

Offered in a **10-week course** format this spring

Understanding Client Medication

for Massage Therapists and Health Care workers



WHAT:

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2 credits, 30 NCBTMB Continuing Education hours, TMSG 2050

WHERE:

CCRI Newport County Campus
One John. H. Chafee Blvd.
Newport

WHEN:

5 to 8 p.m. Fridays,
Jan. 27 to April 6

HOW:

Registration starts Dec. 5, at www.ccri.edu or by visiting the Office of Enrollment Services on any CCRI campus if you are not currently a CCRI student.

This course is designed so massage therapists and health care professionals can develop an understanding of the intrinsic factors of the pharmacological effect of the medications that many of their clients, physicians have prescribed. Students will learn the role that complementary and alternative medicines play in the lifestyle of today's massage clientele. Students will gain an understanding of and learn how to identify the differences between side effects and adverse effects of medications, herbs, homeopathic medications and flower essences.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

- Identify the various delivery methods of medication
- Learn the difference between side effects and adverse effects of medication
- Recognize the dangers of most risky combinations of incompatible drugs and supplements
- Understand the implications of specific medications as they relate to the major disease groups

For more details about the new Therapeutic Massage certificate program and the associate degree in Therapeutic Massage, visit www.ccri.edu/massage/therapy/courses.html

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