



QUALIFYING TRAINING COURSES FOR ART THERAPISTS IN THE UK

In order to work as an Art Therapist in the UK, it is mandatory to possess the post-graduate MA/MSc in Art Therapy or Art Psychotherapy validated by the **Health and Care Professions Council (HCPC)**. Applicants for art therapy training is often graduates in Art and Design but qualified teachers, social workers, psychologists and other professionals with a commitment to the practice of the visual arts are also considered.

PLEASE CONTACT THE RELEVANT ESTABLISHMENT FOR COURSE INFORMATION AND ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Validated courses are in the following locations (listed alphabetically):

**Chester;
Derby;
Edinburgh;
Hatfield (Hertfordshire);
London (Goldsmiths);
London (Roehampton);
London (IATE);
Sheffield;
Wales (Newport).**

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EDINBURGH

QUEEN MARGARET UNIVERSITY, EDINBURGH

School of Health Sciences

Queen Margaret University Drive, Musselburgh,

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Occupational Therapy and Arts Therapies

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HERTFORDSHIRE

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Art Psychotherapist (HCPC) (BAAT) (HPCSA).

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LONDON

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LONDON

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LONDON

THE INSTITUTE FOR ARTS IN THERAPY AND EDUCATION (IATE)

MA in Integrative Arts Psychotherapy

<http://www.artpsychotherapy.org/courses/masters/ma-integrative-arts.html>

Leading to UKCP & HPC Registration as an Art Psychotherapist (after Diploma in The Therapeutic & Educational Application of the Arts)

Monday attendance for 2 years, then once a month for the final qualifying year. Some weekend / additional components.

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SHEFFIELD

ART THERAPY NORTHERN PROGRAMME

MA Art Psychotherapy Practice

Sheffield Health and Social Care NHS Trust in partnership with Leeds Beckett University

Netherthorpe House, 101 Netherthorpe Road, Sheffield S3 7EZ

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Website: <http://www.shsc.nhs.uk/training-and-courses/art-therapy-northern-programme>

WALES

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