



American Medical College *of* Homeopathy





Letter from the President

Dear Student:

Those who hear the call to serve humanity as a healer often choose homeopathy as a career. They do so because they perceive that medicine should treat the whole person in a safe and gentle way that works with the body's innate healing potential.

At AMCH, we provide a collaborative, inspiring learning environment that provides a solid foundation for practice. We have a community of exceptional and dedicated healers and a student-oriented faculty.

Our programs consist of a doctoral program in homeopathic medicine (campus-based and online), combined degree research program, dual degree oriental medicine program, acute care program, distance learning programs, and finally a green medicine distance learning program.

We offer both high quality academic and clinical education. Central to our philosophy is clinical training that comprises much of our curriculum. We also place strong value on individualized learning, humanism, self-awareness and community as integral parts of the education of being a healer.

We invite you to explore your options and consider the benefits of choosing AMCH as the path to your future in alternative medicine. I congratulate you for embarking on a stimulating journey toward a rewarding career serving humanity through homeopathic medicine.

Warmly,
Todd Rowe, MD, MD(H), CCH, DHT



Mission and Vision

*Homeopathy
cures a larger
percentage of
cases than any
other method of
treatment and is
beyond all doubt
safer and more
economical
and the most
complete medical
science.*

*—Mahatma
Ghandi*

VISION

The vision of the American Medical College of Homeopathy is to provide the highest standard of education in homeopathic medicine, which transforms health care and improves the quality of life.

MISSION

The mission of the American Medical College of Homeopathy is:

- To provide homeopathic students with the knowledge and skills essential to the practice of homeopathic medicine
- To inculcate homeopathic students with the fundamental attitudes of compassionate, humanistic patient care
- To promote in homeopathic students a spirit and desire for lifelong independent learning and scholarship
- To engender nationally recognized leadership in homeopathic research
- To contribute to the well-being of the citizens of Arizona and the nation through the delivery of environmentally sustainable medicine and excellence in homeopathic patient care



Core Values

*Do it
to learn.*

*Do it
for the joy of it.*

*Do it
for homeopathy.*

*Do it
for all life.*

Do it!

*—Tina Kjohlde
AMCH Student*

RESPECT FOR THE INDIVIDUAL

We recognize and honor the uniqueness, diversity and learning style of each individual. We respect and value the common experiences that bring us together.

COMMITMENT TO EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP

AMCH is committed to becoming a national leader in homeopathic education. Good leadership liberates the mind from prejudice and opens the door for a lifelong journey of learning. It establishes academic excellence and provides a nurturing environment where students feel free to fully develop. Our teachers' energy and enthusiasm kindles a love of learning that is transformative for their students.

COMMUNITY BUILDERS

We prepare students to be life-long contributing members of their communities. Our collaborative environment fosters constructive conflict resolution and cultural sensitivity. Students learn to relate to the natural world and develop a connection with all life.

OPEN MINDEDNESS AND SELF AWARENESS

We encourage students to develop self-awareness, to remove obstacles to their learning and to care for themselves. Our goal is to guide this self-observation in a non-judgmental manner. This gentle approach and freedom from bias leads students to become true healers.

DEDICATION TO SUCCESS

We are dedicated to the success of our programs and community. At the heart of this is dedication to the success of our students.





What is Homeopathic Medicine

*There have
been two great
revelations in
my life. The
first was bepop,
the second was
homeopathy.*

*—Dizzy
Gillespie*

WHAT IS HOMEOPATHY?

Homeopathy is a form of alternative medicine that is holistic, scientifically based, safe to use, inexpensive and can cure chronic disease. It is a system of medicine that is unique and different from other therapies like herbal medicine, acupuncture, nutritional medicine and mind-body medicine.

It was founded by Samuel Hahnemann over 200 years ago, although the principles on which it is based have been utilized in healing for thousands of years. Homeopathic remedies work through activating the body's own powers of self regulation and self-healing. Since its inception, homeopathy has benefited people from all walks of life and of any age, in countries all over the world.

