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Introduction

Greetings Perspective Applicants!

Our North American 3-Year Practitioner Program by Professor George Vithoulkas for medical professionals, experienced homeopaths, 1st time students, and new practitioners at the International Academy of Classical Homeopathy is a distance learning practitioner program. Classes are presented in real time in our online classroom for students in North America. The most accomplished homeopaths and professors of homeopathy in the world were students of Professor Vithoulkas. At IACH, students learn directly from Professor George Vithoulkas lectures and wealth of homeopathic experience and knowledge. This program is a life changing experience for both experienced homeopaths and new students of homeopathy alike. Advanced homeopathic practitioners who have taken our course after many years of professional practice are astounded by how much more they learn from this course.

We welcome our new class of 2028, and are now accepting applications for our 3-Year Program beginning August 30, 2025. The deadline for application submission is July 31, 2025.

The program presents the core teachings and lectures of Professor George Vithoulkas, where he shares his knowledge gained from over 60 years of experience. Our education is based on the highest educational standards according to the principles of Samuel Hahnemann M.D., and is the only homeopathy course adopted as a Postgraduate Course by several medical universities from around the world.

At the International Academy of Classical Homeopathy, we are at the forefront of homeopathic research and the implementation of homeopathic integration in the international medical community. Research papers by Prof. Vithoulkas and his research team, displaying impressive cured cases with Homeopathy, are published in peer review medical journals and can be viewed at <u>https://www.vithoulkas.com/research/clinical-cases/</u> and

https://www.vithoulkas.com/research/scientific-papers/

Our research team has been invited to many International Medical Congresses and presented papers of the highest standards in terms of new ideas in medicine, which have application not only in homeopathy, but for general medicine as well.

https://www.vithoulkas.com/research/congresses/

These new concepts and theories have been proposed by Prof. Vithoulkas in his book "Levels of Health" and in his article the "The Continuum of a Unified theory of Diseases." <u>https://www.medscimonit.com/download/index/idArt/878341</u> Students of IACH are not only taught by Professor George Vithoulkas – the leading voice worldwide in classical homeopathy today – but they will find themselves immediately welcomed into this classical homeopathic community by Dan Horvath, IACH DIHom, CCH, RSHom(NA), Cristina Horvath, IACH DIHom, CCH, Latika Jaggi BHMS, IACH DIHom, and all associates of the International Academy of Classical Homeopathy as they study alongside national and international peers in this distance learning classroom platform. Students build a new in depth of understanding in homeopathy, gain perspective and experience, and establish kinship within our homeopathic circle – enabling learning opportunities to last a lifetime.

Classes for the 2025–2028 program will be held on Mondays from 5 PM to 9 PM Arizona time, and also the third Tuesday of each month from 5 PM to 9 PM Arizona time. Orientation for the forthcoming year is August 30, 2025 and classes begin September 3, 2025. Classes are held on line via Zoom. Cristina Horvath is the primary instructor throughout this 3-year journey as students observe Professor Vithoulkas' lectures. Mrs. Cristina Horvath's 20+ years of experience in classical homeopathy, deep understanding of George Vithoulkas teachings, and nurturing instruction helps empower students to become successful and confident future practitioners in this healing art.

Students interested in applying for the 2025–2028 program, should complete and return the attached application (located at the end of this catalog) and send all required documents as listed on the application. Applications, registration fee, and required documentation must be received in our office by July 31, 2025 in order to be considered for the class of 2025–2028 commencing August 30, 2025.

Please see more details including testimonials at <u>http://vithoulkas.college/</u>

We are very excited to welcome prospective new students of classical homeopathy as well as established practitioners. We are here to answer any questions you might have. We look forward to hearing from you!

Chelsea Smock, MA, IACH DIHom, CCH Administrator for the International Academy of Classical Homeopathy

Programs

North American Practitioner Program

Our program presents the core teachings and lectures of Professor George Vithoulkas, where he shares his knowledge gained from over 60 years of experience. This program is based on the highest educational standards according to the principles of Samuel Hahnemann M.D., and is the only homeopathy course adopted as a Postgraduate Course by several medical universities from around the world.

The course is comprised of:

- Foundations of Homeopathy
- Theory of homeopathic principles and practice
- Levels of Health
- Exploration of The Organon of Medicine
- Materia Medica covers description and keynotes of 179+ remedies
- Repertorization
- In-Depth Clinical observation and participation
 - 1. Students observe Prof. Vithoulkas's case-taking and take part in an interactive analysis. Live and paper cases with in-depth analysis, follow-up encounters, and prescribing strategies
 - 2. Student internship clinics throughout the year for 2nd and 3rd-year students
 - 3. Clinical observation modules with cases from Professor Vithoulkas
 - 4. Independent Case Taking with Clinical Supervision
- Posology: The Science of Potency Selection and Repetition
- Homeopathic History (North American and International)
- Introduction to Homeopathic Pharmacology
- Homeopathic Ethical Practice & Introduction to US Healthcare Law
- Business of Practice

- A total of over 1000 hours are included in this course, which includes a minimum of 500 foundational/classroom hours in classical homeopathy, and 10 Supervised Clinical requirements – up to 360 hours of observation and analysis and a minimum of 140 hours

(documentation of 10 chronic cases independently taken and written up with two follow-ups each) supervised by a CCH certified or BHMS supervisor.

