# Piercing for Beginners

### **Health and Safety** (Days 1)

- Disinfection and sterilization
- Cross contamination prevention
- Operating the Autoclave
- Operating the Ultrasonic
- Cleaning the equipment
- Personal Protection Equipment
- Chemicals and you
- Bloodborne pathogens
- Bloodborne pathogens exam
- Proper setup and teardown of the piercing station

(NOTE: The first day of class is mandatory, those who are not present for health and safety or those who do not pass the health and safety exam will not pierce)

#### **Theory** (Days 1,2)

- Types of needles and their purpose
- What tools to use
- Parts of the body and their piercings
- All the necessary equipment
- Healing process
- Supplies, what you need and when you need it
- Precautions

## **Basic practice** (Days 2, 3 and 4)

- Holding the needle and tools
- Marking the skin
- Piercing on synthetic skin
- Bedside manner
- When not to pierce
- Disinfection and Sterilization of your set up and area
- Shadowing the instructor

#### Piercing clients (Days 1 Basic, 2 Intermediate and 3 Advanced)

- We provide all the models for our students
- Piercing on clients are graded pass/fail by the teacher
- Students can be piercing as early as Day 1
- GRADUATION

Upon Graduation, each graduating student receives their Proof of Training Document.