



Alberta Herbalists
association

How to Apply for AHA Professional Membership

Questions? Contact info@albertaherbalists.com

Stream 1: Formal Education	Stream 2: Cultural Education	Stream 3: Informal Education
Certificate/Diploma from a university, college, school or apprentice program	Traditional Cultural Education or Apprenticeship	Informal or Mixed Education
Educational / Proof of Practice Requirements:		
Diploma or certificate consisting of a minimum 1500 hours training: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - min. 500 hours core herbal subjects - min. 350 hours health sciences - min. 350 hours additional complementary subjects - min. 100 hours clinical observation - min. 300 hours clinical practicum 	Accepted upon recommendation of a teacher who is recognized as an authority within the cultural group. A letter with contact information for the elder/teacher will suffice.	Must have practiced as a clinical herbalist for 2 of the past 5 years. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Provide 3 peer practitioner & 3 client references - Provide documentary evidence of training in all relevant fields - You may be required to take an entrance exam with a proctor
Documents Required in Addition to Registration Forms:		
Copy of diploma/certificate from recognized school; <u>OR</u> detailed course list (including # of learning hours per course) & documentation of completed practicum hours with certificate/diploma from unrecognized school or program	Provide a Letter from your elder or teacher ; or the teacher's contact information , for written/verbal assurance of the applicant's qualifications to practice within the tradition of their culture.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - References, as listed above - Documentation of training and practicum hours - Proof of practice as a herbalist (ie. business license, letters from peers, etc.)

**Registration Forms & Further Information can be found at:
www.AlbertaHerbalists.ca**