



International Association of Infant Massage

Infant Massage Instructor

To be certified you must...

Next training session

Ottawa

March 17, 18, 19 and 20, 2009

**Co-trained by International Trainers
Sylvie Hétu and Françoise Lefebvre**

The cost of the training is 550\$ plus taxes. It includes the current year membership with the Canada chapter of the IAIM and 2 books.

Please fill out both sides of the registration form and add two letters of recommendation, describing your skills for teaching infant massage.

Send your package at least 3 weeks before the start of the training session.

Please note that the balance of the payment will be due the first morning of the training session.

The cost does not include transportation, lodging or meals.

1. Send the registration form with a \$100 deposit (\$50 administration fees are non refundable) and your letters of recommendation. Once accepted, a welcome package will follow with relevant information about the training session.
2. Attend the four-days training session and complete the required readings: one (1) book on child development*.
3. Successfully complete the take-home exam, within 3 months of the training session conclusion.
4. Lead 5 families with their babies through the program. Parents are required to complete a brief evaluation form.

You will receive your certificate and will become a member of the Association after satisfactory completion of all the above steps.

The cost of this training includes one copy of the "Manual for infant Massage Instructors", one copy of "Infant massage a handbook for loving parents" written by our founder Vimala McClure, a bottle of massage oil and the current year membership to the International Association of Infant Massage.

*highly recommended readings:
"Touch Points" by T. Berry Brazelton
"Touching" by Ashley Montagu,
"Touch Therapy" and "Touch" by Tiffany Field.

I wish to register for the following training:

Location: _____

Dates: _____

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Your trainers

Françoise Lefebvre

Françoise is a Certified Infant Massage Instructor and an International trainer with the International Association of Infant Massage. She has been teaching infant massage since 1988, working with families of various backgrounds, including families facing challenging situations.

Mother of three children, she also has more than 25 years experience working as an early childhood educator. For 10 years she also taught arts and ceramics.

She holds a Doula certificate (Conestoga College), she also volunteered to help mothers with breast-feeding problems.

She has developed a program called "Attention" to help children with learning challenges and helping parents and professional to understand the learning process.

She was awarded "Hero of the month" from Today's Parents Magazine, Oct. 2007.

She currently holds the President position for the Canada chapter of the International Association of Infant Massage.

She frequently leads infant massage instructors training sessions in Canada and in Europe since 1997.

Sylvie Hétu

Sylvie Hétu is a Certified Infant Massage instructor with the international association of Infant Massage since 1983 and an international trainer since 1989, training instructors all over the world. She is also a current member of the IAIM International Education Committee, responsible of training Trainers.

She pioneered the work of IAIM in Canada and has been the international president for 12 years (1992-2004).

She is the mother of three children. She has a BSc in Education (pre-school and primary teacher) and is a qualified Steiner teacher. She has worked as a teacher in schools and in a day care centre.

She runs parents lectures and workshops in education.

She is the author of the book "*The song of a child*" (2004)

Along with her colleague from Sweden, Mia Elmsäter, she is the co-founder of the Massage in Schools Programme (MISP) for children 4 to 12 years old.

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Registration form

Name (Last, First): _____

Address: _____

Postal code: _____

Telephone: Home: (_____)

Work: (_____)

E-mail (please print): _____

Relevant work or personal experience (If you have a resume please include it)

Why do you want to teach infant massage?

Please cut out this portion and return it to the sponsor