

Somatherapy Institute - Performance Fact Sheet

Massage Practitioner Program (16 weeks) – 100% Completion Rate

Calendar Year	Number of Students who began the program ¹	Students Available For graduation ²	Graduates ⁴	Completion Rate ⁴
2011	27	27	18	66%
2012	29	29	17	58%
2013	16	16	10	63%

Massage Therapist Program (14 weeks) – 100% Completion Rate

Calendar Year	Number of Students who began ¹	Students Available for graduation ²	Graduates ³	Completion Rate ⁴
2011	16	16	9	56%
2012	17	17	10	58%
2013	4	4	0	0%

Students Completing After Published Program Length - 150% Completion Rate

Massage Practitioner Program (16 weeks)

Calendar Year	Number of Students who began ¹	Students Available for graduation ²	Graduates ⁵	150% Completion Rate ⁶
2011	27	27	0	0%
2012	29	29	0	0%
2013	16	16	6	38%

Massage Therapist Program (14 weeks)

Calendar Year	Number of Students who began ¹	Students Available for graduation ²	Graduates ⁵	150% Completion Rate ⁶
2011	16	16	3	18%
2012	17	17	3	17%
2013	4	4	4	100%

¹ “Number of Students Who Began Program” is the number of students who began the program who are scheduled to complete the program within the reporting calendar year.

² “Students available for graduation” is the number of students who began program minus the number of “Students unavailable for graduation,” which means those students who have died, been incarcerated, or called to active military duty.

³ “Graduates” is the number of students who completed the program within 100% of the published program length.

⁴ “Completion Rate” is the number of Graduates divided by the Number of Students Available for Graduation.

⁵ “150% Graduates” is the number of students who completed the program within 101-150% of the published program length.

⁶ “150% Completion Rate” is the number of students who completed the program in the reported calendar year within 101-150% of the published program length divided by the Number of Students Available for Graduation in the published program length period.

Placement Rates

Massage Practitioner Program (16 weeks)

Calendar year	Number of students who began Program ¹	Number of Graduates ²	Graduates available for employment ³	Graduates employed in the field ⁴	Placement rate % employed in the field ⁵	Graduates employed in the field an average of less than 32 hours per week	Graduates employed in the field at least 32 hours per week
2011	27	18	18	2	11%	2	0
2012	29	17	17	1	5.8%	1	0
2013	16	10	10	10	100%	10	0

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2011	16	12	12	5	41%	3	2

2012	17	15	15	8	53%	5	3
2013	4	4	4	1	25%	1	0

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² “Number of Graduates” is the number of students who have completed the program within 100% of the published program length.

³ “Graduates available for employment” means the number of graduates minus the number of graduates unavailable for employment. “Graduates unavailable for employment” means graduates who, after graduation, die, become incarcerated, are called to active military duty, are international students that leave the United States or do not have a visa allowing employment in the United States, or are continuing their education in an accredited or bureau-approved postsecondary institution.

⁴ Note about remaining 6 graduates in 150% completion category who found employment within 6 months of graduating: there are 6 who report they found work within that time frame after completion. Due to the seasonality of employment in this school’s local community, depending upon graduation dates, students may not find work until the following high-season.

⁴ “Graduates employed in the field” means graduates who report that they are gainfully employed within six months of graduation in a position for which the skills obtained through the education and training provided by the institution are required or provided a significant advantage to the graduate in obtaining the position.

⁵ Placement Rate is calculated by dividing the number of graduates gainfully employed in the field by the number of graduates available for employment.

Examination Passage Rates*

Calendar Year	Number of Students Taking	Number who passed first exam	Number who failed first exam	Passage rate
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2013	7	7	0	100%

*There is no examination requirement for certification by the California Massage Therapy Council.

Salary and Wage Information

Massage Practitioner Program (16 Weeks)

Calendar Year	Grads available for employment ¹	Grads employed in field ²	\$15,000-\$20,000	Annual Salary and Wages Reported by Graduates Employed in the Field ³			Students not reporting for employment
				\$20,000-\$25,000	\$25,000-\$30,000	\$30,000-\$35,000	
2011	18	2	1	0	0	0	1
2012	17	1	1	0	0	0	0

2013	16	10	0	0	1	0	5
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Note: 3 students report \$0 - \$5,000 salary range; 1 reports \$5,001 - \$10,000 salary range; the rest do not report.

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2011	12	5	1	1	1	1	1
2012	15	8	3	2	0	1	2
2013	4	1	0	0	0	0	0

Note: The employed graduate reports an income in the \$0 - \$5,000 range.

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³ Salary is as reported by the student. Not all graduates reported salary.

Disclosures

For a list of employment position determined to be within the field for which a student received education and training for the calculation of job placement rates for our Massage Practitioner and Massage therapist programs please inquire at the school by calling 760.321.9214 or email us at somatherapyinstitute@gmail.com

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