One-Chair Salon Suite Plan

Map your 10x12 layout, position your chair, and install color-correct lighting.

Transform a compact room into a high-end luxury studio with this efficient, step-saving workflow. Use these exact clearances and technical lighting specs to design a bright, functional space.



Suite Specifications

10x12 ft
Measured suite layout footprint

5-ft spin circle
Strict clearance around chair base center

Under 24 in
Maximum circular hydraulic base diameter

CRI 95+ at 4000K
Lighting rating for accurate hair color

Max 36 in
Side spacing between vertical light bars

Client's seated eye level
Center mounting height for light bars

Decor goes behind her

The most important surface is the reflected back wall. Saturate this taped sightline with rich color and patterns to frame the client's face without overwhelming your physical workspace.

Clearance By Zone

Find your row: **Planned suite zone**

Planned suite zone	Your pick	Why
Client entry	36 inches wide	Safe suite access
Shampoo bowl	40 inches deep	Washing and processing
Photo station	48 inches wide	Capturing portfolio images
Mirror wall	24 inches deep	Product staging and lighting
Retail display	12 inches deep	Passive merchandising

Suite Layout Checks

- ○ Tape out the spin circle before ordering any fixed cabinetry.
- ○ Test the chair's full tilt angle to ensure mirror clearance.
- ○ Sit in the chair and outline the exact mirror reflection.
- ○ Verify your chosen chair has slim, open-sided metal arms.

Suite Decor Shopping List

- ☐ Vertical LED light bars (check packaging for exact ratings).
- ☐ Floating retail display to keep a shelf in mirror view.
- ☐ Bold wallpaper drop or large canvas centered in the reflection.
- ☐ Simple wooden trim to frame the wallpaper panel.
- ☐ Hidden rolling cart to stow hot tools and blow dryers.
- ☐ Soft clay-taupe paint for a mid-tone photo wall beside window.

Suite Measurements & Notes

Enjoy your beautifully efficient, step-saving new salon suite!