

# 2018 STUDENT MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Membership is **free** for Students currently enrolled in a provincially-registered Massage Therapy School with a minimum two year (2200 hour) diploma program and who are active in upholding the highest standards of education.



## GENERAL INFORMATION

Mr.  Mrs.  Ms.  Miss  Dr.  Other Preferred Salutation \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/Town: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

## EDUCATION

**Note:** The MTAM will verify **proof of current enrollment** with your School.

Massage Therapy School: \_\_\_\_\_

Current year of study: \_\_\_\_\_ Expected date of graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

Final/senior practicum location (if known): \_\_\_\_\_

Other health care training and credentials: \_\_\_\_\_

Other post-secondary education: \_\_\_\_\_

## PRACTICE PLANS

In what city/town/province do you plan to practice massage therapy when you graduate?

In what setting would you like to practice when you graduate? (check any that apply)

- |  |   |  |
|--|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Massage Therapy Clinic    | <input type="checkbox"/> Hospital / Care Home     | <input type="checkbox"/> Spa / Salon         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Home-based practice       | <input type="checkbox"/> Physiotherapy Clinic     | <input type="checkbox"/> Mobile practice     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fitness Centre / Gym      | <input type="checkbox"/> Wellness/Holistic Centre | <input type="checkbox"/> Chiropractic Clinic |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Multi-disciplinary Clinic | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____             |  |

## NOTES

- Student membership does not include liability insurance.
- Student members of the MTAM may not practice massage therapy, may not receive payment for massage therapy treatments, and may not identify themselves as a Massage Therapist or Registered Massage Therapist (or RMT).
- Student membership expires one month following the expected date of graduation, or if the member is no longer attending a recognized massage therapy school.

## NEXT STEPS

**Return your completed form...**

*In-Person / Mail*  
175 Marion Street  
Winnipeg, MB R2H 0T3  
[info@mtam.mb.ca](mailto:info@mtam.mb.ca)

**We will be in touch following that.**

**We look forward to having you as a member!**

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## FULL MEMBERSHIP DOCUMENT CHECKLIST: **Start Planning!**

- Massage Therapy Diploma** (copy) from a recognized school/program, stating hours of completed studies (must be at least 2200 hours, and/or from a program recognized by MTAM, CMTO, CMTBC or CMTNL)
- Final Transcript** of marks from school of graduation (GPA must be at least 75%); photocopy acceptable
- Current CPR-Level C** Certificate (online courses are not acceptable); photocopy acceptable
- Criminal Record Check with Vulnerable Sector Search** – please provide the original signed report from the Winnipeg Police Service or Police Service responsible for your jurisdiction, completed no more than *six months prior to the date of application*.
- Practicing Member Agreement** (included in the application) – signed and witnessed

***If you have graduated more than one year prior to this application date, the following documents are also required:***

- Summary of clinical hours** since graduation, and list of all locations where you have practiced (if any)
- Letter or certificate of good standing** from the massage therapy professional association or regulatory college of which you are/were a member (if applicable)
- Two reference letters** from professional colleagues, employers, or teachers
- Continuing education history** – Provide a list of any continuing education courses/workshops/activities relevant to massage therapy that you have completed in the past four years. Include copies of certificates, transcripts, or letters confirming completion of each of these.

## MEMBERSHIP & LIABILITY INSURANCE FEES:

There are four fees associated with an application:

- **Application Fee** of **\$78.75** (\$75.00 + \$3.75 GST) **applies to first-time applicants only**. This is used toward administration to set up your membership file, check educational information, etc.
- **Membership Fee & Communication Fund** (\$430 + \$21.50) This is the main fee associated with your membership and covers office administration, Board management, events, and all the benefits that come with your membership. Communication fund portion goes to a shared fund used toward all marketing efforts by the MTAM to the general public and internally to members. This includes our websites, multi-media advertising, print campaigns and e-brochures, and all general communication.
- **Insurance Liability Premium for your** professional liability insurance. **Special pricing for new graduates**. There are numerous other professional practice and personal insurance options available at an additional cost. Email or phone us to discuss this further.