



Confirmed Acupuncture Education Programs

Acupuncture education programs on this list have self-confirmed to CMTO that their program meets CMTO’s requirements. The “**Confirmation Expiry Date**” shows when the confirmation expired—either due to not meeting CMTO requirements or because the program was discontinued.

Name of Education Institution	Program Details (Name, Location and CMTO website Code)	Program Duration	Confirmation Expiry Date
Acupuncture and Integrative Medicine Academy Inc.	Acupuncture Diploma Program - Toronto AIM – Acupuncture Diploma Program	2.5 years	
Acupuncture Canada	Acupuncture Canada Certification Level 1 for RMTs -Toronto, London, Ottawa, Kingston AC Certification – Level 1 for RMTs	100 Hours	
Acupuncture Council of Ontario	Traditional Chinese Medicine and Biomedical Acupuncture Course for Regulated Health Care Professionals – Toronto ACO – TCM and Biomedical Acupuncture Course	NA	Program discontinued - February 2025
Advanced Therapeutics Program Inc.	Foundations in Functional Acupuncture -Toronto, Aurora ATPI – Foundations of Functional Acupuncture	200 Hours	
Axis Therapy & Performance	Foundations of Acupuncture & Dry Needling – Toronto ATP – Foundations of Acupuncture & Dry Needling	200 Hours	
Canadian College of Holistic Health	Medical Acupuncture for Massage Therapists - Toronto CCHH – Medical Acupuncture for Massage Therapists	50 Hours	
Canadian College of Naturopathic Medicine	Doctor of Naturopathy – Toronto CCNM – Doctor of Naturopathy	4 Years	
Canadian College of Traditional Chinese Medicine	Diploma of Acupuncture - Mississauga CCTCM – Diploma of Acupuncture	2 Years	
Canadian College of Traditional Chinese Medicine	Acupuncture Certificate - Mississauga CCTCM – Acupuncture Certificate	300 Hours	
Canadian Memorial Chiropractic College	Functional Integrated Acupuncture Certificate Program - Toronto CMCC – Functional Integrated Acupuncture Certificate Program	NA	Program discontinued April 2026
College of Acupuncture and Therapeutics (C.A.T.S.)	Foundations in Acupuncture - Contact Program for locations CATS – Foundations in Acupuncture	4-6 Months	
College of Traditional Chinese Medicine and Pharmacology of Canada	Acupuncture Education Program of RMT - Scarborough CTCMPC – AEPRMT	2208 Hours	
Eight Branches Academy of Eastern Medicine	Acupuncture & Moxibustion Diploma Program – Toronto	2-3 Years	

	Eight Branches – Acupuncture and Moxibustion Diploma		
Eight Branches Academy of Eastern Medicine	Acupuncture & Moxibustion Certificate Program – Toronto Eight Branches – Acupuncture and Moxibustion Certificate Program	1 Year	
Elegance College of Healthcare Services & Cosmetology	Acupuncture for RMT's – Cornwall Elegance – Acupuncture for RMTs	NA	Program discontinued March 2026
Elizabeth Career College	Acupuncture Program for Registered Massage Therapists -Scarborough ECC – Acupuncture Program for RMTs	320 Hours	
Five Element Institute	Five Element Institute Acupuncture Certificate Program – Toronto FEI – Acupuncture Certificate Program	300 Hours	
Georgian College	Advanced Diploma – Acupuncture – Barrie ACPT – Acupuncture	NA	Program discontinued as of Fall 2025
Humber Polytechnic	Advanced Diploma, Traditional Chinese Medicine Practitioner – North Campus HP – Advanced Diploma TCM	3 Years	
Institute of Traditional Medicine	Diploma of Acupuncture – 3 Years -Toronto ITM – Diploma of Acupuncture	NA	Confirmation expired March 2024
Institute of Traditional Medicine	Diploma of Traditional Eastern Medicine – Toronto ITM – Diploma of Traditional Eastern Medicine	NA	Confirmation expired March 2024
Integrated Seminar Series	Integrated Needling – Toronto ISS – Integrated Needling	200 Hours	
Integrative Healing Arts & Technology	Integrative Kinetic Acupuncture – North York IHAT – Integrative Kinetic Acupuncture	200 Hours	
International Medical Arts Institute	Medical Neuro Acupuncture Diploma – Etobicoke IMAI – Medical Neuro Acupuncture Diploma Program	300 Hours	Program discontinued March 2024
International Medical Arts Institute	Medical Neuro Acupuncture Diploma – Hamilton IMAI – Medical Neuro Acupuncture Diploma Program	4 Months	
International Medical Arts Institute	Medical Neuro Acupuncture Diploma – Burlington IMAI – Medical Neuro Acupuncture Diploma Program	4 Months	
International Medical Arts Institute	Medical Neuro Acupuncture Diploma – Brantford IMAI – Medical Neuro Acupuncture Diploma Program	4 Months	
International Medical Arts Institute	Medical Neuro Acupuncture Diploma - Paris IMAI – Medical Neuro Acupuncture Diploma Program	4 Months	
International Medical Arts Institute	Medical Neuro Acupuncture Diploma - Toronto IMAI – Medical Neuro Acupuncture Diploma Program	4 Months	
International Medical Arts Institute	TCM Acupuncturist Diploma Program – Burlington IMAI – TCM Acupuncture Diploma	2.5 - 3Years	
International Medical Arts Institute	TCM Acupuncturist Diploma Program – Paris IMAI – TCM Acupuncture Diploma	2.5 - 3Years	
International Medical Arts Institute	TCM Introductory Diploma Program – Burlington IMAI – TCM Introductory Diploma Program	4 Months	