Courses in Alonissos

Each year Professor Vithoulkas teaches a number of seminars throughout the summer months for current and postgraduate students to attend live at the International Academy of Classical Homeopathy in Alonissos Greece.

https://www.vithoulkas.com/education/courses-alonissos

All students and alumni are encouraged to attend. Each Course consists of a wide selection of live cases and their management, which includes case-taking, case analysis, pathology evaluation, comparison of remedies, homeopathic philosophy, prescribing strategies and an in-depth insight into some of the difficulties encountered in a homeopathic practice. The Courses are intended to illustrate the correct application and thought process during case-taking, and how a proper analysis and process of evaluating symptoms and their synthesis can result in the accurate homeopathic remedy – the similimum.

Continuing Education Sessions

Our Continuing Education Sessions may be attended by our diploma holders, the students who have completed the full program and have received a Certificate of Attendance, and students who completed attending classes and are in the supervised case submission stage. These sessions provide a valuable opportunity to delve into well documented cases. They enhance the students' knowledge and add to their experience in homeopathic practice.

Webinars – Watch and Learn Series

Our webinars may be attended by our students and our diploma holders. The webinars take place several times a year. Each webinar is 12 hours long. These webinars cover various pathologies and include Questions and Answers sessions with Prof. Vithoulkas, and Clinical Cases and presentations are demonstrated by an experienced team of Lecturers from the International Academy of Classical Homeopathy. The Webinars are in English with simultaneous translation into nine different languages: Spanish, Portuguese, Russian, Romanian, German, Turkish, Bulgarian, Polish and Thai.

E-Learning for International Students

Our two-year E-Learning program –which is accredited by several international medical universities – is available to students residing <u>outside</u> of North America who do not want to attend the course in the expanded format. The course includes Theory, Levels of Health, Materia Medica, Research Methodology, Repertorization, and Case Studies.

Accreditation of the 2 Year E-Learning Program:

https://www.vithoulkas.edu.gr/2-year-course/recognition

Note: The 2 year E-Learning program does **not** include Levels of Health module, Strategies in Prescribing module, in depth analysis of Organon, personalized one on one case supervision, business of practice, homeopathic ethics, homeopathic history, history of repertories.

For more information, please visit: https://www.vithoulkas.edu.gr

Post Graduate Courses

IACH also has postgraduate courses available on-line:

- Levels of Health (English, Spanish, Portuguese, Russian, Italian, Greek, Romanian, German, Arabic, Turkish, French, Bulgarian)
- Organon (English, Spanish, Portuguese, Russian and Romanian)
- Strategies in Prescribing (English, Romanian, Portuguese)
- New Horizons in Medicine (English, Spanish, Portuguese, Russian, Italian, Greek, Romanian, German, Arabic, Turkish, French, Bulgarian)
- Difficult Cases (Russian).

* Most of these Post Graduate Courses are also encompassed by the North American

3- Year Practitioner Program.

For more information, visit: <u>https://www.vithoulkas.edu.gr/postgraduate-</u> <u>courses/index</u>

Anatomy, Physiology & Pathology Courses

Student must have taken anatomy, physiology and pathology during their undergraduate studies or acquire these class credits during the course of the three-year practitioner program. The International Academy of Classical Homeopathy offers an accredited course in Anatomy, Physiology and Pathology to our students without medical background. This specific course is an online course in Anatomy, Physiology and Pathology (the VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Anatomy, Physiology and Pathology for Complementary Therapies, UK & International). The total qualification time for the course is 130 hours. Students of IACH are offered a discount for this program. A free trial of a portion of the anatomy and physiology tutorial is available here: http://www.essential-training.co.uk/training/apdemoo6/apdemosepto6.html

For more details, please visit

https://vithoulkas.college/anatomy-physiology-pathology-courses/

North American Practitioner Program Programmatic Objectives

Statement of Purpose:

The purpose of the International Academy of Classical Homeopathy is the professional education of medical doctors, medical students and health practitioners/professionals in order to become effective Classical Homeopaths, according to the principles of Dr. Samuel Hahnemann.

