Foundation Acupuncture

Short course code 7SCZ0264  15 Credits at level 7

This course is equivalent to 150 student effort hours including 5 attendance days:

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This course aims to provide physiotherapists, osteopaths and other HCPC regulated health care professionals working within a dedicated musculoskeletal setting (MSK), with the skills to achieve safe, effective acupuncture using a clinical reasoning approach for the management of MSK pain conditions. It is an expectation that course participants will have experience of (and an existing caseload of) patients with MSK dysfunction. Acceptance onto the course is subject to satisfactory completion of a health screening form and evidence of sufficient insurance cover.

**Course aims**

The course will provide participants with the skills relating to theory and application of acupuncture in musculoskeletal dysfunction to enhance pain management and augment existing rehabilitation techniques.

**Content**

In this course you will develop the ability to safely apply acupuncture for pain management, within a clinical reasoning framework in order to facilitate the integration of acupuncture into your current musculoskeletal practice. Attention is paid to safe, effective, evidence-based acupuncture integrating the Western evidence base model whilst incorporating Traditional Chinese Medical (TCM) philosophies. Active participation in workshops and tutorials is a requirement of participants. This includes being needed by other participants.

**Assessment**

The assessment is a combination of a needle competency test and a written case study. The competency test must be passed in order to progress to submission of the case study and completion of the course.

**Who teaches this course?**

It is taught by Justine Manur who has a wealth of experience in the teaching and clinical application of acupuncture.

**What our students say:**

“Good practical sessions with time to hone skills”

“Tutor always available to answer questions and confirm points”

**Cost**

The fee is £680.00. To find out information about the fees visit go.herts.ac.uk/cpdfees.

The course forms part of a broader CPD framework which can lead to the award of Postgraduate Certificate, Postgraduate Diploma or Master’s degree.

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