

Lake Superior College

Program Planner

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Qualified applicants should be aware that program class sizes are limited, which may delay acceptance into the program.

You may be required to complete additional (or less) coursework, dependent upon the results of your Computerized Placement Test (CPT) and/or previous coursework completed or certifications awarded.

Program: **Massage Therapist**

Degree Type: **Diploma**

Total Required Credits: **30**

Pre-program Requirements

Successful entry into this program requires a specific level of skill in the areas of English and reading. Program entry will depend, in part, on meeting the prerequisites listed below:

English:

- A score of 86 or higher on the Sentence Skills portion of the CPT, OR
- Completion of ENGL0460 or its equivalent transfer course or higher with a grade of "C" or better.
- If required, ENGL0460 may not be taken concurrently with Semester I coursework.

Reading:

- A score of 78 or higher on the Reading Comprehension portion of the CPT, OR
 - Completion of READ0465 or its equivalent transfer course or higher with a grade of "C" or better.
 - If required, READ0465 may not be taken concurrently with Semester I coursework.
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NOTE: You will need a recent physical examination including current immunizations and current two step Mantoux. A criminal background study is required through Verified Credentials, Inc.

Semester I

Course ID#	Course Title (Pre-reqs)	Term	Credits	Grade/ Term
MTP1004	Massage Therapy Pathology (Acceptance into the Massage Therapy Program)	F	2	
MTP1030	Massage Therapy Anatomy I, Physiology, and Kinesiology (Acceptance into the Massage Therapy Program)	F	3	
MTP1032	Introduction to Massage and Swedish Massage (Acceptance into the Massage Therapy Program)	F	1	
MTP1034	Massage Therapy Business Startup, Management, and Ethics I (Acceptance into the Massage Therapy Program)	F	1	
MTP1036	Massage Therapy Hydrotherapy and Adjunct Therapies (Acceptance into the Massage Therapy Program)	F	1	
MTP1038	Massage Therapy Deep Tissue I (Acceptance into the Massage Therapy Program)	F	1	
MTP1040	Full Body Massage and Chair Massage (Acceptance into the Massage Therapy Program)	F	4	
MTP1056	Massage Therapy Awareness and Injury Prevention I (Acceptance into the Massage Therapy Program)	F	1	
*ALTH1430	ARC: First Aid and CPR/AED for the Professional Rescuer (None)	F/S	1	
Total Credits for Term			15	

***NOTE:** Current certification in American Heart Association: BLS Healthcare Provider or American Red Cross: CPR/AED for the Professional Rescuer may be substituted for ALTH1430. The certification must be valid when applying for graduation and at graduation.

Semester II

Course ID#	Course Title (Pre-reqs)	Term	Credits	Grade/ Term
MTP1042	Massage Therapy Somatic Muscle Release and Postural Normalization (Successful completion of first semester)	S	1	
MTP1044	Massage Therapy Anatomy II (Successful completion of first semester)	S	1	
MTP1046	Deep Tissue II and Neuromuscular Therapy (Successful completion of first semester)	S	3	
MTP1048	Pregnancy and Infant Massage (Successful completion of first semester)	S	1	
MTP1050	Lymphatic and Senior Massage (Successful completion of first semester)	S	2	
MTP1052	Sports and Stone Massage (Successful completion of first semester)	S	2	
MTP1054	Massage Therapy Eastern Healing and Modality Overview (Successful completion of first semester)	S	1	
MTP1058	Massage Therapy Awareness and Injury Prevention II (Successful completion of first semester)	S	1	
MTP1060	Massage Therapy Business Start-up, Management, and Ethics II (Successful completion of first semester)	S	3	
Total Credits for Term			15	

NOTE: Successful completion of first semester is a "C" or better in MTP courses: MTP1004, MTP1030, MTP1032, MTP1034, MTP1036, MTP1038, MTP1040, and MTP1056.

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