Certification Board for Music Therapists
Self-Assessment Examination Bibliography

The reference list provided here is not intended to be all-inclusive. Rather, it is designed to familiarize you with some textbooks and reference materials available for practicing music therapists. The items listed are divided according to the major sections of the CBMT Board Certification Domains. The inclusion of books, periodicals, and other materials in this bibliography is not intended to be an endorsement or recommendation for such materials by the CBMT. Candidates may also want to become familiar with issues and topics covered regularly in the Journal of Music Therapy and Music Therapy Perspectives.

I. Safety: 5 items
“Universal Precautions” as defined by CDC – Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

II. Referral, Assessment, Interpretation of Assessment and Treatment Planning: 35 items

III. Treatment Implementation and Documentation: 68 items
IV. Evaluation and Termination of Treatment: 10 items

V. Professional Development and Responsibilities: 12 items