

OMPT Mentorship Component Application

APPLICATION COVER

Once a practitioner has successfully enrolled in the MII Diploma Program, he or she may apply for the Fellowship Program with the aim to fulfill the OMPT Mentorship component following successful pass of Diploma in MDT. The OMPT portion of the curriculum is designed to provide Physical Therapists with continued advanced training in examination, clinical decision-making and manual treatment skills in a concentrated clinical environment. The small group classroom and lab training sessions allow the clinical faculty to focus their instruction toward the individual needs of each fellow applicant.

Name Mr. <input type="checkbox"/> Ms. <input type="checkbox"/> Mrs. <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. <input type="checkbox"/> (if DPT)			
Home Address			
City:		State:	ZIP:
Phone: (Home)	Cell #:		
(Work)	Fax #:		
EMAIL (Must provide)			
Prof. License(s)# and State(s)			
Employer			
Work Address			
City:		State:	ZIP:

PROGRAM FEES and EXPENSES

OMPT Mentorship Tuition: \$4000.00

Note: Payment will not be required until the applicant commences the OMPT curriculum of the program.
You will be required to attend the Thrust Manipulation Course and the fee of \$615 will be collected at that time.

Additional expenses that you may or may not be responsible for include:

1. Professional Liability and Health Insurance
2. Licensure in other states where clinical mentorship may occur
3. Travel and accommodation
4. AAOMPT Fellowship Application fee

Submit your application to:

The McKenzie Institute USA
Attn. Stacey A. Lyon, Executive Director
432 N Franklin Street, Suite 40
Syracuse, NY 13204-1559
Email: slion@mckenzieinstituteusa.org

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Course #: _____ Amt. Paid: _____
Student #: _____ Confirm#: _____
Date Paid: _____ Ck# : _____

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Please include these additional items with Page 1 to complete your application package:

1. A copy of your active license in Physical Therapy
2. Proof of professional liability insurance
3. A copy of your MII Diploma Program acceptance letter
4. Curriculum Vitae (Be sure to highlight continuing education experiences, particularly in manual physical therapy; any teaching experience, leadership and volunteer activities.)
5. Two letters of recommendation. (The same two letters submitted with the Diploma Program application may be used as long as one attests to the applicant's clinical competence.)
6. Description of clinical experiences as a licensed PT (*up to five years depending on experience*).

Note: Clinical experience descriptions should include the following information for each organization in which you have performed direct patient care:

- a) Name, address, and phone number of the facility;
 - b) Name of your clinical supervisor (if any), or supervisor;
 - c) Type of facility;
 - d) Job description;
 - e) Date employed (or dates of internship);
 - f) Description of patient load;
 - g) Description of any clinical supervision or mentoring;
 - h) Time (in hours) involved in direct patient care *for the past two years*:
Total hours = (number of hours per week) x (number of weeks per year) x (number of full time years).
7. Short Essay. Please provide a short essay (not to exceed two pages) which clearly states why you are interested in OMPT aspects of the MIUSA Fellowship training. To assist you, it may be helpful to refer to the Fellowship Full Program Details Mission, Goals & Objectives, and also address the following questions:
 - a) How may the Fellowship OMPT components contribute to your musculoskeletal clinical decision making?
 - b) Where do you see manual physical therapy procedures improving treatment efficacy?
 - c) How may the MIUSA OMPT Fellowship Program contribute to making MDT an integral part of musculoskeletal care?

NOTE (to be provided a later date following acceptance): Your participation in the MII Theoretical Component will involve documentation of participation in a research study, a case study with supporting references, a review of the literature pertaining to MDT or OMPT, or a written clinical commentary. We will require that you submit a copy of your completed materials before you commence OMPT curriculum.

Applications will be reviewed by a selection committee consisting of the Fellowship Program Director, Academic Advisor, and MIUSA Executive Director. The applications will be evaluated based on the following criteria:

- a) Academic education
- b) Continuing education in manual therapy
- c) Clinical education and mentoring experiences
- d) Clinical experience in Mechanical Diagnosis and Therapy and Orthopaedic Manual Physical Therapy
- e) Research, Publications, and Teaching Experience
- f) Volunteer activities: Professional and Community
- g) References/Letters of Recommendation

Applications for the Fellowship are accepted annually on a rolling basis. Notification of acceptance will be acknowledged within 30 days of the application submission. The starting date of the OMPT Mentorship Component curriculum will be determined once both Diploma components have been passed.

Once the paper application has been accepted, you will be contacted to arrange an interview with the Fellowship Program Director: Ron Schenk PT, PhD, OCS, FAAOMPT, Dip. MDT