

Massage Therapy Program

Application Process

Massage Therapy Program Frequently Asked Questions

What do I need to know about the application process?

- The program has 16 positions available each fall, with a July 1 deadline to submit a completed application.
- Each year the most qualified applicants are accepted and do not keep a waiting list. If not accepted into the program the first time, students may enroll in Massage Therapy curriculum support courses and re-apply the next year.
- Follow the attached checklist carefully to ensure your application is complete.
- Be sure to confirm all steps in the process. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

What do I need to know once I'm accepted into the program?

- The Massage Therapy program is located at the Effingham Kluthe Center.
- Students can expect to attend class 2 - 3 days a week. The day off varies throughout the program.
- Students spend a lot of time learning and practicing massage techniques both in the lecture/laboratory classes and the in-house clinics.
- Practitioners have the latitude to establish a private practice, work in a health clinic, day spa or fitness center.

To Improve Your Massage Therapy Application

Do well on the assessment test. This test is the evaluation tool used to screen applicants. As needed, students are encouraged to update their test scores after taking college course work in reading, math and English. There is a study guide available for the assessment test. This is available at www.lakelandcollege.edu or through the Testing Center at 217-234-5301.

Massage Therapy Program Checklist

Application deadline: July 1 (of the year in which you are applying)

- Submit LLC Intent to Enroll form, indicating your Academic Program (major) as "CRT.MT.TRK". To confirm your major is listed correctly, check under "Advisement Information" on your HUB/IRIS account.
- Complete the Massage Therapy program application online from the Lake Land College website. <https://www.lakelandcollege.edu/massage-therapy-program-application/>
To confirm receipt, contact the Massage Therapy program.
- Take the assessment test (reading, math and English). To schedule assessment, call 217-234-5301. These scores are the evaluation tool used to screen applicants.
- Send other college (if any) transcripts to LLC Admissions & Records Office. Contact Admissions & Records to confirm receipt at 217-234-5434. College transfer credit MUST BE EVALUATED.

Your admittance to the program will only be considered once your file is complete. Please confirm completion of all steps prior to the July 1 deadline.

You can complete any of the support courses listed below prior to starting the program:

BIO050	Basic Anatomy & Physiology
BUS089	Small Business Management

Who can I contact for more information?

Andy Gaines, Counselor for Allied Health

Counseling Services #24 in the Luther Student Center, 217-234-5259,
againes@lakelandcollege.edu

Mr. Gaines can assist with initial advisement and registration process, as well as general information about the PTA and Massage Therapy programs.

Administrative Assistant of the PTA and Massage Therapy programs

Kluthe Center 210, 217-540-3535, cdeters1450@lakelandcollege.edu

The Administrative Assistant maintains all of the applications, files and correspondence and is a great resource for general information about the PTA and Massage Therapy programs.

Martha Mioux, Director of the PTA and Massage Therapy programs

Kluthe Center 211, 217-540-3551, mmioux@lakelandcollege.edu

Ms. Mioux oversees all aspects of the PTA and Massage Therapy programs.