

determine whether each system is in optimum flow or experiencing anomalies and impediments. The results of Integrative Diagnostics are evaluated to yield an individualized treatment plan for each client.

THE LAST RESORT

Unfortunately, many of our clients over the years have come to us in desperation after a traditional prognosis has said that there's nothing more that can be done. Fortunately, the positive, often life-changing results of Integrative Manual Therapy are undeniable. CenterIMT regularly gets referrals from doctors and other medical professionals for both habilitation and rehabilitation of patients. In many cases, we are able to prevent surgeries, or at least help accelerate people's recuperation from surgery. Equally fortunate, the work is now well enough known that many of our clients seek us out for preventative care to significantly reduce the chances of experiencing a health crisis.

MEET THE TEAM

CenterIMT is stewarded by the efforts of two very important teams. Our Management Team is responsible for the organization's vision, growth, quality control and business affairs. It consists of six key individuals with world-class credentials in health, education and finance. (See "Corporate Management Team" on website.)

Our Incubator Team assists the Management Team in implementing the CenterIMT vision, working side-by-side with each CenterIMT location to help build its business. (In general, incubators serve to nurture other businesses by providing multiple comprehensive services. While they are highly lauded in the business world, incubators are a relatively unused concept in the health arena.) CenterIMT's Incubator Team draws on the individual skills and combined experience of the team members to provide support and services. (See "Incubator Team" on website.)

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Integrative Manual Therapy and Diagnostics

WELCOME TO CenterIMT

CenterIMT, Center for Integrative Manual Therapy and Diagnostics, is the provider of a unique form of body work called Integrative Manual Therapy. This non-invasive, drug-free healing modality is based on clinical and scientific research. It is implemented gently with human hands and has yielded dramatic results for people with a wide variety of ailments. CenterIMT's mission is to be a beacon of world leadership in health care. Our path and purpose is insuring optimal health for any and all who seek it. Headquartered in Bloomfield, CT, CenterIMT offers client care at a growing number of locations around the world.

VISION STATEMENT

CenterIMT is revolutionizing the state-of-the-art in health care. Integrity, open-mindedness, compassion, and knowledge are key to maintaining this heartfelt vision. We are dedicated to extending our knowledge and care beyond our immediate clients to embrace families, communities and the world as a whole. Our commitment includes the constant pursuit of education—education of patients, practitioners and institutions alike. We do so with the knowledge that one can only effectively define and teach a new paradigm by continually being in a process of openness and inquiry. At CenterIMT, accepting tomorrow's wisdom and knowledge as today's quest is a way of life.

PATIENT AND FAMILY INFORMATION

Integrative Manual Therapy is a non-invasive treatment approach which has developed over the past three decades. In that time, we have successfully served thousands of patients—patients who have come to us from word of mouth recommendations and through minimal advertising. As a result of this success we are continually opening more and more locations around the world to serve those in need. (For more information on Integrative Manual Therapy itself, please visit the section on "What is IMT" on our website.)

Typically, the first thing a patient wants to know is if we can cure them of a particular condition. When Einstein revolutionized the field of physics, he did so with a blank blackboard containing no assumptions from the past. We approach each patient that same way. As an example, a conventional label of "fibromyalgia" is often related to a weakened immune system and the impact of toxicity in the body. The nature of that immune deficiency and toxicity

varies from person to person. We treat each client as a unique individual without labels.

Clients have come to us with challenges bearing a broad range of conventional labels: Chronic pain, Cerebral palsy, Autism, Spinal cord injuries, Brain injuries, Attention Deficit Disorder, and the list goes on. We do not say that we heal or cure any particular disorder. We do say with the utmost confidence that we have helped people with similar symptoms and conditions to return to a higher quality of life and health. In many cases, we are able to prevent surgery, or at least help accelerate people's recuperation from it. Also, early intervention with children facing various health challenges has proven extremely effective in establishing healthy development.

Many case studies corroborate that the results of Integrative Manual Therapy are undeniable—even life-changing. This unique modality's approach to health can make a difference in most situations, whether related to disease, pain, habilitation or rehabilitation.

OUR TEAM APPROACH

The therapy that is practiced at CenterIMT revolves around the patient. It is performed as team management. Each person is important. Team members include: patient, practitioners, family members and significant others. In addition, the team will always include others involved in the outside community and health care.

Case management is important. The primary practitioner on the team serves also as the liaison for team members, health care professionals, school officials and educators, insurance involved persons, and more. The goal of this team is to facilitate recovery and optimize function of the patient in all aspects of that patient's life.

TECHNICAL REHABILITATION SUPPORT

Outside practitioners often send patients to a CenterIMT location for thorough diagnostics and treatment. Treatment recommendations are developed into a treatment plan format. In turn, it is often practical for some or all of that treatment plan to be performed back in the hands of the local practitioner. We also have a referral network of skilled IMT practitioners trained in advanced techniques and diagnostics. This network is comprised of other CenterIMT locations and Certified IMT practitioners located around the world.

The team at CenterIMT helps create an enriched environment to encourage and support the growth of each practitioner that studies with us as they evolve through observation, practice, and self-assessment. The science and art of IMT technology stimulates more questions which leads to new research. The research that is performed at CenterIMT is the foundation for the development of new advanced techniques and protocols.

OUR PRACTITIONERS

CenterIMT is growing in leaps and bounds. New CenterIMT locations are being created at an exponential rate around the world as this work becomes more widely known. At the same time, our existing Centers continue to grow in size. The practitioners staffing these facilities today are all advanced practitioners that have been extensively trained in IMT.

The atmosphere at CenterIMT is stress-free, yet charged with the excitement of changing people's health and lives. Our clinics are staffed with people who are not only dedicated to more than just learning this state of the art technology, but also dedicated to the continued evolution of this profound work. Simply put, CenterIMT is more than a beacon of hope for patients and practitioners. It is a team of professionals sharing the common vision of bringing optimal health to the world.

THE CenterIMT PROCESS

We begin working with a client with a subjective interview where we learn about the individual's history, functionality, symptoms and goals. During this process, clients naturally tend to speak of previous conventional diagnoses and common disease "labels". Two clients may exhibit similar symptoms or classic diagnoses, yet those symptoms may emanate from two completely different sources. Integrative Diagnostics is designed to reveal the root of each individual's health challenges.

The body is always speaking volumes of information that provide incredible diagnostic tools. Integrative Diagnostics focuses on listening to that information. As a simple example, each system in the body has its own unique circadian rhythm—a more subtle version of the way in which the vascular system presents a distinct heartbeat for diagnosis. Integrative Manual Therapy practitioners utilize advanced, yet gentle palpation techniques to "listen" with their hands to all of these rhythms. In doing so, they