



# TCM School Meeting

June 12, 2020



# 2020 PCE Examinations Application

- ◆ Deadline: July 15, 2020
- ◆ OCT and DEC 2020 Examinations
  - same application form
  - same application period
- ◆ Mailed Application ONLY
- ◆ Payment change





# OCT 2020 PCE Examination

- ◇ Dates at CTCMA website
- ◇ All applicants will be set as the 1<sup>st</sup> attempt – no upgrading program is required
- ◇ Conditional Approval – clinical training hours due to COVID-19
- ◇ Candidate Handbook + Application Guide
- ◇ APRIL 2021 will be the next examination



# DEC 2020 PCE Clinical Retaking

- ◆ Last Paper – based Examination
- ◆ Retaking only
- ◆ Upgrading program is required if applicable
- ◆ Either OCT 2020 examination or DEC 2020 Clinical Retaking
- ◆ Failed candidate – no APR 2021 PCE Examinations (Marking takes longer time)





# Examination Eligibility

- ◇ Graduation from TCM program
- ◇ 2-year education
  - ◇ Official transcripts and ICES report or equivalent
  - ◇ Official Prior Learning Assessment Recognition (PLAR) Report, including the program plan, and transfer/challenge/PLAR record; and
  - ◇ Official Transfer Credit Records (e.g. transcripts, summary or other documentation)
- ◇ TCM Education
  - ◇ Official Transcript for TCM education completed within Canada
  - ◇ Basic ICES report for TCM education completed outside of Canada (with a copy of transcript attached)
- ◇ Complete application before the deadline

(CTCMA Bylaw s. 55.1)



# Useful Information

- ◆ Examination Application form available at <https://www.ctcma.bc.ca/media/1914/2020-pce-application-form.pdf>
- ◆ Examination Application Guide <https://www.ctcma.bc.ca/media/1906/2020-pan-canadian-entry-level-examinations-application-guide.pdf>
- ◆ Examination Candidate Handbook <https://carb-tcmpa.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/CARB-TCMPA-Candidate-Handbook.pdf>
- ◆ Any questions? [registration@ctcma.bc.ca](mailto:registration@ctcma.bc.ca)





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Thank you //

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