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## VANCOUVER COLLEGE OF MASSAGE THERAPY

### Online Application Form



Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Full Name:    Phone #:   
(First) (Middle) (Last)

Address:  City:

Prov/State  Postal Code:  Email:

*Please specify which intake you wish to apply for:*

Full-time:  Jan 20  May 20  Sept 20  Part-time:  \_\_\_\_\_ (Mo/Year)

*Please indicate your current status by placing a checkmark in the appropriate boxes:*

#### Academic Standards – High School Education

- High school graduation diploma (Dogwood), BC Adult Graduation Diploma or equivalent
- An average of at least 65% on Grade 11 and 12 courses
- An average of less than 65% on Grade 11 and 12 courses
- *Priority will be given to students who have completed at least one Science 11/12 course*

#### Academic Standards - Post-Secondary Education (*Bring documentation to interview*)

- I have taken one or more courses in:
- I have received a certificate/diploma in:
- I have a degree in:

➤ *Priority will be given to students who have successfully completed post-secondary courses.*

#### English Language requirement. Please check any of the following boxes that apply:

- I have achieved an average of at least 70% in English 12 or equivalent English course
- I have completed ABE prov. level English, with a final mark of at least 70%
- I have achieved one of the following minimums:
  - LPI: Level 5;  IELTS: 6.5;  CAEL: 60;  TOEFL (Int): 85
- I have successfully completed 2 years of full-time studies at an English-speaking college/university
- My English Language requirement is “in process.” Please explain:

➤ *Students who haven't met any of the preceding standards will be required to complete the VCMT English Essay Assessment and achieve a minimum standing of 70%.*

#### Further Requirements. (*To be completed by VCMT Admissions*) Candidates will also need to:

- Successfully complete an interview with a VCMT Admissions representative
- Complete and meet the requirements of a VCMT Health Assessment form
- Provide proof of immunization and screening
- Successfully complete an Introductory Massage Workshop
- Secure a clear Criminal Record Check through VCMT\* .

*\* Each applicant is required to report future changes or convictions for criminal offenses, and, should a change occur, provide a new authorization for a criminal record check.*



International Student Applicants
International Students <i>may</i> need to verify their educational credentials as being substantially equivalent to Canadian educational standards* and provide an English translation (if required) provided through the International Credential Evaluations Services (ICES) ( <a href="http://www.bcit.ca/ices">www.bcit.ca/ices</a> ).
➤ Are you an International applicant in the process of seeking an educational assessment from ICES? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Volunteer Service
VCMT considers a commitment volunteerism to be a desirable quality in an RMT. Please indicate if you have taken part in any volunteer activities over the past 5 years.
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
➤ Examples:
➤ Examples:

Work Experience
Please indicate
➤ Please list any work experience you have acquired over the past 10 years:
➤
➤
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General Information
➤ Do you intend to apply for a Canada Student Loan? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
➤ Will you be under the age of 19 years* when you start your program at VCMT? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<i>*Applicants under 19 years of age require a signature from their parent/guardian on the student contract.</i>
➤ Do you plan on working part-time while attending school? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
➤ Please indicate how you heard about VCMT: <input type="checkbox"/> Radio <input type="checkbox"/> TV <input type="checkbox"/> Online ad/Search <input type="checkbox"/> Social Media <input type="checkbox"/> Brochure <input type="checkbox"/> Word of Mouth <input type="checkbox"/> Direct mail <input type="checkbox"/> Website <input type="checkbox"/> Career Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Other:
➤ Do you intend to apply for a VCMT Scholarship? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No



**In a short essay, describe your interest in Massage Therapy.**

A large, empty rectangular box with a thin black border, intended for the applicant to write their short essay.

**Declarations**

*I consent to the Vancouver College of Massage Therapy sharing my personal information with the Ministry of Advanced Education for research purposes and statistical analysis under the authority of sections 6(2)(a) and 10(1)(a) of the Personal Information Protection Act (PIPA).*

Yes    No

*I have read VCMT's program entry requirements before completing this application and have provided true and factual information to the best of my ability).*

Yes    No

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Upon completion of this application form, please forward to  
VCMT Admissions**

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## Immunizations and Screening for Diseases Requirement

***\*\*Please Note: Proof of immunizations and proof of screening for diseases is required by the Fraser Health Authority and Vancouver Coast Health Authority as listed in the Practice Education Guidelines for British Columbia.***

The following list of immunizations are currently required for participation in facilities associated with Vancouver Coastal Health and the Fraser Health Authority:

- **Tetanus/Diphtheria/Pertussis:** Basic immunization series plus booster dose within 10 years, with recommendation for having 1 adult dose of pertussis.
- **Poliomyelitis:** Basic immunization series plus single booster dose 10 years after primary series. Those with no basic series should have the series completed regardless of interval since last dose.
- **Varicella Vaccination:** Required for those with negative titers or those with no history of disease greater than 12 months of age.
- **Tuberculin Status:** Proof of negative skin test dated within 6 months of first practice education placement. For those with a positive skin test (10mm of induration or greater) at the last test, a negative chest X-ray is required within a year of the first practice education placement.
- **Periodic Screening:**
  - Annual TB skin testing or chest x-ray is recommended for those individuals who are, or are likely to be, involved in risk activities and at risk facilities.
  - Those individuals who are involved in high risk activities in all hospitals must have annual screening.