. Salon intercom - music system.
26. Fire extinguishers.
27. Opening advertising.
28. Planning for Grand Opening.
29. Employee ongoing training.
30. Ash Tray. (Optional)