Mission Statement:

As a paradigm of distinguished and superlative education in genuine classical Hahnemannian homeopathy, the International Academy of Classical Homeopathy advocates premier excellence in instruction to establish and foster leaders in the homeopathic community who are dedicated to this scientific art of healing in order to:

- Become practicing classical homeopaths in North America,
- Gently restore the sick to health and alleviate the suffering of others,
- Establish respectful and compassionate standards for patient treatment and care,
- Promote the science of homeopathy,
- Contribute to research in the efficacy of classical homeopathy,

- Motivate others to study, practice, research, and teach the classical art of homeopathy,
- Facilitate the advancement of homeopathic education within our associated alternative and conventional medical communities.

Vision:

The International Academy of Classical Homeopathy is an institution for students who seek truth and knowledge in the art of true healing with classical homeopathy in order to become homeopathic practitioners who will continue to change the landscape of homeopathic practice and the future of health care in North America and around the world. Our vision is for the International Academy of Classical Homeopathy to be the principal foundation that promotes and protects the original instruction of Hahnemannian Classical Homeopathy – in its purest form. We intend to unite with more Universities and other academic institutions, to organize fundamental international meetings, to encourage highquality cutting-edge research, to inform doctors and patients about the immense curative potential of Classical Homeopathy, and to honor the best research projects as well as the most knowledgeable homeopaths from all over the world.

Values:

- Nurturing the Student Homeopath and Continuous Enlightenment of the Practitioner through Immersion Methodology
- Commitment to the International Perpetuation of Classical Homeopathy in terms of Research, Legislation, Public Awareness and Education
- Complete and Whole Restoration of Health and Wellness to the Sick To Cure as it is Termed
- Respect for All Humanity without Ego and without Bias

North American Faculty

George Vithoulkas - Professor of Homeopathic Medicine

George Vithoulkas is a Greek Professor of Homeopathic Medicine who is recognized around the world as the personality who re-established homeopathy in the 20th century.

He is the only teacher to permit students attendance at all his live cases; he explains the method of how to take a case, how to analyze it and how to arrive at the right decision for a homeopathic remedy. But the most important advantage for students is that they can observe follow-ups and results after the prescription.

In this way, Professor George Vithoulkas demonstrates the whole process of case management which thereby reveals thorough and empirical information concerning the application of Classical Homeopathy. This process is similar to instructions offered at conventional medical hospitals.

Professor Vithoulkas' knowledge comes from 60 years' indefatigable efforts to improve, through practice and constant research, the standards of education in order that the empirical effectiveness of the original Classical Hahnemannian Homeopathy will be recognized and accepted by Medical Universities and Medical Practitioners.

Research

https://orcid.org/0000-0002-9118-8306
https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/?term=vithoulkas+george
https://www.scopus.com/authid/detail.uri?authorId=6602974578
https://www.researchgate.net/profile/George-Vithoulkas

Academic Distinctions:

George Vithoulkas is today:

- Honorary Professor at the University of the Aegean, Greece,
- Honorary Professor at the State Medical University of Chuvash Republic (Russia),
- Honorary Professor at the National Educational Centre for Traditional and Complementary Medicine (Russia),
- Honorary Professor of the Pontifical Javeriana Medical University (Colombia),

- Honorary Professor at the All-Russia Scientific Research Center for Restorative and Resort Medicine of the Ministry of Health of Russian Federation
- Professor at the Kiev Medical Academy,
- Honorary Professor of PHEE "Kyiv Medical University",
- Honorary Professor at Dnipro Institute of Medicine and Public Health (Ukraine),
- Honorary Professor at Dnipro Medical Institute of Complementary and Alternative Medicine (Ukraine),
- Doctor Honoris Causa of **"Dr. Viktor Babes" University of Medicine and Pharmacy of Timisoara** (Romania) and
- Doctor Honoris Causa of **"Iuliu Hatieganu University of Medicine and Pharmacy of Cluj-Napoca** (Romania).

Associations

- Prof. Vithoulkas is Senior Associate Member of Royal Society of Medicine, UK
- Honorary Member of Liga Medicorum Homeopathica Internationalis
- Honorary President of the Hellenic Homeopathic Medical Association (established 1970)
- Honorary Member of Russian Homeopathic Society

Awards

- In 1996, he was honored with the **Right Livelihood Award (also known as Alternative Nobel Prize,** <u>www.rightlivelihood.org</u>) "...for his outstanding contribution to the revival of homeopathic knowledge and the training of homeopaths to the highest standards".
- In 2000, George Vithoulkas was honored with the **Gold Medal of the Hungarian Republic**, by the country's President, Arpad Goncz, for his work in the homeopathic medicine.
- In 2000, George Vithoulkas was awarded by the Minister of Health in India with the **Gold Medal** as the "Homeopath of the Millennium".
- In 2012, he was honored with the **Honorary Award of National Medical Academy of Postgraduate Education in Ukraine** named after P.L.Shupyk (George Vithoulkas - Honorary Professor, a distinguished scholar and teacher).
- In 2020, he received the "Donor Award" of "Citizenry of the City of Meißen" for a lifetime achievement in the spirit of homeopathy by the Society of Homeopathic Doctors in Saxony, Germany (Meissen is the town in which Dr Samuel Hahnemann was born).
- In 2022, he was awarded with the Sheikh Zayed International Award for Homeopathy Academic Field

- In 2023, he was awarded the Honorary Fellowship of the Faculty of Homeopathy, UK, in recognition of his outstanding contribution to Homeopathy throughout his long career.
- In 2024, he was duly elected a **Full Member of "Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Honor Society"**, devoted to the promotion of Research in Science.

