



**Training homeopaths  
for  
the 21st Century**



**A welcome from the Course Director**



**Ellen Kramer MCPH**, is Director and Course Manager for the College of Practical Homeopathy , who provide the only full-time and part-time 'Vocational training courses in London'. She also has busy private practices in Islington and Finchley and is the author of '**Methods of Homeopathic Prescribing**'.

**"Welcome to the exciting world of practical homeopathy. If you are interested in health, in helping people and perhaps in a life or career change and want gain a recognised qualification that will enable you to start your own practice, you need look no further."**

CPH graduates receive a **Licentiate in Homeopathy**, the standard qualification for practice in the UK which qualifies you for membership of a professional body and to start your own practice. This qualification can be obtained via a flexible program to suit your circumstances - a **two year full time course**, our **three or four year part time courses**, or **Distance E learning**.

Becoming a successful alternative health practitioner entails developing an alternative perspective on health and this is not something that can be learnt from an academic training. CPH provides a vocational training which means a career-specific, practical and skills-focused approach is used. We are the first college of Homeopathy to be accredited by **the British Accreditation Council (BAC)** and the only one validated as an assessment centre by the **Vocational Training Charitable Trust (VTCT)**. **In addition we are the first of only two homeopathic colleges to be recognised as a UKBA Tier 4 Sponsor for overseas students.**

Homeopathy is essentially a people's business and real learning comes from seeing patients. We provide a comprehensive reference manual that will support students for the rest of their professional lives so students do not have to rely solely on the notes they take in class. There are no essays,

exams or continuous testing. **This unique emphasis on practical application leads to students who:**

- have the ability to thoroughly analyse a case and an understanding of the different methods available to support appropriate prescribing.
- leave with the ability to appropriately support clients in the use of nutrition and herbs to help in their treatment program.
- start seeing patients early on in their clinical training and who are taught how to set up and run their own student clinics as early as possible, preparing them for their own practices by graduation.
- graduate equipped with the confidence and competence skills that allow them to succeed as professional CAM practitioners.

We have found that once students are clear what needs curing and what method is most appropriate they then have the right tools to find the most appropriate remedy.

The unique approach **allows the rapid development of practical skills alongside the theoretical approaches taught** – the only real way to learn.

***No other course applies homeopathy in this way and that is why we are the only genuine college of 'practical' homeopathy.***

For further information about our unique and flexible training courses read on:

- Email us your queries on: [admin@collegeofpracticalhomeopathy.com](mailto:admin@collegeofpracticalhomeopathy.com)
- Call Tessa on 0208 445 6123 and arrange to speak to the Course Director, book a place on a Discovery Day or to sit in on a lecture.

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## **Choosing the right Homeopathic Course**

With so many different courses available – part-time, full-time, correspondence courses, distance learning, academic or vocational etc it's hard to know which one will be right for you. **Please be clear that each course is different in its approach, philosophy, teaching standards and resources. Do not assume that one course is the same as another!**

**What's right for you?** - Just as in homeopathy we give an individual prescription to match each patient's needs, so in pursuing your homeopathic education you should find a course that meets your needs. If you're considering studying homeopathy, it's important to bear in mind that the provision of homeopathic training in the UK covers a broad spectrum. The main qualification courses offer is a **Licentiate Diploma which is the standard qualification accepted by the professional bodies registering homeopaths in the UK.**

**How to gain the necessary qualifications** - There is no set educational route into the field. Broadly speaking course providers can be put in the following categories.

1) **Vocational courses** aimed at producing graduates who are capable of setting up and running their own practice. If you find you are torn between a Vocational course and an academic course then you are probably using the wrong criteria for choosing a course. It is important to get it right as starting a course that does not suit you is both disheartening and very expensive. If you want to become a successful practitioner then it entails developing an alternative perspective on health and this is not something that can be learnt properly from an academic course based on an allopathic medical model.

2) **Degree based academic courses** - There is **no** intention for the profession to become degree entry so treat with caution any claims that it will. All but one degree course has been closed as there has been a **very high drop out rate from these types of courses.** They are more suitable for people wishing to become administrators or researchers but there are very few posts of this nature available in the NHS!

3) **Eclectic** – a few courses offer a more esoteric approach and attract people who have a general interest in alternative approaches to health.

**Where does CPH fit** – uniquely we combine a strong **vocational training** with a excellent theoretical (academic) foundation that lead to professional qualifications in homeopathy and naturopathy for people with a desire to become successful practitioners in the alternative and complementary health sector. CPH provides a genuine **alternative approach to the study of health and healing** – combining an understanding of what works for modern patients, making use of the allopathic model as appropriate and additionally providing a clear and proven alternative approach, suitable to the needs of the modern patient.

