

**ITEC LEVEL 3 NVQ UNIT 736  
PROVIDE STONE THERAPY TREATMENTS  
TEST SPECIFICATION 2010**

External Assessment Method:	Multiple Choice Question Paper which can be taken on demand <b>The Anatomy &amp; Physiology can be tested in the A&amp;P Generic Question Paper or within the individual unit.</b>	
Duration of External Assessment:	34 Minutes	
Pass Mark:	100%	
Grading:	Pass or refer	
Frequency of External Assessment:	On demand (once ALL hours for the units have been completed)	
Assessment criteria to be Assessed:	All assessment criteria will be assessed	
Format of Questions:	Stem, 1 key and 3 distracters	
No. of Questions	29 Questions	
Distribution of questions:  Each question will be allocated one mark.	<u>Unit</u>  Provide Stone Therapy Treatments	<u>No. of Questions per Unit</u>  29
The breakdown of questions listed can be found in the assessment criteria in the ITEC syllabus for unit 736 as follows:	<u>Breakdown of Questions</u>  Unit 736 Provide Stone Therapy Treatments <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• what is contact dermatitis and how to avoid developing it whilst carrying out stone therapy treatments (2Q)</li> <li>• what is repetitive strain injury (RSI), how it is caused and to avoid developing it when delivering stone therapy treatments (2Q)</li> <li>• the advantages to the therapist of using stone therapy as a means of avoiding RSI (1Q)</li> <li>• the structure and function of</li> </ul>	<u>Related to ITEC Assessment Criteria for each Unit as listed below:</u>  5.4  5.7  5.8  8.1

	cells and tissues (Refer to A&P generic test specification)	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>the structure and function of muscles, including the types of muscle (Refer to A&amp;P generic test specification)</li> </ul>	8.2
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>the positions and actions of the main muscle groups within the treatment areas (Refer to A&amp;P generic test specification)</li> </ul>	8.3
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>the position and function of the primary bones and joints of the skeleton (Refer to A&amp;P generic test specification)</li> </ul>	8.4
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>the position and function of the sinuses (Refer to A&amp;P generic test specification)</li> </ul>	8.5
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>how to recognise postural faults and conditions (Refer to A&amp;P generic test specification)</li> </ul>	8.6
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>the structure, function and location of blood vessels and the principles of circulation, blood pressure and pulse (Refer to A&amp;P generic test specification)</li> </ul>	8.7
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>the interaction of lymph and blood within the circulatory system (Refer to A&amp;P generic test specification)</li> </ul>	8.8
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>the structure and function of lymphatic system (Refer to A&amp;P generic test specification)</li> </ul>	8.9
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>the basic principles of the central nervous system and autonomic system (Refer to A&amp;P generic test specification)</li> </ul>	8.10
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>the basic principles of the endocrine, respiratory, digestive and excretory systems (Refer to A&amp;P generic test specification)</li> </ul>	8.11
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>the structure and function of skin (Refer to A&amp;P generic test specification)</li> </ul>	8.12

	<p>test specification)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>the skin characteristics and skin types of different ethnic client groups (3Q)</li> <li>the structure and location of the adipose tissue (Refer to A&amp;P generic test specification)</li> <li>the effects of hot and cold stone therapy on the individual systems of the body (5Q)</li> <li>the physical effects of hot and cold stone therapy treatment (2Q)</li> <li>the psychological effects of hot and cold stone therapy treatment (2Q)</li> <li>those contra-indications that prevent treatment and why (2Q)</li> <li>those contra-indications which may restrict treatment or where caution should be taken, in specific areas and why (2Q)</li> <li>possible contra-actions which may occur during and post treatment and how to deal with them (2Q)</li> <li>methods of cooling stones (1Q)</li> <li>the types of stone, their properties and uses (3Q)</li> <li>how to adapt a stone therapy treatment for male and female clients (1Q)</li> <li>how stone therapy may be used to enhance other treatments (1Q)</li> </ul>	<p>8.13</p> <p>8.14</p> <p>8.15</p> <p>8.15</p> <p>8.16</p> <p>9.1</p> <p>9.2</p> <p>9.3</p> <p>10.3</p> <p>10.4</p> <p>11.16</p> <p>11.21</p>
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