International and European Organisations

In 1980, George Vithoulkas was invited by the **World Health Organization** to write the first article on Homeopathy for the book Traditional Medicine, published by WHO, as well as the main article in the round table discussion for WHO's scientific magazine, the World Health Forum journal.

On the 11th of June, 1999, George Vithoulkas was requested by the **Council of Europe** to make a day- long presentation on homeopathic medicine (as part of their evaluation of alternative therapeutic methods) before the Social, Health and Family Affairs Committee.

In 1996, he was invited by the **European Parliament** to explain the position of homeopathy and after his presentation the European Parliament voted in favour for Homeopathy.

Main Contributions to Medicine and Homeopathy

- The Levels of Health https://www.vithoulkas.com/contributions-prof-george-vithoulkas/levels-health
- The Continuum of a Unified Theory of Diseases <u>https://www.vithoulkas.com/research/scientific-papers/continuum-unified-theory-diseases/</u>
- How an acute inflammatory condition could be transmuted to a chronic disease <u>https://www.vithoulkas.com/research/scientific-papers/integrated-perspective-</u> <u>transmutation-acute-inflammation-chronic-and-role/</u>
- The Definition of Health
 <u>https://www.vithoulkas.com/writings/new-horizons/definition-of-health/</u>
- How can Healthier Children be Born?
 <u>https://www.vithoulkas.com/research/scientific-papers/how-can-healthier-children-be-born-hypothesis-how-create-better-human</u>
- The Science of Homeopathy https://www.vithoulkas.com/product/science-homeopathy/
- The New Model for Health and Disease https://www.vithoulkas.com/product/new-model-health-and-disease/
- The Materia Medica Viva

https://www.vithoulkas.com/product/materia-medica-viva-vol-1-13/

- The E-Learning Course in Classical Homeopathy <u>https://www.vithoulkas.edu.gr</u>
- The Vithoulkas Expert System (VES) https://www.vithoulkas.com/learning-tools/ves
- The Vithoulkas Compass
 https://www.vithoulkas.com/learning-tools/vithoulkas-compass
- The Theories of Professor George Vithoulkas have been presented in Medical Congresses: <u>https://www.vithoulkas.com/research/congresses</u>
- In the following links <u>https://www.vithoulkas.com/research/clinical-cases</u> and <u>https://www.vithoulkas.com/research/scientific-papers</u> you may find the Research Papers of Prof. George Vithoulkas and his Research Team.

E-Learning Course

On the 1st of June, 2010, the International Academy of Classical Homeopathy launched the **E-Learning Program in Classical Homeopathy** <u>http://www.vithoulkas.edu.gr</u> (with subtitles in 11 languages).

This course is an academic, on-line program based on the highest educational standards according to the principles of Samuel Hahnemann which **is adopted and accredited by several medical Universities.**

Books

Prof. Vithoulkas has written many Books which have been translated in 36 languages

https://www.vithoulkas.com/learning-tools/books-gv

MEDICAL CONFERENCES

IACH has presented papers in many prestigious International Medical Congresses open to pioneering ideas in medical science of high standards, which have an application not only in homeopathy but for general medicine as well.

These new ideas have been proposed by Professor Vithoulkas in his book "*Levels of Health*" and in his article the "*The Continuum of a Unified Theory of Diseases*" https://www.medscimonit.com/download/index/idArt/878341

Following the Medical Conferences and Congresses in which IACH participated: <u>https://www.vithoulkas.com/research/congresses</u>

Maria Chorianopoulou, PhD – Director of Studies for IACH

- BS (Greek Philology)
- Doctor of Philosophy (PhD), Social Psychology
- Previous Director for Ministry of Administrative Reform and e-Governance
- Lecturer
- Director of Studies for IACH worldwide

Maria Chorianopoulou, PhD is the Director of the International Academy of Classical Homeopathy in Alonissos, Greece. She has a Doctorate of Philosophy from Panteion University of Social and Political Sciences, Department of Psychology, and has university degrees from the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, School of Philosophy, Department of Philology, with a Specialization in the Classics. Maria Chorianopoulou was a Lecturer at Panteion University of Social and Political Sciences in Greece (2008-2014) in the fields of "Research Methodology", "History of Institutions" and "Philosophy of Law". Previously, Dr. Chorianopoulou held the office of Director of the Political Office of the Minister of Administrative Reform and e-Governance in Greece, was the Special Advisor to the Minister of Foreign Affairs in Greece, and was the Special Assistant to the ex-Prime Minister of Greece.