**How will you benefit by choosing CPH? – If your vision /dream is:**

- you want to have a practical foundation in homeopathic theory and practice
- you want that grounding to be underpinned by rigorous academic and practice standards
- to become a successful professional homeopath

**then your first choice should be CPH as we offer the following benefits:**

**Flexible learning** – via Full-time, part-time and Distance E learning **CPH can create a programme to suit your needs**

**External accreditation** – CPH is the only homeopathic college with accreditation from an independent nationally recognised accreditation body – The British Accreditation Council BAC and the only homeopathic college currently recognised as a Tier 4 sponsor by the UKBA (who control entry into colleges for students who require a visa).

**Vocational emphasis** – **CPH teaches from a practical perspective in order to support you in being ready to run your own business**

**Class size** – Small friendly classes, time to ask questions, get to know other students and tutors well, and supports interaction between students.

**Flexible and Integrated teaching programme** – CPH has a fully integrated programme that combines theory and practice from day 1.

**High quality written material** – you will leave with a comprehensive set of notes that will fit your learning needs and **act as a source of reference for the rest of your career.** This is invaluable information that has been developed from clinical experience and cannot be found in most books.

**Tutors – a good tutor should make you think, not tell you what to think!** All our Tutors have active practices and teach both from the heart and from experience.

**Clinical training** – homeopathy is best learnt 'hands on'. You will start seeing patients in clinic as early as possible and assignments are based around your own patients.

**Practitioner Development** – to be successful you need to have a range of personal skills, drive, personality, understanding of you own boundaries etc, as well as business skills above and beyond homeopathy – planning, marketing and financial management skills. CPH makes sure this is built into our courses.

**Some secondary factors to help you make the final choice. These are:**

a) **location and venue** – CPH has good public transport connections plus there is adequate and low cost parking close to the college and no congestion charge.

CPH is the only college in London to have its own premises for teaching, clinics, office and seminar facilities thus making it a genuine community of student homeopaths.

b) **reputation and recommendation** – take the time to talk to students (and if possible) graduates to see what they think of CPH.

c) **cost** – the fees at CPH are very competitive – when comparing costs of courses you should look at the overall cost, including all extras to **get a true comparison.**

d) **other supporting factors** – CPH is the leading college for:

- flexible study to meet your needs
- openness to new communications technology – both with providing and accessing resource materials and to taking cases by phone and by email
- Graduate and alumni programmes after graduation



*The best value highest quality  
vocational training available*



### **The CPH Foundation Course in Homeopathy**

**I am interested in Homeopathy but not sure I want to become one – can I still join?** Yes – it is a big commitment to become a professional homeopath and this course is an ideal introduction to a potential new career. There is no requirement to continue after the Foundation Level but be warned- many students become totally absorbed in this life changing course. The Foundation Level can be studied via **PT Year 1** or by **DL Foundation Level**. It introduces you to homeopathy in a friendly practical manner. **This course is ideal for you if you:**

- would like to learn how to use Homeopathy confidently and effectively to treat your family and friends for a wide range of illnesses and injuries.
- are already using Homeopathic remedies and want to know more.
- would like to pursue an interest in complementary health care, possibly leading to a professional training and future career in Homeopathy.
- are already a CAM Practitioner and are seeking to add further skills to your professional competencies.

#### **You will be introduced to:**

- an overview of the differences between mainstream and complementary medicine and the history and basic principles of Homeopathy including how remedies are made and how they work
- the therapeutic uses of homeopathic remedies, flower essences and herbs to treat common complaints
- how to interpret reactions to remedies, and when to seek professional help
- the first steps in becoming a qualified homeopathic practitioner

Information is provided in an integrated way which means by the end of **The Foundation Level** you will have a good understanding of what it means to be a homeopath and could have already started to see clients if you feel ready to.

We encourage all interested to visit the college for a Discovery Day, sit in on classes and meet with the Course Director or give me a call to see how we can help.

Contact Tessa at **The College of Practical Homeopathy 760 High Road North Finchley, London N12 9QH on 020 8445 6123**  
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or For more information visit: [www.collegeofpracticalhomeopathy.com](http://www.collegeofpracticalhomeopathy.com)

### ***Frequently asked questions for the Foundation Course***

**Are there any entry requirements?** Our students come from all walks of life and 'who you are' is more important 'what you are' or what qualifications you have.

