

New England School of Acupuncture at MCPHS University
 Newton Campus Curriculum

Master of Acupuncture (MAc): CAS Track: Core JAS Track: Core & Japanese								
Master of Acupuncture & Oriental Medicine (MAOM): CHM Track: Core & CHM Dual Track: Core, JAS & CHM								
	MAc CASTrack		MAc JASTrack		MAOM CHMTrack		MAOM Dual Track	
Fall Term - First Year	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS
Traditional Chinese Medicine Theory I	60	4	60	4	60	4	60	4
Business Lab	7.5	0.5	7.5	0.5	7.5	0.5	7.5	0.5
Point Location I	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5
Materials & Methods I	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5
Living Anatomy & Structural Analysis I	30	2	30	2	30	2	30	2
Internal Exercise	30	2	30	2	30	2	30	2
History of Chinese Medicine	30	2	30	2	30	2	30	2
Clinical Assistantship I	30	1	30	1	30	1	30	1
Anatomy & Physiology I	45	3	45	3	45	3	45	3
<i>Subtotal hours and credits</i>	307.5	19.5	307.5	19.5	307.5	19.5	307.5	19.5
Spring Term - First Year	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS
Traditional Chinese Medicine Theory II	60	4	60	4	60	4	60	4
Point Location II	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5
Materials & Methods II	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5
Living Anatomy & Structural Analysis II	30	2	30	2	30	2	30	2
Diagnostic Skills	30	2	30	2	30	2	30	2
Introduction to Japanese Acupuncture	30	2	30	2	30	2	30	2
Introduction to Chinese Herbal Medicine	30	2	30	2	30	2	30	2
Clinical Assistantship II	30	1	30	1	30	1	30	1
Anatomy & Physiology II	45	3	45	3	45	3	45	3
Human Anatomy Lab	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1
<i>Subtotal hours and credits</i>	345	22	345	22	345	22	345	22
Summer Term - First Year	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS
JAS: Root Treatment I	-	-	30	2	-	-	30	2
CHM: Pharmacopoeia I					60	4	60	4
TCM Etiology & Pathology of Disease I	30	2	30	2	30	2	30	2
Actions & Effects of Points	30	2	30	2	30	2	30	2
Clinical Skills of Traditional Chinese Medicine	30	2	30	2	30	2	30	2
Microsystems	30	2	30	2	30	2	30	2
Clinical Assistantship III	30	1	30	1	30	1	30	1
General Biology	45	3	45	3	45	3	45	3
Psychology	45	3	45	3	45	3	45	3
First Year Comprehensive Examination	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<i>Subtotal hours and credits</i>	240	15	270	17	300	19	330	21
Fall Term - Second Year	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS
JAS: Root Treatments II	-	-	37.5	2.5	-	-	37.5	2.5
CHM: Pharmacopoeia II	-	-	-	-	60	4	60	4
TCM Etiology & Pathology of Disease II	30	2	30	2	30	2	30	2
Actions & Effects of Points	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1
Introduction to CAS Clinical Internship I	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5
Western Medical Pathology & Pharmacology I	30	2	30	2	30	2	30	2
Research Design & Evaluation	45	3	45	3	45	3	45	3
Practice Management: Marketing	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1
CHM Dispensary Assistantship at NESAs	0	0	0	0	15	0.5	15	0.5
Clinical Assistantship IV	30	1	30	1	45	1.5	45	1.5
MAc CAS Elective 1	30	2			-	-	-	-
Microbiology	45	3	45	3	45	3	45	3
<i>Subtotal hours and credits</i>	277.5	17.5	285	18	337.5	20.5	375	
Spring Term - Second Year	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS
JAS: Local Treatments	-	-	37.5	2.5	-	-	37.5	2.5
CHM: Formulas I	-	-	-	-	60	4	60	4
TCM Etiology & Pathology of Disease III	30	2	30	2	30	2	30	2
Introduction to CAS Clinical Internship II	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5
CPR/First Aid	7.5	0.5	7.5	0.5	7.5	0.5	7.5	0.5
Western Medical Pathology & Pharmacology II	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5

