

Daoist Traditions College: Curriculum for Master of Acupuncture and Herbal Medicine students (2028 graduates)

MAHM: Year 1

Semester 1: Fall 2024				Credits	Hours	Notes
CM501	Intro to CM & Qi Gong	1.00	15.00	S		
CM503	CM Theory	3.00	45.00			
CM504	Meridian Overview	2.00	30.00			
CM505	Adjunct Techniques	2.00	30.00			
CM521	An Introduction to Healing	0.40	6.00	I		
HM501	Introduction to Herb Cultivation	1.00	15.00	S		
HM502	Herbal Medicine 1	4.00	60.00			
WM501	Anatomy and Physiology 1	3.00	45.00			
WM503	Surface Anatomy	1.00	15.00			
CS501	Learning Resources & Info Literacy	0.50	7.50	DE		
CS503	Professionalism and Comm	0.50	7.50	S		
CS504	Medical Chinese	1.00	15.00			
CS505	Mindfulness & Healing Presence	0.50	7.50			
CS506	Legal and Safety Standards	0.50	7.50	DE		
CP501	Qi Gong 1	0.40	12.00			
OB502	Clinical Observation 1	1.30	39.00			
Semester Total:		22.10	357.00			
Cumulative Total:		22.10	357.00			

Semester 2: Spring 2025				Credits	Hours	Notes
CM515	CM Diagnosis and Differentiation	3.00	45.00			
CM507	Pulse Diagnosis	1.00	15.00	I		
CM509	Point Location 1	2.00	30.00			
CM510	Point Energetics 1	3.00	45.00			
CM604	Tui Na	2.00	30.00			
HM503	Herbal Medicine 2	4.00	60.00			
WM502	Anatomy and Physiology 2	3.00	45.00			
CP504	Qi Gong 2	0.40	12.00			
OB504	Clinic Observation 2	1.20	36.00			
Semester Total:		19.60	318.00			
Cumulative Total:		41.70	675.00			

MAHM: Year 2

Semester 3: Fall 2025				Credits	Hours	Notes
CM511	Five Elements 1	1.00	15.00	I		
CM601	Point Location 2	2.00	30.00			
CM602	Point Energetics 2	3.00	45.00			
CM605	Needling Techniques	2.00	30.00			
CM606	Treatment of Disease 1	3.00	45.00	DE		
HM603	Herbal Medicine 3	4.00	60.00			
WM804	Orthopedic Essentials	2.00	30.00			
WM602	Medical Ethics	2.00	30.00			
CP601	Qi Gong 3	0.40	12.00			
OB601	Clinic Observation 3	1.20	36.00			
Semester Total:		20.60	333.00			
Cumulative Total:		62.30	1008.00			

Semester 4: Spring 2026				Credits	Hours	Notes
CM608	Treatment of Disease 2	3.00	45.00	DE		
CM610	Clinical Preparation	2.00	30.00			
CM617	Five Elements 2	1.00	15.00	I		
CM618	Advanced Needling Tech	2.00	30.00			
CM609	Microsystems & Techniques	2.00	30.00			
HM604	Herbal Medicine 4	4.00	60.00			
WM601	Physical Exam Techniques	2.00	30.00			
WM631	Introduction to Pharmacology	2.00	30.00			
CP604	Qi Gong 4	0.40	12.00			
OB602	Clinic Observation 4	1.30	39.00			
Semester Total:		19.70	321.00			
Cumulative Total:		82.00	1329.00			

MAHM: Year 3

Semester 5: Fall 2026				Credits	Hours	Notes
CM612	Eight Extra Channels	2.00	30.00			
CM701	Clinical Case Review 1	1.00	15.00	DE		
CM707	Sinew Meridians	2.00	30.00	I,S		
CM802	Advanced Pulse Diagnosis	1.00	15.00	I,S		
HM701	Patent Medicines	2.00	30.00	DE		
HM703	CM Food Therapy	2.00	30.00			
HM805	Field Botany	1.00	15.00	I		
WM702	Pathology & Pharmacology 1	3.00	45.00			
WM703	Research and Statistics	2.00	30.00	DE		
CS701	Practice Management 1	1.00	15.00	DE		
CP701	Qi Gong 5	0.40	12.00			
IN701	Internship 1	5.33	160.00			
Semester Total:		22.73	427.00			
Cumulative Total:		104.73	1756.00			

Semester 6: Spring 2027				Credits	Hours	Notes
CM702	Clinical Case Review 2	1.00	15.00	DE		
CM711	Divergent Meridians	2.00	30.00			
CM806	Pediatrics	0.67	10.00	DE		
CM811	Longitudinal Luo	2.00	30.00			
HM706	Essential Oils	2.00	30.00			
HM808	Pediatric HM	0.33	5.00	DE		
WM704	Pathology & Pharmacology 2	3.00	45.00			
WM705	Western Diagnostic Studies	2.00	30.00			
WM807	Psychology and Psychiatry	2.00	30.00			
CP704	Qi Gong 6	0.40	12.00			
IN702	Internship 2	3.33	100.00			
Semester Total:		18.73	337.00			
Cumulative Total:		123.47	2093.00			

MAHM: Year 4

Semester 7: Fall 2027

		Credits	Hours	Notes
CM801	Clinical Case Review 3	1.00	15.00	DE
CM805	Gynecology	2.00	30.00	DE
HM705	Western Herbalism	1.00	15.00	
HM801	Herbal Preparations	2.00	30.00	I,S
WM803	Pathology & Pharmacology 3	2.00	30.00	
WM809	Western Nutrition	2.00	30.00	
CS802	Practice Management 2	2.00	30.00	DE
CP801	Qi Gong 7	0.40	12.00	
IN801	Internship 3	9.00	270.00	
Semester Total:		21.40	462.00	
Cumulative Total:		144.87	2555.00	

Semester 8: Spring 2028

		Credits	Hours	Notes
CM703	Acu/CM Foundations Comp Review	3.00	45.00	
CM803	Clinical Case Review 4	1.00	15.00	DE
HM802	Herbal Comprehensive Review	3.00	45.00	
WM801	Bio-Medicine Comp Review	3.00	45.00	
CP804	Qi Gong 8	0.40	12.00	
IN802	Internship 4	7.60	228.00	
Semester Total:		18.00	390.00	
Cumulative Total:		162.87	2945.00	

Total MAHM Program Hours

Category	Total Credits	Total Hours
Acupuncture & Chinese Medicine	59.1	886.0
Herbal Medicine	30.3	455.0
Western Medicine	34.0	510.0
Complementary Studies	6.0	90.0
Cultivation Practice	3.2	96.0
Total Didactic:	132.6	2037.0
Clinical Observation	5.0	150.0
Clinical Internship	25.3	758.0
Total Clinical:	30.3	908.0
Total MAHM enrollment program:	162.9	2945.0

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Notes on Curriculum:

- Semester 1 = 17 weeks; Semesters 2 -8 = 16 weeks
- Didactic courses 1cr = 15hrs / Clinical (OB, IN) & Cultivation Practice (CP) courses 1cr = 30hrs
- Clinical Observation and Internship sessions may require additional days per week.
- Classes marked with "I" are intensive format. Class formats may change.
- Classes marked with "S" are summer classes. Class schedules may change.
- Classes marked with "DE" are distanced education courses. Modality may change.