Our main requirement is that you are interested in developing both yourself and your skills in this fascinating subject. Most of our students are over 25 and this provides a wide range of ages, backgrounds and experience that all add energy to the course.

### **Will there be lots of tests, extra curriculum work as I am very busy?**

No - this course uses carefully selected, tried and tested teaching practices from courses we have been running for over 20 years, with regularly updated approaches to give you thorough, enjoyable and creative study. We have a comprehensive written material database presented in a user friendly format so that all students receive module notes etc via electronic means (so do not worry about having to take extensive notes!). We do not do exams and assignments are optional for those who only wish to do the Foundation course.

**How long is the Foundation Level?** The course consists of 10 weekends **or it can be done by DL** – each one mirroring the unique approach adopted at CPH that allows the rapid development of practical skills alongside the theoretical approaches taught – the only real way to learn. (Please note that Modules are based on a unique developmental approach that integrates different disciplines – e.g. Anatomy and Physiology are taught alongside clinical practice and therapeutics as appropriate - if you are looking at clients with respiratory problems you will be covering the lungs etc in A&P, appropriate remedies in therapeutics etc).

### **How much help will I get as I have not studied for a long time?**

Our class sizes are small and you will not get lost in a big group. Encouragement and guidance will be given to support you throughout your endeavours. Tutors are fully qualified practitioners, chosen for their skills in helping you learn. **The**

**Course Director, Ellen Kramer**, will personally assess your progress, and will assist you in achieving whatever goals you set.

**If I choose to continue on to a professional qualification what steps would I have to take?**

You can take the Foundation Course without necessarily having to complete all the assignments etc but if you do decide to continue on to become a qualified practitioner then all courses at The College of Practical Homeopathy lead to the **Licentiate in Homeopathy** which is the standard sector qualification to register for membership of one of the professional bodies representing Homeopaths and start your own practice.

You can obtain this qualification at CPH via a number of different routes depending on your circumstances. We provide a flexible programme to meet the needs of our adult learners through **Full-time, Part-time or Distance E learning** or a combination of these – **flexible study at its best to suit your needs.**

***Read on for more information about the other courses.....***

Or you can now apply on-line using the link below and following the online screen instructions [Click here to Apply Online Now](#) )



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its best**



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- **Three or four year part-time attendance courses**
  - attendance of 10 weekends a year for four years (**or three year fast track**)
  - Runs from 10.00 am to 5.30 on Saturday and Sunday
  - One clinic day a month in years two, three and four
    - \* *Can now be done by Distance Learning by shadowing attendance course – ask for further details)*
  
- **The two year full-time course** - This course is aimed specifically at people who want to become practising homeopaths in 2 years. It is attracting people from all walks of life who prefer to study during the week, and/or overseas students who wish to study in London but who will be leaving after the homeopathic training program to practice in other countries. It is an especially attractive option for people who are considering a change of career and are seeking vocational alternative training within a reasonable time scale that leads to self employment. This is the only two year course in the UK. It is both time and cost effective being considerably cheaper (although it has more teaching time) than any comparable three year full-time course). **You can be setting up your practice before students at other colleges have taken a case!**
  - two years to qualify
  - one clinic day (practical training) a month from term one
  - runs from 10.30 am - 5.30 pm. Mondays to Wednesdays (October – June)
  - involves time to study at home and/or in tutorial or study groups

**NB: Overseas students who wish to study in the UK can only apply for the 2 year full-time course.**

- **The Distance E learning programme** – this is open to anyone. It provides:
  - Very flexible study – (expected completion between 2 to 6 years)
  - No exams and assessment provides ongoing feedback and motivation
  - courses are clearly presented, easy to follow and thorough in content
  - personal tutor for each student to give guidance and feedback
  - highest level of support via the internet
  - certificates are awarded on completion of each level
  
- **The CPH Distance E learning Programme Licentiate Diploma for Doctors, Pharmacists and Medically qualified personnel**
  - This is a 12 module course specifically designed for medically qualified personnel (applicants can provide certificates that demonstrates a high level of knowledge of anatomy, physiology and pathology from an allopathic perspective).

**Duration of E courses** – As distance learning is not tied to a lecture programme, students may work at whatever pace is suitable for them, setting their own targets. We expect the minimum amount of time taken to complete will be one year but students will be able to study at their own pace and may take up to 2 years in total to complete. Your personal tutor will assist you in achieving whatever goals you set.