OM Bodywork	30	2	30	2	30	2	30	2
Clinical Theater	30	2	30	2	30	2	30	2
MAc CAS Elective 2	30	2			-	-	-	-
Clinical Assistantship V	30	1	30	1	45	1.5	45	1.5
Microbiology	45	3	45	3	45	3	45	3
Second Year Comprehensive Exam	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<i>Subtotal hours and credits</i>	277.5	17.5	285	18	322.5	20	360	22.5
Summer Term - Second Year								
	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS
JAS: Introduction to JAS Clinical Internship	-	-	30	2	-	-	30	2
CHM: Formulas II	-	-	-	-	60	4	60	4
CHM: Patent Medicines	-	-	-	-	30	2	30	2
Western Medical Pathology & Pharmacology III	30	2	30	2	30	2	30	2
Patient Provider Relationship	45	3	45	3	45	3	45	3
MAc CAS Elective 3, JAS 1	30	2	30	2	-	-	-	-
Organic Chemistry	45	3	45	3	45	3	45	3
MAc Clinical Internship I, II & III (@ 70 hrs. ea.)	210	7	210	7	-	-	-	-
MAOM CHM & Dual Clinical Internship I & II (@ 70 hrs. ea.)	-	-	-	-	140	4.7	140	4.7
<i>Subtotal hours and credits</i>	360	17	390	19	350	18.7	380	20.7
Fall Term - Third Year								
	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS
JAS: Shakuju	-	-	30	2	-	-	30	2
CHM: Internal Medicine I	-	-	-	-	60	4	60	4
CHM: Formulas Writing	-	-	-	-	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5
Clinical Case Management I	30	2	30	2	30	2	30	2
Western Medical Pathology & Pharmacology IV	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5	37.5	2.5
Chinese Nutrition	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1
Western Nutrition	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1
MAc Clinical Internship IV, V, & VI (70 hrs. ea.)	210	7	210	7	-	-	-	-
MAOM CHM & Dual Clinical Internship III, IV, V (70 hrs. ea.)	-	-	-	-	210	7	210	7
MAOM Clinical Internship CHM 1A	-	-	-	-	30	1	30	1
Elective CAS 4, JAS 2	30	2	30	2	-	-	-	-
Biochemistry	45	3	45	3	45	3	45	3
CHM Comprehensive Examination	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<i>Subtotal hours and credits</i>	382.5	18.5	412.5	20.5	480	24	510	26
Spring Term - Third Year								
	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS
CHM: Internal Medicine II	-	-	-	-	60	4	60	4
Practice Management: Business Skills	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1
Practice Management: AOM Professional Issues	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1
Clinical Case Management I	30	2	30	2	30	2	30	2
Classic Chinese Medical Texts	30	2	30	2	30	2	30	2
Elective CAS 5, JAS 3, CHM 1	30	2	30	2	30	2		
MAc Clinical Internship VII, VIII, & IX (70 hrs. ea.)	210	7	210	7	-	-	-	-
MAOM CHM Clinical Internship VI, VII, VIII (70 hrs. ea.)	-	-	-	-	210	7	210	7
Physics	45	3	45	3	45	3	45	3
<i>Subtotal hours and credits</i>	375	18	375	18	435	22	405	20
Summer Term - Third Year								
	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS
CHM: Clinical Pharmacology	-	-	-	-	30	2	30	2
CHM Elective 2	-	-	-	-	30	2	0	0
MAOM CHM & Dual Clinical Internship IX, X (@ 70 hrs. ea.)	-	-	-	-	140	4.7	140	4.7
<i>Subtotal hours and credits</i>	0	0	0	0	200	8.7	170	6.7
	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS	HOURS	CREDITS
TOTAL PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS	2565	145	2670	152	3077.5	174.4	3182.5	181.4