Maria Chorianopoulou is the main contributor to the realization (2006) of the Master Degree Program on Classical Homeopathy at the Aegean University in Greece, which comprises the full teachings of Professor George Vithoulkas. Dr. Chorianopoulou considers the E-Learning Program in Classical Homeopathy by Professor George Vithoulkas a significant accomplishment in her life. She is responsible for the promotion of Professor George Vithoulkas' teachings and oversees his entire organization including the IACH's educational programs worldwide. Maria Chorianopoulou has translated the book "Science of Homeopathy" by Professor George Vithoulkas into Greek and is the author of two books: Lycurgus' Politics and Syntax of the Modern Greek Language (two volumes).

https:// www.vithoulkas.com https://www.vithoulkas.edu.gr

Dan Horvath, IACH DIHom, RSHom(NA), CCH - Practitioner Program Coordinator for North America

- Nationally Certified in Classical Homeopathy
- Graduate of the International Academy of Classical Homeopathy
- Academic Faculty Member at the International Academy of Classical Homeopathy
- Previous Faculty Member at the American Medical College of Homeopathy at PIHMA
- Certified Homeopathic Practitioner at Arizona Homeopathy in Phoenix, AZ
- Member of the North American Society of Homeopaths (NASH)

Dan Horvath is responsible for introducing this curriculum to North America. His passion for homeopathy and over 30 years of experience are an enormous asset to this program. He has been studying homeopathy since 1979 and follows the teachings of Hahnemann, Vithoulkas and Kent. He was also previously the Director of Studies at American Medical College of Homeopathy.

Cristina Horvath, IACH DIHom, CCH –Practitioner Program Primary Instructor for North America

- Nationally Certified in Classical Homeopathy
- Graduate of George Vithoulkas International Academy of Classical Homeopathy
- Academic Faculty Member at the International Academy of Classical Homeopathy
- Previous Faculty Member at American Medical College of Homeopathy at PIHMA
- Certified Homeopathic Practitioner at Arizona Homeopathy in Phoenix, AZ

Cristina completed her homeopathic education in Alonissos, Greece with Professor Vithoulkas where she also continues her education every summer for the past ten years. She works diligently with students to enrich their learning experience as she presents Professor Vithoulkas lectures throughout the program. She has helped to create the curriculum, creates syllabi, creates homework and semester exams, mentors students, and supervises student cases.

Dr. Latika Jaggi, BHMS, IACH DIHom

Dr. Latika Jaggi is also a Director of H₃ - Health & Happiness by Homeopathy Centre of Classical Homeopathy in Nashik, Maharashtra, India. She graduated top of her class from one of India's premier colleges: Nehru Homeopathic Medical College and

Hospital, New Delhi in 1998. In 2000, after her marriage to Dr. Atul Jaggi, she accompanied him to Greece for two years in order to assist and learn from Prof. George Vithoulkas. She is an IACH Diploma holder and has attended the IACH summer courses in Alonissos, Greece for the last 19 years. Since 2013, she has worked together with Dr. Atul Jaggi to moderate the IACH E-learning Course in India. More recently, she also assists Dr. Atul Jaggi during the International seminars and also presents Professor George Vithoulkas's educational lectures. Dt. Latika Jaggi is an individual moderator of the IACH E-learning Program.

Chelsea Smock, MA, IACH DIHOM, CCH Administrator, Academic Instructor

Chelsea Smock is the North American Administrator for our Program. She is certified in Classical Homeopathy and a Graduate of the International Academy of Classical Homeopathy (IACH). After studying and apprenticing with her homeopath for several years, she was excited to discover IACH and have the opportunity to train with Professor Vithoulkas, and to join the IACH community. Prior to her studies in Homeopathy, Chelsea earned a master's degree in Mathematics at Boston University, researching fluid dynamics and mathematical neuroscience. She currently lives in Austin, Texas.

Zissoula Vithoulkas - Director of Finance Theodosis Apostolidis - Head of Accounting, Economist Maria Stamoutsou - Assistant Head of Accounting

International Administration:

Viraj Shah, BHMS, MD - Administrator for the E-Learning Course

MD Homeopathy: from S.P. University Anand, Gujarat, INDIA Diploma holder of the International Academy of Classical Homeopathy Co-Ordinator of the E-Learning course in Gujarat India. Languages: English, Hindi and Gujarati

Nicole Cheah – E-learning Groups Administrator

B.Sc. In Information System, Campbell University, North Carolina, USA Languages: English, Mandarin and Malay

Elina Ganiatsou – Executive Secretary

Department of Forestry and Natural Environment Management, Technological Educational Institute of Kavala at Drama, Greece Languages: English and Greek.