**Commencement of Courses - Participants can join at any time of the year.**

**Qualification** – on completion graduates receive the **Licentiate Diploma Homeopathy** (which is the qualification accepted by professional bodies in the UK) for membership).

**It is possible to change between some of these courses at appropriate times.**

We also provide Post Graduate courses in Homeopathy and Iridology, as well as seminars and workshops on a range of related subjects.

(Application form details are below or you can now apply on-line using the link below and following the online screen instructions  
[Click here to Apply Online Now](#) )



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### CPH APPLICATION FORM

Please tick as appropriate: Full-time ( ) Part-time ( ) Post-graduate for  
Medically Qualified ( ) Iridology ( ) Distance E learning ( ) Foundation ( )

*Please complete in **black ink***

Name (Please print) \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

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Home Tel No \_\_\_\_\_ Work Tel No \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile No. \_\_\_\_\_ Nationality \_\_\_\_\_ Mother Tongue \_\_\_\_\_

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Please give details of any related studies previously attended:

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Please give details of your education:

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Please state your reasons for wanting to become a Homoeopathic Practitioner:

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**Not sure which course to choose?  
We look forward to Meeting you at A CPH  
Discovery Day.**



Before you decide which is the best college/course for you we recommend that you discuss your individual needs through with **Ellen Kramer, our Course Director**. You can do this by:

- Attending a **Discovery Day** (approx. 3 hours - recommended if you are UK/London based). This is a chance for you to get to know us and what we can offer you as a student. **Ellen** will introduce you to what the college stands for and how it can help you become a successful practitioner. You will then have an opportunity to sit in on lectures (in term time only). Afterwards you will be able to meet with our students and let them tell you first-hand what it is like to study here. You will have ample opportunity to ask questions

**OR**

- A **free personal career consultation by appointment** (by phone or email)

**OR**

- Sitting in on classes (by appointment)

**Please contact Tessa, our Administrator on 0208 445 6123**

**Or email: [tessa@collegeofpracticalhomeopathy.com](mailto:tessa@collegeofpracticalhomeopathy.com)**

You can now register online for the next free Discovery Day by using the link below <http://college-of-practical-homeopathy.com/discovery-day-events.html> or post the completed slip (below:

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**Please book me into a CPH Discovery Day:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Tel No: \_\_\_\_\_ Tel Work (or mobile): \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

DD - First Choice Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Second Choice Date: \_\_\_\_\_

And we will confirm your booking ASAP.



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CPH is the **only college in London** to have its own premises for teaching, clinics, office and seminar facilities **in the one building** thus making it a genuine community of student homeopaths. This makes a huge difference to morale and enthusiasm with students and staff able to meet and communicate outside of the formal classroom situation. It also allows us to have a functional and available homeopathic library and resources centre with books, computerised repertories and a broadband internet connection for research, all available to students in one college campus location.

Location is an important concern, (albeit secondary to the quality of the course) when it comes to choosing a college to study at. Our premises in North Finchley, benefit from good 'accessibility' (buses, tube, north circular, M1, M25 and **plenty of low cost parking close to the college which is outside of the congestion zone.**

**How to find the College:**

- The College of Practical Homeopathy is located above the Santander (ex Abbey) Bank at 760 High Road, North Finchley, London N12 9QH.
- If you are coming by public transport, the nearest tube station is Woodside Park on the Northern Line. Upon leaving the station, walk straight up Woodside Park Road until you get to the High Road. Turn right and go approximately 2 blocks until you see the Santander Bank on your left. We are on the second floor above the bank.
- North Finchley Bus Station is very nearby and is serviced by the following buses 82, 125, 134, 221, 260 and 263.
- If you are coming by car, you will find ample car parks in the area. The best car park to use is in Stanhope Road (2nd car park on the right) - **£3.50 all day** – free on Sundays - you will need £1 coins and must leave ticket showing clearly or can pay by text or card.

**Call Tessa on 0208 445 6123  
For further information or to arrange a visit**



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If you are considering becoming a homeopath it is essential that you experience a homeopathic consultation – why not book in as a patient to one of our Low cost student clinics (if you subsequently decide to join the course we will refund the cost of your first consultation!)

**What is so different about our clinics?** - At CPH we **start students in Clinics in the First Year Full Time and Second year Part Time** as clinical experience is the part of the course that integrates all the separate threads of homeopathic and medical (allopathic) learning into a single, solid and reliable therapeutic tool. Clinical training demands qualities of responsibility, integrity, long attention span, stamina, good recall of facts, intuitive grasp and a continually developing holistic understanding. It also requires a suspension of personal beliefs where these can obstruct clear impartial perception of the patient.

