Langara Registered Massage Therapy Program Admission Questions

Answer each of the 12 questions and sub-sections - no bullet points.

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- 1. Explain why you are a good fit for becoming a Registered Massage Therapist.
 - Include both why and how you came to decide to study this field of healthcare.
- 2. How would both your friends, and your past teachers, describe you?
 - What areas for personal growth and professional development would they identify?
- 3. Describe difficulties/challenges that you may experience both academically and professionally in the field of massage therapy.
 - Include why you think this would be the case, and how you plan to address these challenges.
- 4. Describe your personal experiences with massage therapy and your conclusions about your experience.
- 5. Based on discussions in the Intro to Massage course, please answer the following questions:
 - What are wonderful things about being an RMT?
 - What are some of the challenges about being an RMT?
 - Describe the plans and support systems you have in place to help you succeed in RMT school/training.
- 6. ***Explain how the Registered Massage profession is governed in the province of BC.
- 7. Describe your learning experience with post-secondary education, and college level anatomy and physiology (A&P) courses.
 - What academic achievement has made you the most confident?
 - What setbacks, disappointments, or frustrations have you experienced in school and how did you handle them?
 - Describe a time you did not get along with a classmate or instructor.

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- 8. Describe personality / learning characteristics that you have, that will carry you through an intense, accelerated program and the BC Provincial RMT registration exams.
- 9. What made you choose the RMT Program at Langara College?
 - Were you able to go to other schools to compare programs?
 - What is the most important thing to you about the RMT Program you attend?
 - If you attended another BC massage therapy program: describe your educational experience, and why did you leave?
- 10. ***Scenario: A client attends the student clinic smelling like alcohol and acting strangely. How would you handle this situation?
- 11. **Scenario:** You see a classmate consistently cheating on quizzes by using their cellphone. What would you do in this situation?
- 12. **Scenario:** There is a conflict between an RMT student and an instructor, and the situation begins to escalate. What strategies could be used to de-escalate the situation?
 - Under what circumstances would it be appropriate for a student RMT to apologize to an instructor?



