

Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine (AOM) is safe and effective in treating specific health issues as well as preventing future illness. The World Health Organization (WHO) officially recognizes Acupuncture as an effective treatment for a multitude of diseases, addictions and injuries.

Conditions Treated by Acupuncture & Oriental Medicine

Addictions	Hemorrhoids
Allergies	Immune System Deficiency
Anxiety	Indigestion
Arthritis	Infertility
Asthma	Injuries
Attention Deficit Disorder	(Auto. Sports, Work, Home)
Bed Wetting (Enuresis)	Insomnia
Blood Pressure (High or Low)	Kidney Problems
Bronchial Conditions	Liver Problems
Bursitis	Nervousness
Carpal Tunnel Syndrome	Neuralgia
Chronic Fatigue (CFIDS)	Obesity
Circulation Problems	Pain
Colds & Flu	(Back, Neck, Joint, Hip, Cramps)
Colitis	Pleurisy
Colon, Spastic Constipation	Post-Surgery Recovery
Depression	Pre-Menstrual Syndrome
Detox for Chemical Dependency	Prostate Problems
Diarrhea	Rheumatism
Disc Problems	Sciatica
Dizziness (Vertigo)	Shingles
Emphysema	Sinus Trouble
Fatigue	Skin Problems
Fibromyalgia	Stomach Problems
Gall Bladder Disorders	Stress
Gas and Bloating	Stroke
Gynecological Dysfunctions	Sore Throat
Hay Fever	Thyroid Conditions
Headaches, Migraines	Ulcers
Heart Problems	Urinary Problems
	and more...

PIHMA College

Phoenix Institute of Herbal Medicine & Acupuncture



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Careers in Acupuncture & Oriental medicine are exciting & rewarding

Acupuncture and Oriental medicine is one of the fastest growing professions in the field of medicine. Our PIHMA graduates successfully run independent private practices as well as shared facilities with healthcare providers in integrated practices, hospitals and spas. Notably, our graduates were among the first acupuncturists at Valley wide Banner Hospitals and the Phoenician Resort.

PIHMA Degree candidates learn to effectively handle the health issues for which Oriental medicine is noted. Both degree programs provide future practitioners with the unique skills of a comprehensively trained practitioner in Oriental medicine.



Convenient Schedule

PIHMA College classes are held on alternating weekends between the hours of 8am-6pm. Students also attend classes 1 or 2 evenings during the week. This unique schedule allows students to balance their education while supporting their current lifestyles.

Flexible Payment Options

At PIHMA, students pay only for the classes they are attending. This allows students to tailor their schedule according to individual financial needs. Students are able to work throughout their time at PIHMA thereby reducing their financial investment. Students at PIHMA are also eligible to participate in a variety of federal & non-federal student aid.

Requirements

All applicants must have satisfactorily completed 60 semester credits / 90 quarter credits of education at the baccalaureate level that is appropriate for graduate level work, or the equivalent, from an institution, or institutions, accredited by an agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education (U.S.D.O.E.). * A grade of "C" (2.0), "Pass," or better must have been earned in each course.

Master of Science in Oriental Medicine (MSOM)

Courses for the Oriental Medicine degree include:

- A review of syndromes and practical diagnosis related to the herbs and formulas presented.
- A thorough discussion of individual herbs and formulas, providing both practical and clinical use
- Major Chinese patent formulas and American-made Chinese herbal products.
- How to modify basic formulas according to differentiation of symptoms and signs.

At successful completion, students are eligible to sit for the national certification exams in Acupuncture and Chinese Herbology.

Master of Science in Acupuncture (MSAc.)

This degree program focuses primarily on Acupuncture. Courses are the same as the Master of Science in Oriental Medicine, except that Acupuncture students do not take herbal courses. Students taking this degree program will be prepared to use Acupuncture, Cupping, Moxibustion, Tui Na, and Oriental nutritional counseling in their practice. The foundational theory for Oriental medicine is integral to these skills and students are prepared to achieve competency in all these areas. This degree program takes four years to complete if attending full-time, but may be accelerated in the third year.

At successful completion, students are eligible to sit for the national certification exam in Acupuncture.

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