

Mentoring and Requirements for Anthroposophic Naturopaths Recognition and Endorsement

Please Note that the term *Naturopath* also covers other Ingestive Modalities such as *Homoeopathy*, *Herbal Medicine*, *Nutrition*, *Ayurvedic Medicine*, *Traditional Chinese Medicine* and *Integrative Medicine*.

- To have an existing full professional membership as a qualified naturopath (or similar) with the Australian Natural Therapists Association (ANTA), or Australian Traditional Medicine Society (ATMS) or other suitable professional body, in one of the following categories:

ANTA/ATMS Fellow - Naturopathy

To become an ANTA/ATMS fellow you need long-term professional membership. New applicants are required to have 2 years membership with proof of academic and professional practice and have a minimum qualification of a Bachelor of Health Science - Naturopathy.

ANTA/ATMS Professional Membership - Naturopathy

To be eligible for professional Naturopathic membership with ANTA/ATMS you are required to have completed a Bachelor of Health Science - Naturopathy, in a college or university that is recognized by ANTA /ATMS.

ANTA/ATMS Grandfather Clause - Minimum Qualification: A government accredited Diploma of Applied or Health Science - Naturopathy

To be eligible for this accreditation you will need to have completed a three year full time government accredited Diploma in Applied or Health Science – Naturopathy, in a course that was recognized by ANTA/ATMS prior to 2012, have had considerable experience in the field and have consequently been approved for full membership under ANTA's/ATMS's grandfather clause.

<http://www.australiannaturaltherapistsassociation.com.au/membership/accreditation.php>

Note: if you belong to a different association please provide documents.

- Have Current Professional Insurance as a qualified Naturopath (or other).
<http://www.australiannaturaltherapistsassociation.com.au/membership/insurance.php>
- Be a professional member of the Anthroposophic Naturopaths Guild (affiliated with ISAN international accreditation association).
- Have completed the International Post Graduate Medical Training (IPMT) in Anthroposophic Medicine – Naturopathy OR PROOF OF A SIMILAR TRAINING
- Have completed 30 study modules (6 modules per year x 5 years) in Anthroposophic Prescribing with ANG. Each module will consist of a monthly Webinar attendance, 500 word essay on your choice of research on the topic and Study of the reference texts given.
- Have completed 96 clinic observation hours (2days x 8hrs (16 hrs) x 4 times x 2years) in the last two years of a five year training with a professional member of ANG.
- MENTORSHIP - Have completed 8 hours (1hr x 4times x 2years) interviews (face to face or Zoom/Skype) in the last two years of a five-year training with an endorsed Anthroposophic prescribing mentor.
- To maintain professional membership with ANG, members will need to participate in 10 or more hours of Anthroposophic Medicine continuing practice education (CPE) per year. These can be attained by regular participation in the general monthly meetings.

MENTORING

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