An important principle in homeopathy is that each of us is unique. The same diet, the same advice and the same homeopathic remedy will not necessarily help everyone with the same disease. Homeopathy treats the individual and not the disease. Through striving to find the unique remedy that fits the individual, the door is unlocked to their own self healing.





*“A homeopath
must observe
like a physician,
listen with the
ear of a psychol-
ogist, use the
compassion of a
priest, wonder
like a philoso-
pher, be detail-
minded like a
scientist, intuit
like an artist, dig
like a detective
and contemplate
like a mystic.”*

*-Kathryn Kerr
(homeopathic
student)*

Have you considered a career in homeopathy?

Did you know homeopathy is the fastest growing form of alternative medicine in the world today? As it is making its way into the United States, this is a golden opportunity to consider a career in Homeopathy. More so than before, people are now seeking an effective and affordable form of treatment that produces long term results without being toxic, invasive, or having adverse side effects.

Homeopathic medicine is one of the most green forms of medicine on the planet. Green Medicine recognizes the link between the environment, medicine and human health and seeks to provide better health care while protecting our limited environmental and medical resources. Homeopathic education is also designed to be green. It focuses on a holistically-based training that is individualized and sustainable.

The American Medical College of Homeopathy is hosting open houses for all interested individuals to meet with the faculty, to discuss the curriculum and the new class starting in February 2011. To RSVP for the upcoming open houses (attended either in person or online), call 602-347-7950 or info@AMCofH.org.





Our Programs

AMCH offers a variety of programs ranging from introductory to a full time homeopathic medical school.

PROGRAM	AVERAGE LENGTH	PRACTICE TYPE	ONLINE
Acute Care	40 Hours	Acute Care Practitioner; Integrative Practitioner	No
Distance Learning	24–40 Hours	Acute Care Practitioner; Integrative Practitioner	Yes
Doctor of Hahnemannian Principles*	4280 Hours	Doctoral Level Homeopathic Practitioner	Yes
Introductory	2–3 Hours	Casual Practitioner	Yes
Preceptorships	5–160 Hours	Integrative Practitioner	No

*The program title has been proposed to be changed to Doctor of Homeopathic Medicine in the next year.

This has been an interesting and educational experience. Before this month I barely knew what homeopathy was, and I am very happy that I had this opportunity to learn. I appreciate your guidance and I hope that many more healthcare providers take the time to educate themselves about homeopathy. I wish you the best.

—Stace Crupi, 4th Year Student, Midwestern Osteopathic University



Convenience and Flexibility

“The class is designed for someone with no prior knowledge of homeopathic medicine.”

“My only complaint about the class is that I wish there was more.”

“I thoroughly enjoyed this course.”



ONLINE OPTIONS

AMCH offers many of its programs in online formats. This reduces travel costs and travel stress for participating students. Students in the doctoral program participate in a synchronous online program where they interact with instructors and campus based students in real time.

PAYMENT OPTIONS

AMCH offers a variety of payment options and limited financial aid for its students. Please contact the Office of Financial Affairs (602-347-7950; accounts@AMCofH.org). We also offer limited work study positions.

VETERANS TUITION REIMBURSEMENT

Many veterans are eligible for tuition reimbursement. Please contact the Department of Veteran's Affairs for more information about eligibility (www.gibill.va.gov/ or call 602-255-5395).

FLEXIBLE SCHEDULE AND CURRICULUM

We offer an option for doctoral students to complete the program at a more leisurely pace in six years rather than four. In addition, we offer elective time so that students can structure their program to meet their individualized needs.



AMCH Medical Center

*My homeopathic
remedy kit goes
everywhere with
me and my Girl
Scout troop
knows I can take
care of many of
their ailments
when we are on
campouts and
fun trips.*

*—Stefanie
Workman,
MD, MD(H)*

The AMCH Medical Center offers multi-disciplinary primary medical care for common, serious and chronic health conditions for the entire family. The staff of homeopathic practitioners treat patients of all ages using a variety of natural alternative for healing, treatment of chronic and acute medical conditions and staying well.