Creative Department:

Giannis Ageladopoulos – In House Graphic Designer

BA: Animation and Post Production, Middlesex University, UK. Languages: Greek, English.

Admissions

Prerequisites

We invite students to join our program from all different areas of expertise and study. An associate or graduate degree is preferred but not required. Students who have not taken Anatomy and Physiology and Pathology classes prior to taking our program need to also complete these prerequisites prior to finishing the 3-year program in order to obtain their diploma from IACH. In order to assist students in acquiring these prerequisites, we have aligned our school with another external program in order that students also receive a discounted tuition rate. To view our associated Anatomy and Physiology and Pathology classes please see: http://vithoulkas.college/anatomy-physiology-pathology-courses/

Procedures

Following are the requirements for student applications:

- A completed application form as well as a curriculum vitae or resume is required for consideration of inclusion to our program.
- Two letters of recommendation are also required. At least one of these should be a professional reference from a homeopathic practitioner, professional in the healthcare industry, or a colleague/superior from the applicant's current profession.

- Additional requirements include proof of identification such as Driver's License, or Passport to be provided with IACH application.
- Applicants must obtain a background check on themselves from the criminal records office at their local police department. In order to obtain this form, most police departments require applicants to fill out a form at the station. A driver's license, passport or other legal form of ID must be presented. There is usually a fee for this service, which varies from state to state and city to city, but it is usually between \$5 and \$10. Once the applicant submits the form, it usually takes 5-10 business days before the authorities send the applicant notification that the report is available for pick up. A background check must be included with all application submission.
- A non-refundable \$50 registration fee must be submitted to: <u>https://www.paypal.com/cgibin/webscr?cmd=_s-</u> <u>xclick@hosted_button_id=P4NERM7WZCHR4</u>

The deadline for registration is July 31, 2025. Applications and required documentation must be received in our office by July 31, 2025. All emailed documents must be attached as a Word .doc or in pdf format. Once we receive an application and all required documentation, applicants are contacted via email in order to set up an interview for final entrant consideration.

Furthermore, in compliance with state and federal laws, The International Academy of Classical Homeopathy does not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, color, national origin, age, sex, veteran status, sexual orientation, marital status or disability, in any of its educational programs.

Advanced Placement

Advanced placement into the three-year program is not permitted – regardless of previous education, credits, or diploma. Students are not permitted to "test in" at an advanced level or bypass their first or second years of training in the program. Students with prior training in homeopathy are not permitted to skip select classes, segments, semesters or course portions which may contain some material that they are familiar with. Credits from other schools of homeopathy are not accepted as our program and level of education is unique in its immersion methodology. However, a 50% discount on tuition is granted to those who have already obtained CHC certification or have previously attended the 2-year or 3-year program at IACH.

Diploma and Credentials

Requirements to Obtain Diploma:

In order to receive the IACH Diploma, students are required to complete all the graduation requirements within a maximum period of 18 months from the completion of the program. The graduation requirements include: completion of the entire 3-year program, attendance adherence for class lectures and clinical studies, satisfactory academic performance, a passing grade on the final exam, completion of 10 supervised cases including approval in the Vithoulkas Portal, completion of Strategies in Prescribing II module, and completion of A&P course.

Diploma:

Once students have completed all of the program prerequisites listed above, maintained a GPA of 2.0 (on 4.0 scale), completed the course hours with a minimum attendance rate of 80%, maintained an overall average of 70% in the course and passed the final exams, students will receive an IACH Diploma for having satisfied the course requirements. The students who do not complete their supervised cases within 12 months from the time they first take the final exams, will be required to pay three hundred euros (300,00) for an extension of up to six (6) months of access to the Vithoulkas Platform. If the graduation requirements are not complete within this period of eighteen (18) months after the completion of the course, the access to the Vithoulkas Platform will be terminated and the student will receive a Certificate of Attendance.

IACH DIHom:

Once students have received their diploma from the International Academy of Classical Homeopathy, they are entitled to use the credentials "IACH DIHom" (Diploma in Homeopathy from IACH) after their name. i.e. Jane Doe, IACH DIHom. This credential does NOT guarantee the right to legally practice in the student's state/country of residency, as students must adhere to the laws of their own respective local, state and national government.

Academic Calendar

Please see academic calendar for all classes through 2028: https://vithoulkas.college/schedule-2023-2026/ https://vithoulkas.college/schedule-2024-2027/ https://vithoulkas.college/schedule-2025-2028/

Book List

Books are the responsibility of the student to acquire and are not included in the tuition cost for the program. Following is a list of the minimum required books to purchase. All enrolled IACH students are provided a 30% discount on all Prof. Vithoulkas books that are written in English. A more extensive list of highly recommended reading is also provided to students who are accepted into the program.

