

100 Hour Basic Acupuncture Program Module 5

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Course Description: The foundation of acupuncture is the two-way communication between the specific acupuncture points and all organs, glands, and tissues of the body. By stimulating particular acupuncture points, the dysfunction of the body can be restored, bringing the patient back to health. Restoration of function is brought about by balancing the body's own Qi, the energy force that runs and heals the body.

Acupuncture is:

- recognized by the World Health Organization (WHO)
- recognized by the National Institute of Health (NIH)
- recognized by most state boards
- practiced as a primary healing system by acupuncturists
- practiced as an adjunctive procedure by DCs, MDs, DDs, DVMs and DOs

The **Basic 100 Hour** program is offered as a 100-hour/six-session course. Each class session is 16 3/4 hours long. Participants completing the full 100 hours and pass the course final exam are eligible to sit for the National Board of Chiropractic Examiners acupuncture exam.

Completing the basic course is the first 100 hours towards completion of the Diplomate in Acupuncture.

Required Supplies: Acupuncture supply kits can be ordered through the Parker University bookstore at 214-902-2408

Required Textbook: "The Foundations of Chinese Medicine: A Comprehensive Text for Acupuncturists and Herbalists" (2nd edition) G. Maciocia (available in the Parker University bookstore)

"The Foundations of Chinese Medicine: A Comprehensive Text (3rd edition), by Giovanni Maciocia

Either text will aid the attendee with additional Acupuncture theory.

Additional recommended reading:

- "A Manual of Acupuncture" (2nd edition) P. Deadman & M. Al-Khafaji"
- "Clean Needle Technique Manual for Acupuncturists: Guidelines and Standards for the Clean and Safe Clinical Practice of Acupuncture" (6th edition) S. Given
- "Auriculotherapy Manual: Chinese and Western Systems of Ear Acupuncture" (3rd edition) T. Oelson
- "Chinese Acupuncture and Moxibustion" (3rd edition) C. Xinnong
- "The Web that has no Weaver" T. Kaptchuk

Module V

Basic Pulse Diagnosis

Basic Tongue Diagnosis

Basic Treatment Protocols*

Treatment according to Back Shu and Front Mu points

Headaches

Neck pain, lowback pain and other spinal pain

Extremity pain

Disorders of various organ system

Emotional Disorders