CPH student clinics are unique in how much and how fast they allow each individual student to develop their clinical skills. **Unlike the average student clinic, where students spend most of the time observing and trying to guess why the Supervisor chose a particular remedy**, our students not only take cases but also prescribe remedies (under supervision) as long as they can justify why they have chosen a particular method and remedy.

Training at the CPH clinic **is unique in how closely it involves students with real patients**. The presentation and discussion of cases is paced to suit the student's growing abilities and also to give a very hands on experience of what it is like to be in a busy practice. A wide range of clinical experience matures a student very quickly and helps give them the confidence to start in practice with a wide range of cases. A full pharmacy is available at the clinic.

Our **student run clinics** create a powerful and supportive learning environment. They will help you to:

- build confidence and gain experience in a safe and supportive environment
- to network with other students and develop peer support
- recognise your own limits and what to do when you meet them
- feel safe in practice
- learn how to be successful financially as a homeopathic practitioner
- above all enjoy yourself

- Our focus on clinical flexibility makes dealing with even the most difficult cases much easier. Our lengthy experience with this, and the expertise of our clinicians in helping individual students get real learning value out of the clinics, is unique.
- Our Japanese students **also run a clinic for Japanese clients and tutorials in Japanese** at CPH one Friday a month (contact us for details).

**How do I know if a course is really practical?** The best way is to:

1) compare:

- how soon you can be seeing patients
- when can you start prescribing under supervision

2) sit in on student clinics at different colleges

3) talk to final year students and graduates

4) Buy & read 'A Practical Guide to methods of Homeopathic Prescribing' by Ellen Kramer

Then come to CPH !



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## **FAQ.s (Frequently asked questions)**

### **1) What is the difference between registration, accreditation and recognition?**

**1a) Registration** is the term used to describe the status of individual homeopaths.

There are a number of voluntary registers run by professional bodies representing homeopaths. The main ones of these are:

- The Alliance of Registered Homeopaths (ARH)
- The Homeopathic Medical Association (HMA)
- The Society of Homeopaths
- Plus at least five more

At some time in the future there may be a single register and an accrediting system for homeopathic colleges, but there is no agreement between the professional bodies as yet.

**1b) Accreditation** relates to the **status of training providers.**

Homeopathy is currently an unregulated therapy in the UK and there is **no national accreditation system for homeopathic qualifications or course providers.**

*The Society of Homeopaths (which is only one of a number of professional bodies) have run a voluntary recognition programme for course providers **that was purely devised as a route of entry to their register and as such does not apply to any other register.** CPH voluntarily withdrew from this scheme at the end of 2008 in as it was no longer of any benefit and we felt that we should lead the way to the development of **independent accreditation from an independent government recognised body.** CPH continues to lead the way in bringing homeopathic education up to the standards required by students today – any college you consider should be accredited by an independent Ofqual registered body (and not an in house system designed to attract more members). CPH can still join SoH if they wish.*

In January 2009 **CPH became the first homeopathic college to** achieve accreditation by the **British Accreditation Council for Independent Further and Higher Education** (an independent OfQual registered body) until 2013.

**In January 2010 we were the first and only homeopathic college to be validated as an assessment centre for the Vocational Training Charitable Trust (VTCT) – an independent OfQual registered body.**

**In addition we are the only homeopathic college to be recognised by the UKBA as a Tier 4 Highly Trusted Sponsor** is an independent accreditation system recognised by the Government that meets the criteria for acceptance of students from overseas.

In August 2010 the Homeopathic Course Providers Forum (HCPF) **launched the Course Providers Quality Assurance Validation Scheme for its members and CPH was once again the first college to be validated. This scheme is one that is supported by all of the professional bodies involved in homeopathic education and is a product of eight years of hard work in developing a recognition system relevant to the 21<sup>st</sup> Century. This is the foundation of an independent national accreditation system for the future so if you are looking at colleges then check they are registered with HCPF.**

CPH graduates are recognised by all the professional bodies representing homeopaths. We strongly encourage our students to belong to a professional body that they feel represents their needs, initially as student members and then on graduation as full members of the body of their choice.

**1c) So who recognises CPH?** - CPH graduates are recognised by all the professional bodies representing homeopaths. We strongly encourage our students to belong to a professional body, initially as student members and then on graduation as full members of the body of their choice.