International Medical Arts Institute	TCM Introductory Diploma Program – Hamilton IMAI – TCM Introductory Diploma Program	4 Months	
International Medical Arts Institute	TCM Foundation Diploma Program – Hamilton IMAI – TCM Foundation Diploma Program	1 Year	
International Medical Arts Institute	TCM Foundation Diploma Program – Burlington IMAI – TCM Foundation Diploma Program	1 Year	
John & Jenny Traditional Chinese Medicine College	Acupuncture Diploma Program – Markham JJTCMC – Acupuncture Diploma Program	2-4 Years	
John & Jenny Traditional Chinese Medicine College	TCM Acupuncture Certificate Program – Markham JJTCMC – TCM Acupuncture Certificate Program	6-12 Months	
John & Jenny Traditional Chinese Medicine College	Traditional Chinese Medicine Diploma Program – Markham JJTCM – TCM Diploma Program	3-5 Years	
McMaster University	The McMaster Medical Acupuncture Program – Hamilton McMaster – Medical Acupuncture	300 Hours	
McMaster University	Contemporary Medical Acupuncture Program – Hamilton McMaster – Contemporary Acupuncture	3-4 Months	
Meridian Health Education	Meridian Health Education Acupuncture & Dry Needling Program Brampton Meridian – Acupuncture and Dry Needling	8 Months	
Ontario College of Traditional Chinese Medicine	Acupuncture Certificate Course – Toronto OCTCM – Acupuncture Certificate	300 Hours	
Ontario College of Traditional Chinese Medicine	Acupuncture Certificate Course – Markham OCTCM – Acupuncture Certificate	300 Hours	
Ontario College of Traditional Chinese Medicine	Diploma of Acupuncture – Toronto OCTCM – Diploma of Acupuncture	2070 Hours	
Ontario College of Traditional Chinese Medicine	Diploma of Acupuncture – Markham OCTCM – Diploma of Acupuncture	2070 Hours	
Ontario College of Technology	Acupuncture Program for Registered Massage Therapists Markham OCT - Acupuncture Program for RMTs	320 Hours	
Pharma-Medical Science College of Canada	Confirmed Acupuncture Educational Program – Toronto PSCC – Confirmed Acupuncture Educational Program	340 Hours	
Pharma-Medical Science College of Canada	Diploma of Acupuncture – Toronto PSCC – Diploma of Acupuncture	2200 Hours	
Royal Canadian College of Massage Therapy Inc.	Modern Medical Acupuncture for Health Care Providers -Toronto RCC – Modern Medical Acupuncture	50 Hours	
Royal North American College of Traditional Chinese Medicine	Diploma Program of Acupuncture – Scarborough RCTCM – Diploma Program of Acupuncture	2 Years	
Royal North American College of Traditional Chinese Medicine	Diploma Program of Traditional Chinese Medicine – Scarborough RCTCM – Diploma Program of Traditional Chinese Medicine	3 Years	
Royal North American College of Traditional Chinese Medicine	Acupuncture Certificate Program for RMT – Scarborough RCTCM – Acupuncture Certificate Program for RMT	300 Hours	

The Functional Integrated Therapy Institute	Functional Integrated Acupuncture - A Biomedical Approach (Contact school for locations in Ontario) FITI – Musculoskeletal Acupuncture & Dry Needling for RMTs	200 Hours	
The Functional Anatomy Clinical Training Lab	Contemporary Medical Acupuncture – Ottawa FACT – Contemporary Medical Acupuncture	200 Hours	
Toronto School of Traditional Chinese Medicine	Acupuncture Diploma Program – Toronto TSTCM – Acupuncture Diploma Program	2260 Hours	
Toronto School of Traditional Chinese Medicine	Acupuncture Certificate Program – Toronto TSTCM – Acupuncture Certificate Program	450 Hours	
triOS College Business Technology Healthcare	Contemporary Acupuncture for the Healthcare Professional – Ottawa triOS – Contemporary Acupuncture - Ottawa	390 Hours	
triOS College Business Technology Healthcare	Contemporary Acupuncture for the Healthcare Professional – London triOS – Contemporary Acupuncture - London	390 Hours	
triOS College Business Technology Healthcare	Contemporary Acupuncture for the Healthcare Professional – Brampton triOS – Contemporary Acupuncture - Brampton	390 Hours	
World Chinese Medicine and Acupuncture College	Diploma of Acupuncture – Scarborough WCMAAC – Diploma of Acupuncture	3 Years	
World Chinese Medicine and Acupuncture College	RMT Acupuncture Certificate Program – Scarborough WCMAAC – RMT Acupuncture Certificate Program	7 Months	

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