



April 2024 Newsletter

CCMU Advanced Doctoral Program (DAOM) Earns Accreditation Until 2030!

We are thrilled to announce that the Accreditation Commission for Acupuncture and Herbal Medicine (ACAHM) has granted accreditation to CCMU's DAOM program! This esteemed accreditation signifies the exceptional quality of our program and ensures it meets the rigorous standards set forth by ACAHM. Our DAOM doctoral program joins our 4 other programs (MAc, MAcCHM, DAc, DAcCHM) with full accreditation until 2030.

The DAOM program at CCMU broadens the scope of Chinese Medicine, transitioning from a symptom/syndrome-focused approach to a holistic Qi level-based medical system. It introduces a distinctive diagnostic and treatment logic to address a variety of conditions and has demonstrated proven clinical outcomes.

This achievement demonstrates CCMU's unwavering commitment to providing our students with the highest level of education and preparing them for successful careers in Chinese medicine. ACAHM accreditation holds significant value for our doctoral students as it:

- Validates the program's curriculum and learning outcomes
- Enhances graduate opportunities and professional recognition
- Ensures program alignment with industry best practices

We commend our dedicated faculty and staff for their tireless efforts in achieving this accreditation. We are incredibly proud of this accomplishment and look forward to welcoming future DAOM students to CCMU's exceptional program in Fall 2024! CCMU is enriching its revised curriculum with a selection of traditional and integrative courses for the incoming Fall 2024 cohort, aiming to deliver increased value to our students. The new catalog and open house will coming soon!

CCMU Students Shine on NCCAOM Exams!

CCMU is proud to announce that our students have once again exceeded

expectations on the National Certification Commission for Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine (NCCAOM) board exams!

Our students consistently achieve pass rates above the national average in all 4 exams, demonstrating the exceptional quality of education they receive at CCMU. This outstanding achievement is a testament to the dedication of our faculty, the commitment of our students, and the strength of our curriculum.

We are thrilled to share that our students are consistently performing at a superior level compared to national averages in all 4 NCCAOM Board Exams and got 100% pass rate in the first-time test in Foundations of Oriental Medicine and Chinese Herbology. This reflects the comprehensive preparation and strong foundation in acupuncture and herbal medicine that CCMU provides.

Passing the NCCAOM exams is a critical step for aspiring acupuncturists, and CCMU is committed to equipping our students with the knowledge, skills, and confidence they need to succeed.

We congratulate our recent graduates on this impressive accomplishment and celebrate their journey towards becoming licensed acupuncturists!

Are you interested in pursuing a career in acupuncture? CCMU's program provides a supportive and challenging learning environment, preparing you for a rewarding future in this dynamic field. Contact us today at admissions@ccmu.edu to learn more!

[Contact Admissions](#)

Congratulations Graduates!

Doctor of Acupuncture & Oriental Medicine

Corey Lamont Brown, Jr., DAOM
Natalie Elizabeth Franciose, DAOM
Valerie Stephanie Lam, DAOM
Piper Mullins, DAOM
C. Angelina Pierce, DAOM

Doctor of Acupuncture

Christopher Michael Sell, DAc
Melissa Puchak, DAc
Ryan Lee Taves, DAc

Master of Acupuncture

Andrea L. Bibeau, MAc
Katelyn Mae Conger, MAc
Nicholas Anthony Conte, MAc
Kathryn Jean Crissman, MAc

Tiyera Hall, MAc
Karen A. Rietz, MAc
Kimberly A. Simpson, MAc
Heather Zaimes, MAc

Please join us at the Althea Center for Graduation Ceremony
April 21, 2024 3 PM- 5 PM
1400 North Williams Street Denver, Colorado 80206

Miniature Therapy Horses to Visit CCMU



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[Visit Their Site](#)

On Thursday, May 2, CCMU will be visited by the McNichols Miniatures, a sweet pair of miniature therapy horses! The horses and their handler, Amy, will be joining us in the CCMU parking lot at 3 pm, right before Forum. Two parking spots will be set aside to make a space for them.

The horses are not shy and they love to be petted. They'd love to meet your kids if you can bring them!

Program Offerings

Explore our diverse program offerings, ranging from our convenient and flexible PD Program Completer Track to the comprehensive DAOM Program.

1. Masters Program, to be an effective practitioner

- Duration: 28 months to 36 months
- Format: Hybrid with online and on-campus
- Total Hours: MAc 2,400 hours; MAcCHM 3,075 hours

[Learn More](#)

2. PD Program Completer Track, specialized in woman's health and oncology

- Duration: 8 months
- Format: Totally online course
- Total Hours: 330 hours

[Learn More](#)

3. DAOM Program, specialized in using a distinctive diagnostic and treatment logic to address a variety of conditions and has demonstrated proven clinical outcomes

- Duration: 2 years
- Format: Mostly online with occasional on-campus sessions
- Total Hours: 1,215 hours
- Focus: Clinic outcomes, Integrating Symptom/Syndrome and Qi-Based Medicine
- Scholarship: Up to \$15,000 available
- Work for Tuition Opportunity (Onsite Only): Work 2 days/week to cover the tuition

[Learn More](#)

Job Opportunities

- [CCMU is Hiring Faculty and Clinic Supervisors](#)
- [Acupuncture Practice for Sale in Edgewood, WA](#)
- [Asheville Integrative Acupuncture for Sale](#)
- [Acupuncture Practice for Sale in Ellensburg, WA](#)

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