**2) Are you considering degree status?** - No – There is no intention for the profession to become degree entry **so treat with caution any claims that it will.** The evidence is that degree level courses are too academic and detract from the vocational nature of becoming a working homeopath and have a very high dropout rate. CPH provides a vocational training and is designed for students who want to be competent and confident to run their own successful practices. There is now only one college currently offering a degree as all the others have closed their doors in 2009.

**3) What if I want to get a degree and be a homeopath?** Our recommendation is to learn how to be a homeopath first. Increasingly students who have started degree courses are transferring to CPH as they realise that a degree will not help in developing them as practitioners – we also have graduates with degrees joining our Foundation Year as they have found it impossible to translate their academic experience into real life. The best option and most cost effective option is to complete our vocational course and then do a part-time one year course (available at a number of Universities) as you will then have practical experience to help put the academic research based study into context and perspective.

**4) Do students receive written course material? CPH prides itself on providing the best course material in the UK** as this allows our students to concentrate on developing the skills necessary to become competent and confident practitioners, and have a complete set of accessible reference material that will support them throughout their working lives. (Many colleges do not provide decent written course material. All the evidence shows that students who have to take notes only get about 3 – 7% of the information and some of that is often misunderstood!).

**5) Should 'class' size matter when choosing a course?** - We believe in 'quality' rather than 'quantity'. Our experience is that large class sizes/ lecture hall approach and trying to get the maximum number of bums on seats does not work for students, **particularly in the first year**. We restrict our class size to 20 maximum as this allows us to get to know our students, gives them time to ask questions, get to know each other and gain a good understanding of basic principles that are essential as building blocks for the rest of the course. Students transferring from other colleges often have to repeat a year because they did not gain a good enough grounding to keep up with our students.

**6) How will I be assessed?** - CPH operates a process of continual assessment. The bulk of this is through casework, and all our graduate cases are externally marked. Students also develop their own materia medica and therapeutics manuals. This means that the standard of our students' work is second to none.

**7) Are there any exams?** - No, CPH uses continuous assessment and students have to meet these requirements before they can progress onto the next year.

**8) If my circumstances change can I move between courses?** - Yes, under certain circumstances and at appropriate times – this is because we run one course provided in different ways. All the courses run the same structured, integrated program.

**9) Are there extra costs involved?** - There are no extra charges for internal clinic days. External clinics/supervision and/or sitting-in time are an extra cost in Years Two, Three and Four since these are not within the College control. External tutorials are offered by a number of independent Homeopaths in and around London and students are encouraged to try these. These tutorials vary in cost from free to £20+ depending on duration and the individual who is giving the tutorial.

**10) Can I join this course if I don't have a computer?** - Yes you can, but we encourage students to become pc proficient as it is an essential skill for running a small business. We use the website to post teaching materials ahead of each weekend and communicate as much as possible by email.

Being able to surf the Web gives you access to a vast alternative and complementary library of information and increasingly sophisticated homeopathic programmes. (Students without a pc can make use of the Resource Centre's pc and we will help them gain the confidence to become computer literate).

**11) I am unhappy with my current course – is it possible to transfer to CPH?**

Unfortunately some students make their decisions about a course providers based primarily on factors such as location and cost rather than the quality of the course (See our information sheet on 'Choosing a homeopathic Course' for more information on this important topic). This can be an expensive mistake and often leads to students dropping out and feeling they have failed, or struggling on and then being unable to practice on graduation. CPH does take students but they may have to repeat a year or start again as they will not normally be able to keep up with our students. If you are unhappy with your course then do not keep thinking it will get better as it rarely does! Come and talk to us.

**11) Are there any grants available?** - We do not provide bursaries or subsidise places. A very few students get local authority discretionary grants, or funding from other charitable organisations in their area. If you **require financial help to study? Then try:**

**'Professional and Career Development Loans** are commercial bank loans that can be used to help pay for work related learning. You can borrow between £300 and £10,000 to help support the cost of up to two years of learning (or three years if it includes one year's relevant unpaid practical work). The Government will pay the interest on the loan while you are learning and for one month afterwards. You will then need to start repaying the loan as you would any other commercial loans product. The loan can be used to pay course fees or other costs such as travel and living expenses. You can also use the loan to supplement other forms of support such as grants or bursaries.

As the Professional and Career Development Loan is a commercial loan product, you should make sure you have investigated all the funding options that may be open to you to ensure you take an informed decision about whether the Loan is right for you.

