

About the Workshop

The National Academy of Sports Medicine is an internationally recognized organization committed to research and development of higher education in the field of athletic training, performance enhancement, prevention, rehabilitation and personal training.

There are many facets to touch and to touch therapy. Perspective, intention, energetics, physiology and assessment. As massage therapists become more accurate in assessment, we increase our treatment effectiveness.

Palpation literacy is an advanced understanding of assessment skills. Structural assessment by Lowe, Vaughn et. al., assessment confirmation in measured terms and grading record assessment. This workshop focuses on the therapist developing greater assessment skills. The student will gain knowledge and training in touch sensitivity and garner a perspective over preclinical stress injuries even without the client pointing them out.

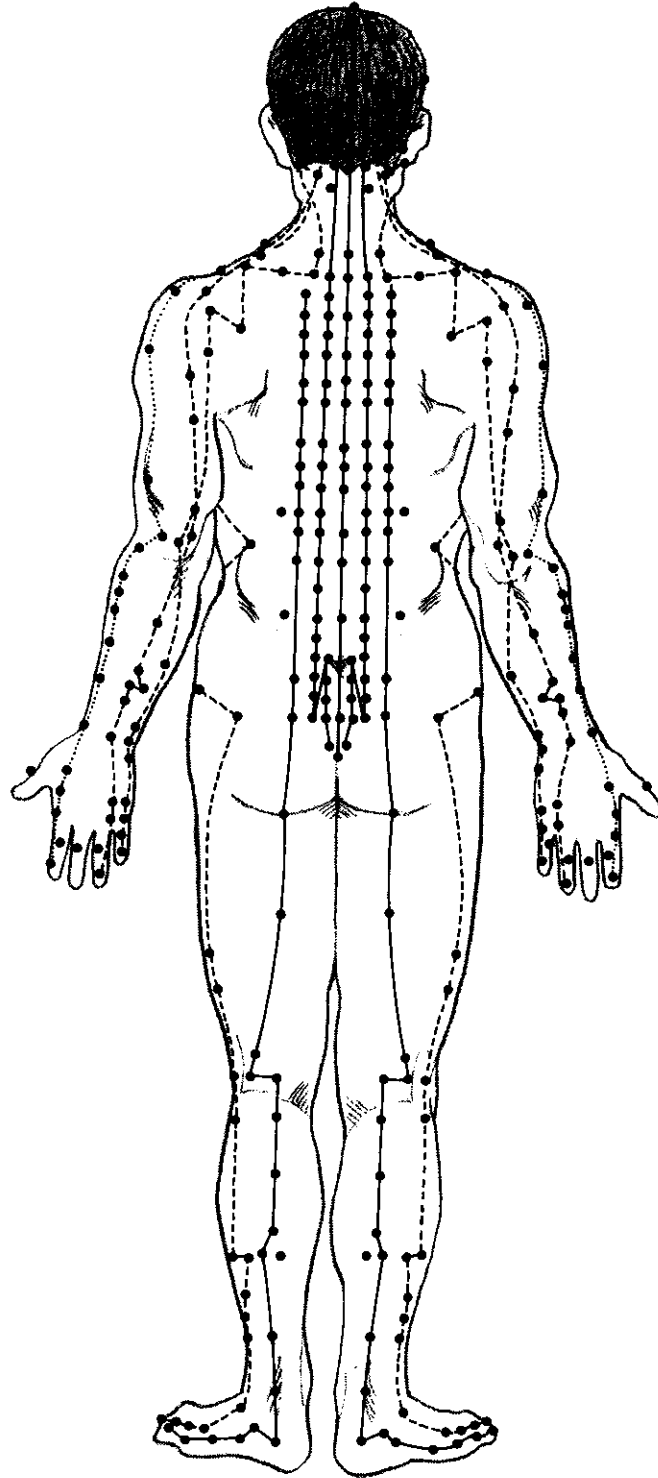
This workshop is an advanced course in Palpation and designed for those licensed therapists who have had some course study in Palpation or structural assessment.

Suggested Readings *"Palpation Skills" by L. Chaitow. "Assessment Skills" by Lowe.*

What to Bring *Bring a table, loose fitting clothes and two extra large towels.*

Where and When
Danbury War Memorial

August 3, 2002
8:00am - 4:00pm
1/2 hour break



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Costs

\$75.000 per/person before
\$90.00 per/person after

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Registration deadline: _____ Refund Policy before _____ Half refund after _____

Location: _____ Directions with confirmation

Name (participant) _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-Mail _____ Massage license _____

Phone _____ Fax _____



About the **Instructor**

Ron McKnight graduated Wagner College in Staten Island and attended the University of Connecticut for his MBA studies. Ron graduated from the Swedish Institute certified in massage therapy and medical massage therapy in 1983, the Shaitsu Education Center of NYC and the former Tristate Institute of Traditional Chinese Medicine (now known as Tristate College of Acupuncture). Ron studied sports massage under Jack Meagher and participated as a member of the medical staff for the Goodwill games in Seattle in 1990, and the Olympics in Atlanta in 1996. He received certification in Cranial/Sacral Therapy from the Upledger Institute in 1989. Ron is currently membership chairman for Connecticut Chapter of AMTA and a National membership committee member.

Ron is currently in private practice and orchestrating grant and research studies in sports injury prevention.

After the experience of working with elite athletes, Ron has gained a heightened knowledge of muscle imbalances and the need to maintain confirmation of assessment on client records in order to prevent subclinical injuries from becoming clinical.

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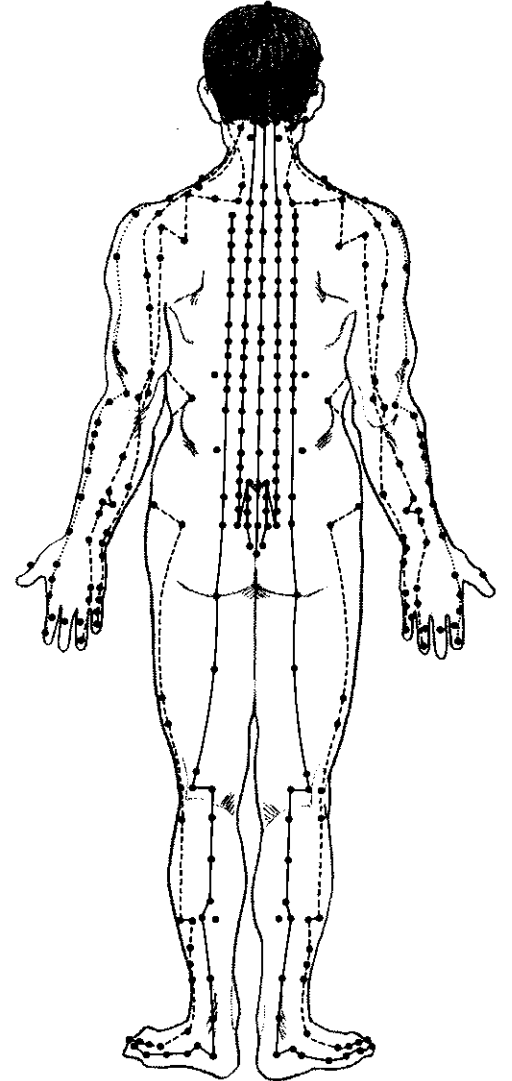


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INTRODUCTION

PART 1 OF A (3) PART



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massage therapists on developing
greater assessment skills.*