- * Organon 6th Edition S. Hahnemann
- * Lectures of Homeopathic Philosophy J.T. Kent
- * The Science of Homeopathy G. Vithoulkas
- * Levels of Health, 3rd REVISED EDITION G. Vithoulkas
- * New Model of Health and Disease G. Vithoulkas
- * Repertory of the Homeopathic Materia Medica J.T. Kent
- * A Dictionary of Homeopathic Medical Terminology 2nd edition Jay Yasgur

Bookstore: https://www.vithoulkas.com/learning-tools/books-gv

Technical Requirements

Students must maintain their own equipment in order to attend class in our online classroom. A computer, internet connection, microphone and video capacity are required. Classes are facilitated through Zoom. Zoom is a free application for the students, and must be downloaded prior to class attendance. To download Zoom go to: https://zoom.us/support/download which will download and install the client. Then go to https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/articles/201362283-How-Do-I-Test-My-Audio-) for information about testing audio. An internet connection with at least 1 Mbps of Download speed/rate is required. Students can check internet speed at http://www.speedtest.net/.

Throughout the course, students are also required to use Vithoulkas Compass software for repertorization, which is also offered at a deep discount to enrolled students. A free trial is available here:

https://www.vithoulkascompass.com/en/Homeopathy/Pricing

Tuition, Payment Details & Refund Policy

Program cost for the total 3-Year North American Practitioner Program, and payment options:

The tuition for the entire 3-year Practitioner Program is \$12,000, plus clinic fee at \$275 per annum, and a nonrefundable \$50 registration fee, for a grand total of \$12,875.

*NOTE: Current CHC holders and also those who have previously graduated and received a diploma from IACH receive a 50% discount on tuition for the upcoming year.

Normally, the tuition in full is payable prior to beginning the program. However, students may make payments on request for the following payment schedules:

- An annual payment may be made of \$4,000 prior to each new commencing year (no interest or financial penalty)
- Semester payments of \$1,333.33 may be made 3 weeks prior to each semester (3 payments per year for 3 years, with no interest or financial penalty)

A student who chooses to withdraw from the program after the commencement of classes is to provide written notice to the Program Coordinator. The notice is to indicate the expected date of withdrawal and must be signed and dated by the student. A student will be determined to be withdrawn from the institution if the student has not attended class for 5 consecutive classes without explanation of illness or circumstance. The student is entitled to a refund of the semesters they have not attended if they provide a withdrawal notice before the start of the semester. The withdrawal notice should be sent via email to **cristina@vithoulkas.college** and **groups@vithoulkas.com**. Students are not entitled to a refund for a semester they have partially attended, or if the withdrawal notice is received after the start of the semester.

Student Guidelines

As this course utilizes immersion methodology and each class is uniquely and heavily saturated in case taking, patient intake, case analysis, and clinical training, we do not record classes in accordance with HIPAA regulations, and a strict 80% attendance policy in our distance learning classroom is strongly enforced in order that students may acquire the highest level of education and training.

Conduct, Rules and Regulations:

Students are expected to behave in a respectful manner to their instructor(s) and peers and should not disrupt the class. The International Academy of Classical Homeopathy reserves the right to dismiss any student for conduct that is not becoming of an IACH student as outlined in the student handbook.

Attendance & Late Policy:

As this course and each class is uniquely and heavily saturated in case taking, patient intake, case analysis, and clinical training, we do not record classes in accordance with HIPAA regulations. A strict 80% attendance policy in our distance learning classroom is strongly enforced in order that students may acquire the highest level of education and training. Attendance counts as 10% of the grade for each semester. On Camera Requirement Students are required to have their webcams on during class.

Absence/Leave of Absence

Students are responsible to obtain missed class notes from peers. Notes are provided for all remedies and most of the theory sessions.

Students who must withdraw due to unforeseen circumstances and require leave of absence may join again in the following year during the same semester that they withdrew from previously. Students are not issued a refund for a semester they have partially or fully attended.

<u>Homework</u>

Homework is assigned weekly or twice per week, depending on the number of classes per week. Submission requirements are explained during orientation, and are also expressed in the Student Handbook for enrolled students to reference.

Expectations and Course Grading System

Homework accounts for 10% of the student's semester grade. Students must turn in their completed homework before the due date in order to receive credit. Failure to turn in an assignment prior to the deadline for submission will result in a 0% for the assignment.