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**Fees Information**

All fees quoted in £ sterling are for the **Course only**. (They do not include accommodation, living or travel expenses or any other expense). We will accept cheques, postal orders, money transfers and cash. Payment for all courses can be made by cheque or by electronic transfer to our bank account or PAYPAL (credit cards accepted via Paypal only) . **Fees can be paid in two ways** - Full payment in advance (attracts substantial discounts per level/year) **or** Deposit (non returnable) of £500 and payments by Standing Order to complete one month before graduation. Fees stated for attendance course are per annum.

**4 Year Part-time - intake September 2011:** £2625 in full **or** £2725 by deposit and standing order.

**2 year Full time - intake October 2011** *(Please note as this is the only two year course in the UK it represents a considerable saving compared to other provider's 3 year courses -If you add the cost of living whilst studying you will save around £10,000 by choosing to study at CPH and still get a higher quality course).*

**FT Y1** £5200 for **UK /EEA students** in full **or** £5400 by deposit and s/o.

**£5950 for overseas** *(NB: Overseas students requiring a visa to study must pay in full in advance for first year in order to obtain a student visa).*

**Licentiate Diploma by DL (4 Levels – 40 Modules)**

**Method 1 Payment in full** - £2000 in advance for each level

**Method 2 Payment by instalments** - £2400 sterling by paying £500 deposit (covers Modules 1 & 2) and payment via bank transfer or standing order of £237.50 sterling in advance for each of the further 8 Modules.

The other Levels will cost a similar amount each. Students must complete each Level /Module satisfactorily before moving onto the next level.

**Licentiate Diploma for medically qualified personnel (DLdocs) (12 Modules)** £2400 in full (or £2700 by instalments - £500 deposit and then 10 payments in advance of £220.00 for each Module (£2700 in total). (Ask for an DLdocs info pack if you think you meet the requirements).

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**COURSE YEAR (please circle as appropriate)**

**Part time year 1 2 3 4 / Full time year 1 or 2 / Post Graduate Iridology /  
Distance E Learning Course / Docs Post Graduate DL / Foundation Course**

**STANDING ORDER MANDATE**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ **Postcode:** \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone No: \_\_\_\_\_ Bank: \_\_\_\_\_

Branch: **(inc full address)** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

Account No: \_\_\_\_\_ Sort Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Account in the name of: \_\_\_\_\_

Please transfer one payment of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_

And subsequently \_\_\_\_\_ payments of \_\_\_\_\_ per month

to start on the \_\_\_\_\_ and the last payment to be made on

the \_\_\_\_\_ to the account given below:

**Account name: [The College of Practical Homeopathy \(UK\) Ltd](#)**

**Account No: 41367145 Sort Code: 40-03-33 Swift code: MIDLGB22**

**IBAN: GB29MIDL40033341367145**

**HSBC, Angel Islington, 25 Islington High Street, London N1 LJ**

**Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_**

## CPH YEAR PLANNER - September 2011/2012

Sep 11	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
				1	2	3 Clinic	4 Discovery Days – Times 11:30 am – 1:30Pm
	5	6	7	8	9	10 WE1 PT 2/4	11 WE1 PT 2/4
	12	13	14 FT Clinic	15	16	17 WE1 PT 1 /3	18 WE1 PT 1 /3
	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	26	27	28	29	30		

## October 2011

Oct 11	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
						1 <b>Clinic</b>	2 <b>Tutor Workshop 10:30 - 2:00pm</b>
Week 1	3 FT	4 FT	5 FT	6	7	8 WE2 PT 2/4	9 WE2 PT 2/4
Week 2	10 FT	11 FT	12 FT <b>Clinic</b>	13	14	15 WE2 PT 1 /3	16 WE2 PT 1 /3
Week 3	17 FT	18 FT	19 FT	20	21	22 <b>Mentor Workshop 10:30 - 2:00pm</b>	23 <b>Supervisors workshop</b>
	24	25	26	27	28	29	30 <b>Marker Workshop 10:30 - 2:00pm</b>
	31						

**November 2011**

<b>Nov 11</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Sunday</b>
		1	2	3	4	5 <b>Clinic</b>	6
<b>Week 4</b>	7 FT	8 FT	9 FT	10	11	12 WE3 PT 2/4	13 WE3 PT 2/4
<b>Week 5</b>	14 FT	15 FT	16 FT <b>Clinic</b>	17	18	19 WE3 PT 1 /3	20 WE3 PT 1 /3
<b>Week 6</b>	21 FT	22 FT	23 FT	24	25	26	27
	28	29	30				

