

CNHC's position on registration for students who have successfully completed ABC Awards

Aromatherapy, Massage Therapy or Reflexology qualifications

1. From 2012/13 academic year

Students who successfully complete an ABC Level 3 Diploma in Aromatherapy, Massage, Reflexology or Complementary Therapies will be eligible to apply to register with CNHC on the basis of this qualification alone, because they meet the National Occupational Standards plus core curriculum for their discipline. Relevant course titles are outlined below.

Qualifications which meet CNHC's entry criteria:

The last date in which Centres can enrol students onto the following qualifications is 31/07/2017. The last date on which these qualifications can be achieved is 31/07/2019: ABC Level 3 Diploma in Aromatherapy: 600/4960/1 ABC Level 3 Diploma in Complementary Therapies: 600/5057/3 ABC Level 3 Diploma in Massage: 600/5045/7

ABC Level 3 Diploma in Reflexology: 600/5055/X - The last date in which Centres can enrol students onto this qualification is 31/07/2019. The last date on which this qualification can be achieved is 31/07/2022: (this replaced the current ABC Level 3 Diploma in Reflexology (501/0961/3).

2. 2011/12 academic year

• Level 3 Diploma in Reflexology (7 unit courses)

Students who have successfully completed a Level 3 Diploma Reflexology (7 unit course) in the 2011/12 academic year are eligible to apply for CNHC registration without any additional training, because they meet the National Occupational Standards and core curriculum for their discipline.

Qualifications which meet CNHC's entry criteria:

ABC Level 3 Diploma in Reflexology: (501/0961/3)

• Level 3 Diploma in Reflexology Techniques (4 unit courses)

Students who have completed a Level 3 Diploma in Reflexology Techniques (4 unit course) in the 2011/12 academic year will have completed training which meets the National Occupational Standards but not the core curriculum. These graduates are eligible to apply to register with CNHC but will need to demonstrate to the relevant CNHC verifying organisation, how their additional knowledge, skills and experience enable them to meet the core curriculum for the relevant discipline. This may involve supplying details of CPD and other activities, in addition to the relevant qualification.

Qualifications requiring additional training and / or evidence for CNHC registration:

ABC Level 3 Diploma in Reflexology Techniques (501/0089/0)



3. Qualifications obtained prior to the 2011/12 academic year

Students who completed qualifications in Aromatherapy, Massage Therapy or Reflexology prior to 2011/12 are, of course, eligible to apply to register with CNHC and should be encouraged to apply. Depending on the qualifications undertaken they may need to provide additional evidence to the relevant CNHC verifying organisation about how their knowledge, skills and experience meet both the National Occupational Standards and core curriculum for the relevant discipline. This may involve supplying details of CPD and other relevant experience, in addition to any relevant qualifications obtained.

Qualifications obtained prior to 2011/12 which meet CNHC's entry criteria:

ABC Level 3 Diploma in Reflexology (100/2798/1)

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