

**Massage Therapy Foundation Key Message Points**

**Research:**

* **Research Grants** that investigate the benefits of massage therapy in areas like chronic pain, muscle injuries, and cancer recovery.
* **International Massage Therapy Research Conference (IMTRC)** that educates practitioners about the research process and provide an opportunity to disseminate current massage research.
* **International Journal of Therapeutic Massage & Bodywork**: Research, Education, & Practice (IJTMB). A free, on-line peer-reviewed publication covering research, education and practice. Subscribe at [www.ijtmb.org](file:///%5C%5CAMTARES%5CFoundation%5C01%20Development%5CChapters%5CPresentation%20in%20a%20Box%5Cwww.ijtmb.org).
* **Research Perch** podcast series designed to help you learn how to use massage therapy research in your practice, and exploring articles from *ITJMB*, as well as other past and present research.
* **Research articles** thatallow readers to explore the science behind massage therapy.

**Community Service:**

* **Community Service Grants** that deliver massage to underserved populations all over the world.
* **Case Report Webinar Series** which highlights case report essentials and writing processes, making it easy for you to write your own case report.

**Education:**

* **E-Newletters** that inform you about current industry research, events and opportunities.
* **Education** that teaches skills to locate, interpret, evaluate, and apply research findings for the benefit of clients.
* **Massage Therapy Foundation free eBooks** that offer resources for use in education, research, teaching and learning.
* **Student Case Report** contest that enhance professional development and research skills.
* **Research literacy courses**
* **Poster/abstract submissions**
* **Student and teacher research tools**
* **Educational blog posts**

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