The 0° Haircut is also known as a blunt haircut or one-length haircut.
Presentation Notes - 0° Haircut
Demonstrate the proper method for holding the implements:

- Holding the shears

- Place thumb in moving blade (bottom blade)
- Place ring finger in the top blade
- Rest index and middle finger on the shank
- Practice opening and closing the bottom blade
Demonstrate the proper method for holding the implements:
  • Holding the comb
Demonstrate the proper method for holding the implements:

• Rotating comb while holding shears
Palming the Shears

- Close shear points
- Slide thumb out of ring
- Fold shears into palm
- Hold in place using ring and pinkie fingers

Demonstrate the 0 degree angle on the head.
Presentation Notes - 0° Haircut

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Sectioning

- Part straight from bang section to nape
- Part from ear to ear across top of head
- Make sure partings are even and neat

Demonstrate parting and correct clamping:
- Demonstrate vertical sectioning in standard 4 section
- Point out the head angle MUST be perpendicular to the floor
- Demonstrate how to secure each section with clamps without ends sticking out
Proper Jaw Clamp Placement

- Twist hair until tight
- Fold hair ends underneath
- Make sure no stray ends are visible
- Clamp to cover hair

Demonstrate parting and correct clamping:
- Demonstrate vertical sectioning in standard 4 sections
- Point out the head angle MUST be perpendicular to the floor
- Demonstrate how to secure each section with clamps without ends sticking out
Diagonal Sub-sections

- Use wide-tooth part of comb
- Section ½” diagonal partings
- Cut the hair straight across
- Hold at 0° at all times
- Continue in this manner until section is complete

Demonstrate sub-sectioning:
- Demonstrate ½” diagonal partings for back
- Demonstrate ½” horizontal partings for sides
Click on hyperlinks to view videos of a 0° Haircut.

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Sanitation
• Be sure to sweep floor of hair
• Dispose properly
• Wash and sanitize tools

Discuss sanitation upon completion of haircut:
• Explain when hair should be swept
• Describe where to deposit hair after being swept up
Resources and References

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