

# INFANT MASSAGE CERTIFICATION TRAINING



Bring the many benefits of Infant Massage  
to the families you serve!

The program presented by Infant Massage USA® brings **research into practice**. It is the only infant Massage program recognized by health and child development experts as the **highest quality program of its kind** (Underdown & Barlow 2011).

Infant Massage USA® is the US Chapter to the International Association of Infant Massage currently teaching in over 67 countries for a truly cross cultural program.

## The Infant Massage USA® Program:

- Helps babies get off to the best start for healthy growth and development;
- Promotes development of the primary relationship;
- Supports parent's sensitivity to their baby, understanding behaviors, emotions and cues;
- Encourages responsive parent-baby interactions, and supports infant's regulation;
- Insures social/emotional development supporting Infant Mental Health;
- Provides best practices to insure meeting program performance standards.

## Training Topics:

- Massage Strokes and Gentle Movements
- Massage adaptations for babies born premature or babies with special needs
- Massage adaptations for the growing child
- Benefits of infant massage for babies, families and society
- Infant Behavioral States, Cues and Reflexes
- Influence of Infant Massage on Bonding and Attachment, including fostering, adoptions
- Facilitation techniques
- Research supporting evidence-based practice
- Public Relations and Marketing
- Three in-class practical teaching experiences with Local families attending

## Register today or for more information, contact:

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For a complete list of courses or more information:

[www.infantmassageusa.org](http://www.infantmassageusa.org) / [www.iaim.net](http://www.iaim.net) international

## To Earn Your Certification

- Attend the in-depth four-day training course
- Complete a take-home assignment
- Teach five parents to massage their babies in a five week class following the training



infant massage usa®  
"It's amazing!"

## 2015 Arizona

9 AM – 5 PM, 4 days

May 14-17 North Country HealthCare/Health Start  
Snowflake, AZ

June 25 - 28 YRMC, Healthy Families  
Prescott Valley, AZ

July 31 - Aug 3 North Country HealthCare  
Flagstaff, AZ

December 10 - 13 ASIS School of Massage  
Tucson, AZ

Registration Fee \$650

Early Registration (3 weeks prior) \$625

Fee includes 4-day training

Books and materials

One year complimentary membership Infant  
Massage USA®

## Recognized Continuing Education

(Visit [infantmassageusa.org](http://infantmassageusa.org) for complete list)

\$15 Admin fee for CE Hours: Nurses, OTs, PTs-  
Maryland, Massage Therapists, Social Workers, LC

Recognized by Child Life Council, Dona, and meets  
requirements for Infant Mental Health Endorsement  
(IMH-E®)



APPROVED PROVIDER of  
CONTINUING EDUCATION  
by The American Occupational  
Therapy Association, Inc.



Michigan Association for  
Infant Mental Health  
Learning and growing together.

NASW  
National Association of Social Workers