

CPEs for OMTs

To remain on the Oncology Massage National Therapist Listing, you must refresh your cancer supportive care or oncology massage skills **annually**.

Course name	Description	Prerequisites
Advance Tutorial	2 day- advanced practical workshop	Module Two
'Understanding Palliative Care'	2-day session for those interested in the palliative care approach	Module One
Module Two refresher	Attend a scheduled Module Two, present case studies, no exam	Module Two
Mini-Tutorial	1-day refresher of practical skills	Module One or Two
Personalised Training and Mentoring Day (PTM)	1-day, one on one training with Tania Shaw in QLD	Module Two

External courses

Casley-Smith Method of Decongestive Lymphatic Therapy	135 hours over 3 weeks, \$3000.00	Elsebeth Petersen
Vodder Technique	Approx \$1200.00/course	www.movinglymph.com
Palliative Care based programs Aged Care based programs	Varies	Delivered by PEPA or Palliative Care Australia
EAP Program	See OM Ltd therapist support page	Anna Schaumkel or Russell Sturgess
Oncology Esthetics	See website for details	www.oncologyesthetics.com
Bowen Therapy	BTFA or BAA approved programs – certificate must be supplied	www.bowen.asn.au or www.bowen.org.au

1. Other options for maintaining your listing

1. Regular work as an oncology massage therapist, in a palliative care setting
2. Regular work as an oncology massage therapist, in a cancer care or wellness centre or similar.
3. Oncology massage networking meetings in your area – you must attend a minimum of 3 meetings in a 6-month period. The meeting organiser must send the minutes to OM Ltd and all present need to be listed. At least one Oncology massage topic must be discussed.

NB. Options 1 & 2 must be accompanied by a letter from your employer outlining the number of hours you work, the number of clients you see and what sort of supervision is available to you.

Outside of these listed option, other courses or workshops MAY be considered for a \$25 administration and assessment fee. You will need to supply evidence of your attendance, a transcript of the competencies covered and a statement about how this training will support your work with clients with cancer.