

## McKenzie Institute Canada- Course Eligibility Policy 2023 - 2024

All health professionals are responsible for adhering to their scope of practice. Adherence to your scope of practice is also required when participating in a McKenzie Institute course. For some clinicians, some course content may fall outside of their scope of practice. In that instance, the participant should not engage in those areas of the course. If you have any questions regarding the content of the course, please feel free to contact the MICanada branch office at [mckenziecanadamdt@gmail.com](mailto:mckenziecanadamdt@gmail.com)

Profession	Ref:	A	B	C	D	EI (Intro)	ADV. EXT	CE	IMPORTANT ELIGIBILITY NOTES
Physiotherapist	PT	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	Provincially licensed in Canada, in good standing with the independent governing body, and holding current professional liability insurance
Chiropractor	DC	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	Provincially licensed in Canada, in good standing with the independent governing body, and holding current professional liability insurance
Physician	MD	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	Provincially licensed in Canada, in good standing with the independent governing body, and holding current professional liability insurance
Physician Assistant	PA	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	Provincially licensed in Canada, in good standing with the independent governing body, and holding current professional liability insurance
Occupational Therapist	OT	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	Provincially licensed in Canada, in good standing with the independent governing body, and holding current professional liability insurance
Nurse Practitioner	NP	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	Provincially licensed in Canada, in good standing with the independent governing body, and holding current professional liability insurance
Athletic Therapist <b>QC only</b>	AT	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	<b>Only Quebec licensed AT's can progress through MDT courses and credential. Provincially licensed in Canada, in good standing with the independent governing body and holds current professional liability insurance</b>
Physiotherapy Technologists QC	Pht. P	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	<i>Parts C &amp; D primarily focus on clinical reasoning/assessing/ communicating a diagnosis. Therefore, a TRP may not realize the full value of the more advanced courses. TRP's that credential will not be listed on the McKenzie Provider referral list. Provincially licensed in Canada, in good standing with the independent governing body and holds current professional liability insurance</i>
Registered Nurse	RN	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	<i>RN's must be working in an an environment where the method is being utilized on a regular basis e.g as an occ health nurse where the practitioners are using MDT. Provincially licensed in Canada, in good standing with the independent governing body and holds current professional liability insurance</i>
Kinesiologist	KN	√	√						<i>KN's are permitted to attend Part A and Part B, as long as they are <u>working under the direct supervision of a McKenzie trained clinician</u> (PT, DC, MD, PA, OT, NP) with the same or higher level of MDT training. Directly after registration, an email confirming the required supervision must be sent from the MDT trained supervising clinician to MICanada prior to the course payment processing date, to avoid the registrant being charged cancellation penalties .</i>
Physiotherapy Assistant	PTA	√	√						<i>PTA's must have completed a <u>4 term or longer</u> Canadian educational facility certification program and must be <u>working under the direct supervision of a McKenzie trained clinician</u> (PT, DC, DO, MD, PA, OT, NP) with the same or higher level of MDT training. Directly after registration, an email confirming the required supervision must be sent from the MDT trained supervising clinician to MICanada prior to the course payment processing date, to avoid the registrant being charged cancellation penalties.</i>
PT or DC Student (final year)	PT/DC Student	√							Final year, graduating within 11 months of planned course date

Osteopath

Osteopaths are not eligible to attend McKenzie MDT courses

Athletic Therapist outside QC

Athletic Therapists practicing outside of QC are not eligible to attend MDT courses.

Massage Therapists

RMT'S are not eligible to attend McKenzie MDT courses

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