

POLICY ON EQUIVALENCY OF 5-YEAR TCM DEGREE PROGRAM

Pursuant to CTCMA Bylaw section 48, 55.1 & Schedule E.

POLICY – April 26, 2016

That, in general, the EEC will consider an applicant to the Pan-Canadian Examination with a 5-year TCM Bachelor degree, as meeting the requirements of 2 years of undergraduate education as per CTCMA Bylaws s. 48.1(a.1) and 3 years study in TCM acupuncture or herbology education depending on the program focus.

GUIDELINE

Pan-Canadian Examination for Acupuncturists

For those who have a bachelor degree of TCM or Acupuncture and would like to write the Acupuncturists Examination, they will be considered as meeting the requirements of 2 years of undergraduate education as per CTCMA Bylaws s. 48.1(a.1) and 3 years study in TCM acupuncture education.

For those who have a bachelor degree of Herbology and would like to write the Acupuncturists Examination, they will be required to complete one academic year of Acupuncture study to graduate from a TCM Practitioner Program.

Pan-Canadian Examination for TCM Herbalists

For those who have a bachelor degree of TCM or Herbology and would like to write the TCM Herbalists Examination, they will be considered as meeting the requirements of 2 years of undergraduate education as per CTCMA Bylaws s. 48.1(a.1) and 3 years study in TCM herbology education.

For those who have a bachelor degree of Acupuncture and would like to write the TCM Herbalists Examination, they will be required to complete one academic year of Herbology study to graduate from a TCM Practitioner Program.

Pan-Canadian Examination for TCM Practitioners

For those who have a bachelor degree of TCM and would like to write the TCM Practitioners Examination, they will be required to complete one academic year of either

- university education; or
- TCM study to graduate from a TCM Practitioners Program

For those who have a bachelor degree of Acupuncture and would like to write the TCM Practitioners Examination, they will be required to complete one academic year of Herbology study to graduate from a TCM Practitioner Program.

For those who have a bachelor degree of Herbology and would like to write the TCM Practitioners Examination, they will be required to complete one academic year of Acupuncture study to graduate from a TCM Practitioner Program.

Dr. TCM Examination

For those who have a bachelor degree of TCM and would like to write the Dr. TCM Examination, they will be required to complete two academic years of either

- university education; or
- TCM study to graduate from a Dr. TCM Program

For those who have a bachelor degree of Acupuncture and would like to write the Dr. TCM Examination, they will be required to complete two academic year of Herbology study to graduate from a Dr. TCM Program.

For those who have a bachelor degree of Herbology and would like to write the Dr. TCM Examination, they will be required to complete two academic year of Acupuncture study to graduate from a Dr. TCM Program