

MISSION

California College of Physical Arts, Inc. exists to provide our students with the finest progressive education possible: (i) through the effective delivery of adult learning theories, (ii) through quality demonstrations by experienced therapists and (iii) with supervised hands-on practice, so they may become knowledgeable, professional and ethical in a successful massage therapy career.

THE MASSAGE THERAPIST

Massage Therapy is a lucrative and respected career for those who want to combine their aptitude for helping others with a strong education.

The recent renaissance regarding personal fitness and natural pathways to health has made the healing technique Massage Therapists practice a great asset in providing better client care in chiropractic and medical fields, health clubs, health-care facilities and full-service salons and day spas.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Involvement in this hands-on health care field offers excellent earnings, rewarding work in a stress-free environment and the opportunity to provide optimum care to patients and clients in areas that include stress management, geriatric care, athletic clubs, health facilities, physical therapy, sports medicine and private practice.

Though CalCopa does not guarantee employment, we receive requests daily from employers seeking qualified massage therapists.

STUDENT PROFILE

A CalCopa survey shows that career transitions, rehabilitation and personal development are the primary reasons for attending California College of Physical Arts, Inc. From a random sample of students, the typical CalCopa student is 35 years old and seeking a change in career to a stress-free health care field.

“Anyone wishing to study medicine must master the art of massage.”

--Hippocrates

CURRICULUM

California College of Physical Arts, Inc. provides an opportunity for students to acquire professional training in a wide spectrum of therapeutic and massage skills. We offer students flexible enrollment options to meet their individual needs and educational goals.

COURSE PACKAGES	HOURS
MASSAGE TECHNICIAN	100
MASSAGE PRACTITIONER	600
MYOTHERAPIST	800
HOLISTIC HEALTH PRACTITIONER	1000
MASSAGE INSTRUCTOR	600

(Pre-requisite: HHP)

Ask us about the curriculum for each package during your visit to the school.

In addition to these packages, CalCopa offers various certificate elective courses to assist students in establishing a broad understanding of bodywork and specialized techniques. These electives include acupressure, reflexology, geriatrics, aromatherapy, Sports Massage, Thai massage, pregnancy massage and more.

CalCopa starts new full-time classes at the beginning of every month. We offer schedules allowing students to complete each 100 hours of training in 4-week or 8-week segments. Consult our website for our next start dates.

WORKSHOPS AND SEMINARS

Workshops and seminars are offered continuously at CalCopa. Students are encouraged to broaden their educational horizons beyond certificate courses. In addition to a diverse array of personal enrichment courses, CalCopa participates in local sporting events and fundraisers to provide the students with opportunities to use their new skills in the community. These extra-curricular activities build a strong foundation for further studies in the holistic health field and provide to the community positive exposure to Massage Therapy.

SCHEDULE OF CLASSES

Mornings

100-hour courses completed in 4 weeks
Monday through Friday (Includes Clinic Time)
9:00 – 2:00PM

Evenings

100-hour courses completed in 8 weeks
Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 6:00 – 10:00PM
(Clinic Times 2nd & 4th Saturdays, between the hours of 9 am – 2 pm)*

Classes are subject to minimum enrollment requirements and instructor availability. Enrollment must be completed at least 2 weeks prior to course start date.

These programs strongly emphasize commitment to professional integrity, personal growth and therapeutic effectiveness. The class size is limited to assure individual needs are met.

CALIFORNIA COLLEGE OF PHYSICAL ARTS, INC. TUITION & FEES (based on packaged courses)

Basic Tuition Price per Hour	\$20.00
For example: 100 Hours costs	\$2000.00
Elective Tuition per Hour (varies)	\$20.00+

REGISTRATION/MATERIALS FEE	\$150.00
VA REGISTRATION/MATERIAL FEE	\$150.00
ABMP Membership/Liability coverage	\$65.00
Student Tuition Recovery Fee (STRF)	\$0/\$1000

Registration and membership fees are per course or elective class and are non-refundable.

Total Packaged Tuition Rates, including Student Guide Fees	
Massage Technician Package (100 hours)	\$2,090.00
Massage Practitioner (600 hours)	\$9,840.00
Myotherapist (800 hours)	\$14,414.00
Holistic Health Practitioner (1000 hours)	\$18,940.00

Prices are subject to change without notice.

Payment plans can be arranged for packages over 100 hours.

*Saturday Clinic Schedule length increase throughout the program.

FINANCING PROGRAM

CalCopa is a Federal Financial Aid approved School (OPID – 042945) Additional payment options are available. Please inquire when you schedule your appointment to tour our school.

ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS

Individuals can gain entrance to the California College of Physical Arts, Inc. by satisfying the following requirements:

1. High School Diploma, G.E.D. or ATB exam
2. Proficiency in English (able to read/write/speak)
3. Completion of Enrollment application
4. Acceptance by Administrator

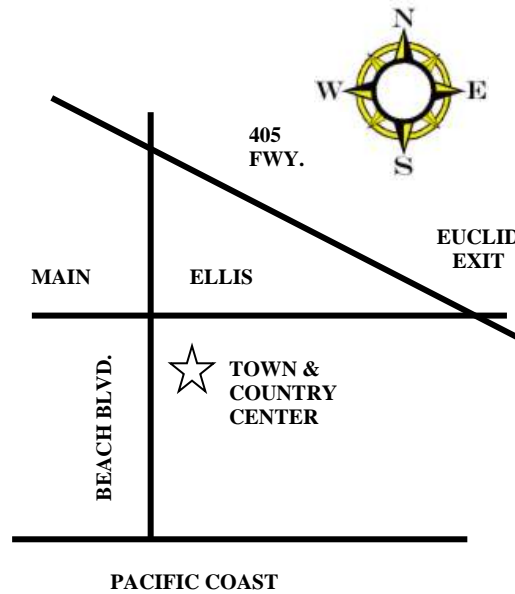
APPROVAL STATUS

The California College of Physical Arts, Inc. (CalCopa Massage School) was established in 1980 as a private, post-secondary school and is licensed to operate by the California Education Code Section 94915. CalCopa Massage School is approved by the following:

- California Massage Therapy Council (CAMTC)
- National Certification Board for Therapeutic Massage & Bodywork (NCBTMB)
- Federally Accredited by Commission of Massage Therapy Accreditation (COMTA)

MEMBERSHIPS

Associated Massage & Bodywork Professionals (ABMP)
American Massage Therapy Association (AMTA)



NCBTMB Continued Education Provider

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