In addition to the services available at the Medical Center, The AMCH Pharmacy and Bookstore are located adjacent to the Medical Center. The Pharmacy is the largest homeopathic pharmacy in Arizona and provides professional quality homeopathic medicines at both prescription and non-prescription levels.

Homeopathic medicine is integrated into all aspects of treatment at the AMCH Medical Center. Patients are treated on all levels of their being, including physical, emotional mental and spiritual dimensions. It is the presentation of the disease by the patient, rather than the disease itself (patient-centered medicine) which become the focus of treatment.

Clinical training is a central part of education at the American Medical College of Homeopathy. We believe that clinical training is the most effective method of learning. We begin clinical training in the first week of class and it continues throughout the program. Clinical training is designed to help the student bridge the gap between classroom education and practice. Our goal is to prepare students to be comfortable practicing independently by the time that they graduate. The focus of the clinics are on building observation and perception skills, case taking, case analysis and case management.





Admissions

*The doctors role
is to entertain
the patient while
they get better.*

—Marcel Proust

Please contact us for more information about admissions to AMCH programs at info@AMCofH.org (602-347-7950) or visit the admissions section of our website at www.amcofh.org/Admissions. Contact us to have an introductory packet sent to you in the mail or if you would like to speak to a school admissions representative.

APPLYING TO AMCH

Applying is easy. Download the application form or contact us as above to receive an application in the mail. Doctoral applicants have the option of applying for the full program, advanced standing or dual programs in either oriental medicine or research.

Truly great teachers not only impart knowledge, but call you to grow your character, inspire and encourage you to exceed your own expectations, and lead by example. Dr Rowe embodies what it is to be a great teacher, and he manages to do this with the grace, compassion and insight of a skilled healer. He is a rare find indeed.

Thank you, Todd, for all you have brought to me and our community.

—Melanie Chimes MD, MD(H), CCH



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LEGAL STATUS, LICENSURE & ACCREDITATION

AMCH is a tax-exempt, 501c3 non-profit corporation. AMCH has been licensed by the Arizona State Board for Private Postsecondary Education since 2000 and its doctoral program currently has a Provisional Degree-granting license. AMCH was granted full accreditation through the Council for Homeopathic Education, the accrediting agency for homeopathic programs in the United States (not an accrediting agency recognized by the US Department of Education) for its campus based Certificate Programs. For additional information please contact the Council for Homeopathic Education at 101 South Whiting Street, Alexandria, VA 22304; 212-560-7136; 212-737-2489 fax; chedu.org@gmail.com; www.CHEDU.org. For information regarding the requirements for state licensure and the practice of homeopathic medicine please contact the Arizona Homeopathic Board of Medical Examiners, 1400 W. Washington, Room 230, Phoenix AZ 85007; 602-542-3095. Students are subject to the most recent catalog and not the catalog that they entered the program under.

AMCH was granted approval by the Arizona Department of Veterans' Services, Office of Veterans' Education, also known as the State Approving Agency. For more information, please refer to the following website: <http://www.gibill.va.gov/> or the State of Arizona Department of Veterans' Services Education Division, 3225 North Central Avenue, Suite 316, Phoenix, Arizona 85012. (602) 255-5395.

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY STATEMENT & AMERICAN DISABILITIES ACT

AMCH, in compliance with state and federal laws and regulations, does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, sexual orientation, marital status, age, disability, or veteran's status in any of its policies, procedures, or practices. This nondiscrimination policy covers admission and access to, and treatment and employment in, College programs and activities, including but not limited to academic admissions, financial aid, educational services, and employment.

AMCH does not discriminate against individuals with disabilities. Under the American with Disabilities Act (ADA) and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, individuals with disabilities are guaranteed certain protections and rights of equal access to programs or services. AMCH makes every effort to arrange services and accommodations to any student, who can document a disability. It is the students' responsibility to identify themselves as having a disability by contacting school administration.

AMCH is fully compliant with HIPAA regulations and privacy rules (Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act) in all of its clinical practices.



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