Langara Registered Massage Therapy Program Admission Questions

Answer each of the 12 questions and sub-sections - no bullet points. Please limit your answers to a maximum of 10 pages. There are two questions your need to research(***), and INCLUDE your research citations. FORMAT: 1.5 line spacing, 2.54 cm (1") margins around, 12-point font. Include your name in a "header" on each page and list all questions & sub-sections before

your answers. PDF or WORD document

1. Explain why you are a good fit to become a Registered Massage Therapist.

- Include both why and how you came to decide to study this field of healthcare.
- 2. How would both your friends, and your past teachers, describe you?
 - What areas for personal growth and professional development would they identify?

3. Describe difficulties/challenges that you may experience both academically and professionally in the field of massage therapy.

• Include why you think this would be the case, and how you plan to address these challenges.

4. Describe your personal experiences with massage therapy and your conclusions about your experience.

5. Based on discussions in the Intro to Massage course, please answer the following questions:

- What are wonderful things about being an RMT?
- What are some of the challenges about being an RMT?
- Describe the plans and support systems you have in place to help you succeed in RMT school/training.

6. ***Explain how the Registered Massage profession is governed in the province of BC.

7. Describe your learning experience with post-secondary education, and college level anatomy and physiology (A&P) courses.

- What academic achievement has made you the most confident?
- What setbacks, disappointments, or frustrations have you experienced in school and how did you handle them?
- Describe a time you did not get along with a classmate or instructor.
 **Please submit official transcripts from any post-secondary education including Anatomy and Physiology as part of your application.

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8. Describe personality / learning characteristics that you have, that will carry you through an intense, accelerated program and the BC Provincial RMT registration exams.

9. What made you choose the RMT Program at Langara College?

- Were you able to go to other schools to compare programs?
- What is the most important thing to you about the RMT Program you attend?
- If you attended another BC massage therapy program: describe your educational experience, and why did you leave?

10. *****Scenario:** A client attends the student clinic smelling like alcohol and acting strangely. How would you handle this situation?

11. **Scenario:** You see a classmate consistently cheating on quizzes by using their cellphone. What would you do in this situation?

12. **Scenario:** There is a conflict between an RMT student and an instructor, and the situation begins to escalate. What strategies could be used to de-escalate the situation?

• Under what circumstances would it be appropriate for a student RMT to apologize to an instructor?