

CONTINUING MUSIC THERAPY EDUCATION (CMTE)

CMTE OPTIONS OVERVIEW

All Continuing Music Therapy Education (CMTE) Options Must Relate to the [2025 Board Certification Domains](#)

CMTE Options	Required Documentation	Credit Amount	Allowable Credits
Workshops/Courses/Conferences/Independent Learning			
*Approved Provider Opportunities	Certificate of Completion	1 Credit per 50 Minutes	100
*Graduate Courses	**Written Summary Official Transcript	10 Credits per 1 Quarter Hour 15 Credits per 1 Semester Hour	100
*Mentored Self-Study	CMTE Program Plan CMTE Final Evaluation	1 Credit per 50 Minutes for Mentor *1 Credit per 50 Minutes for Mentee	50 for Mentor 100 for Mentee
Attendance at AMTA National and Regional Conference	Certificate of Attendance	5 Credits per Regional 5 Credits per National	50
*Concurrent Sessions at AMTA National and Regional Conference	Proof of Attendance	1 Credit per 50 Minutes	100
*Read and Analyze Current Professional Publications	**Written Summary Full Citation Date Reading Completed	2 Credits per Journal Article 2 Credits per Book Chapter	100
*Other Continuing Education Opportunities	**Written Summary Proof of Completion Date Completed Proof of Duration	1 Credit per 50 Minutes	100
	Official Transcript for Undergraduate Courses	20 Credits per Course	100
Presentations			
Workshop, course, concurrent session, research poster, legislative testimony, round table, specialized digital media, specialized interview, or symposium to a professional audience	**Written Summary Proof of Development, Delivery and Duration	5 Credits for 15-49 Minutes of Delivery 10 Credits for 50-149 Minutes of Delivery 30 Credits for Equal to or More Than 150 Minutes of Delivery	100
Music Therapy Student Supervision			
Practicum Student and Intern	Verification from Music Therapy University or Facility Coordinator	5 Credits per Practicum Student 10 Credits per Intern	50

*Options eligible for ethics requirement credits.

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Publications/Writings			
Book (Author and/or Editor)	**Written Summary Full Citation Published Title Page Copyright Page	50 Credits per Book Chapter 50 Credits per Self-Published Book 100 Credits per Third-Party Published Book	100
Music Composition	**Written Summary Musical Score Audio Recording	5 Credits per Composition	50
Grant Awards	**Written Summary Letter of Award	10 Credits for Less than \$5,000 30 Credits for Equal to or Greater than \$5,000	100
Non-Peer-Reviewed Professional Publication	**Written Summary Full Citation	10 Credits per Article	50
Peer-Reviewed Professional Publication (Masked Review)	**Written Summary Full Citation	50 Credits per Article	100
Graduate Capstone, Thesis, or Dissertation	**Written Summary Certifying Documentation	50 Credits for Capstone 80 Credits for Thesis 100 Credits for Dissertation	100
Professional Development			
Develop a New AMTA Academic Program	Letter of Program Approval from AMTA	100 Credits per Academic Program	100
Establish a Music Therapy Internship	Verification from University or AMTA Approval Letter	30 Credits per University-Affiliated 50 Credits per National Roster	100
Service to Music Therapy Profession	**Written Summary Verification of Time from Chair or Executive Officer	1 Credit per 50 Minutes	50

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