## December 2011

Dec 11	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
				1	2	3 <b>Clinic</b>	4
<b>Week 7</b>	5 FT	6 FT	7 FT	8	9	10 WE4 PT 2/4	11 WE4 PT 2/4
<b>Week 8</b>	12 FT	13 FT	14 FT <b>Clinic</b>	15	16	17 WE4 PT 1 /3	18 WE4 PT 1 /3
	19	20	21	22	23	24	25 Christmas day
	26 BANK HOLIDAY	27 BANK HOLIDAY	28	29	30	31	

## January 2012

<b>Jan 12</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Sunday</b>
							1
	2 BANK HOLIDAY	3	4	5	6	7 <b>Clinic</b>	8
<b>Week 9</b>	9 FT	10 FT	11 FT	12	13	14 WE5 PT 2/4 Discovery Days – Times 11:30 am – 1:30Pm	15 WE5 PT 2/4
<b>Week 10</b>	16 FT	17 FT	18 FT <b>Clinic</b>	19	20	21 WE5 PT 1 /3	22 WE5 PT 1 /3
<b>Week 11</b>	23 FT	24 FT	25 FT	26	27	28	29
	30	31					

## February 2012

<b>Feb 12</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Sunday</b>
			1	2	3	4 <b>Clinic</b>	5
<b>Week 12</b>	6 FT	7 FT	8 FT	9	10	11 WE6 PT 2/4 Discovery Days – Times 11:30 am – 1:30Pm	12 WE6 PT 2/4
<b>Week 13</b>	13 FT	14 FT	15 FT <b>Clinic</b>	16	17	18 WE6 PT 1 /3	19 WE6 PT 1 /3
<b>Week 14</b>	20 FT	21 FT	22 FT	23	24	25	26
	27	28	29				

### March 2012

Mar 12	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
				1	2	3 <b>Clinic</b>	4
Week 15	5 FT	6 FT	7 FT	8	9	10 WE7 PT 2/4 Discovery Days – Times 11:30 am – 1:30Pm	11 WE7 PT 2/4
Week 16	12 FT	13 FT	14 FT <b>Clinic</b>	15	16	17 WE7 PT 1 /3	18 WE7 PT 1 /3
Week 17	19 FT	20 FT	21 FT	22	23	24	25
	26	27	28	29	30	31	

## April 2012

Apr 12	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
							1
	2	3	4	5	6 Good Friday	7	8 Easter Sunday
	9 Bank Holiday Monday	10	11	12	13	14 <b>Clinic</b>	15
<b>Week 18</b>	16 FT	17 FT	18 FT <b>Clinic</b>	19	20	21 WE8 PT 2/4 Discovery Days – Times 11:30 am – 1:30Pm	22 WE8 PT 2/4
<b>Week 19</b>	23 FT	24 FT	25 FT	26	27	28 WE8 PT 1 /3	29 WE8 PT 1 /3
	30						

## May 2012

May 12	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
		1	2	3	4	5	6
	7 Bank Holiday Monday	8	9	10	11	12 <b>Clinic</b>	13
<b>Week 20</b>	14 FT	15 FT	16 FT <b>Clinic</b>	17	18	19 WE9 PT 2/4 Discovery Days – Times 11:30 am – 1:30Pm	20 WE9 PT 2/4
<b>Week 21</b>	21 FT	22 FT	23 FT	24	25	26 WE9 PT 1 /3	27 WE9 PT 1 /3
	28 Bank Holiday Monday	29	30	31			

## June 2012

Jun 12	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
					1	2	3
Week 22	4 FT	5 FT	6 FT	7	8	9 <b>Clinic</b>	10
Week 23	11 FT	12 FT	13 FT <b>Clinic</b>	14	15	16 WE10 PT 1 /3 Discovery Days – Times 11:30 am – 1:30Pm	17 WE10 PT 1 /3
Week 24	18 FT	19 FT	20 FT	21	22	23 WE10 PT 2/4	24 WE10 PT 2/4 <b>GRADUATION</b>
	25	26	27	28	29	30	

## July 2012

Jul 12	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
							1
	2	3	4 <b>FT Clinic</b>	5	6	7 <b>Clinic</b>	8
	9	10	11	12	13	14 <b>INTRO TO HOM -Times10:00 am - 4:30Pm</b>	15 <b>INTRO TO HOM -Times10:00 am - 4:30Pm</b>
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
	30	31					

## August 2012

<b>Aug 12</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Sunday</b>
			1	2	3	4	5
	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	20	21	22	23	24	25 <b>Discovery Days – Times 11:30 am – 1:30Pm</b>	26
	27	28	29	30	31		