Any student who neglects their course work may be issued a formal warning by IACH faculty. The warning will include detailed information regarding the area(s) in need of improvement, and any changes the student must make in order to comply with requirements. Students who continue to fall below the academic expectations of IACH faculty after issuance of a formal warning may be excluded from the course. Exclusion from the course is equivalent to failure in the course. Furthermore, any instances of plagiarism, cheating, falsifying data, or misrepresentation of one's own studies and coursework will not be tolerated, and are grounds for immediate dismissal from the course.

Students must obtain a grade of 70% or higher, during each academic semester.

Semester Grade Distribution:

<u>1st Academic Year</u>

10% Attendance10% Homework80% Final Semester Exams

2nd Academic Year

10% Attendance(Class and Internship Clinic)10% Homework(Class and Internship Clinic)20% Supervised Cases60% Final Semester Exams

3rd Academic Year

10% Attendance (Class and Internship Clinic)
10% Homework (Class and Internship Clinic)
20% Supervised Cases
60% Final Semester Exams

A – (90% -100%) Excellent – This indicates full understanding and mastery of the material and distinctive commitment to course work and participation required.

B – (80% – 89%) Good – This indicates an exceptional understanding of the course material and an acceptable level of comprehension in regard to course material and engagement with the course requirements and activities.

C - (70% - 79%) Satisfactory – This indicates an acceptable level of comprehension and adequate comprehension of the course material as the student has met the most basic requirements for completing assigned work and participating in class activities.

D – (65% -69%) Unsatisfactory. This indicates some minimal effort has been made in regard to the course materials and some minimal participation in class activities merits some credit.

F – (0% – 64%) Failure to make an effort or participate

A student's cumulative semester grade is determined by means of homework grade, class, and clinic attendance/participation, and semester exam grade. A student's cumulative GPA for the 3-Year course is determined by means of homework grade, class attendance/participation, semester exam grades, and final exam grade.

In addition to these requirements, in order to graduate from the course, students must also submit 10 clinical cases complete with intake and at least 2 follow-ups. Students must follow each of the 10 cases for a period of at least six months. (Please see the section on supervised cases.)

Early Withdrawal

A student choosing to withdraw from the program after the commencement of classes must provide written notice to the Program Coordinator. The notice is to indicate the expected date of withdrawal and be signed and dated by the student. A student will be determined to be withdrawn from the institution if the student has not attended class for 5 consecutive classes without explanation of illness or circumstance. The student is entitled to a refund for the semesters they have not attended if the student provides a withdrawal notice before the start of the semester. The withdrawal notice should be sent via email to cristina@vithoulkas.college and groups@vithoulkas.com. Students are not entitled to a refund for a semester they have partially attended, or if the withdrawal notice is received after the start of the semester.

Grievance Procedures

A student with a grievance should first speak with their immediate instructor. If resolution to the grievance is not satisfactory to the student, a formal complaint should be emailed to the administration for review by the Practitioner Program Coordinator for North America. Email: info@vithoulkas.college

If the matter cannot be resolved satisfactorily, then our Director of Studies in Alonissos, Greece will be consulted, and the position of our Director of Studies in Alonissos, Greece will be final.

Prospective Student Application

IACH welcomes all prospective new students of classical homeopathy as well as established practitioners. Feel free to reach out with any questions you might have. We look forward to receiving your application!

Please complete and return the following application with all required documents.



NORTH AMERICAN 3-YEAR PRACTITIONER PROGRAM By PROFESSOR GEORGE VITHOULKAS 2025-2028 APPLICATION FORM

First Name:	L	_ast Name: _		
Address:				
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Graduate degree	Area of study	:	GPA:	
Have you taken Anatomy, Phy	ysiology and F	Pathology?	🗌 Yes / 🗌 No	
If yes, what school or institution	on?			
Title/Current Profession:				
How long have you been inter	rested in hom	eopathy?		
Other homeopathic education	:			



🗌 Yes 🗌 No

INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY OF CLASSICAL HOMEOPATHY

Are you currently a practitioner of homeopathy?
Yes No

Why are you interested in this course?

How did you hear about IA	CH?
IACH Newsletter	IACH student/alumni
NCH Newsletter	My Homeopathy/ Physician (name):
□ NASH	Other:
-	eted of, plead guilty or no contest to, or forfeited bail for any criminal ance, excluding only minor traffic violations?

If yes, please provide an explanation:



1. Please include Curriculum Vitae or Resume with your application.

2. Please send us a copy of transcripts demonstrating your Bachelor Degree or equivalent (e.g. certification in a medical profession requiring at least the equivalent training of a registered nurse or physician's assistant). Please also include proof of completion of Anatomy, Physiology and Pathology, if these have already been completed.

3. Please attach 2 letters of recommendation. At least one of these should be a professional reference from a homeopathic practitioner, professional in the healthcare industry, or a colleague/superior from your current profession.

4. Please include a copy of your ID, Driver's License, or Passport with your application. Please do <u>NOT</u> send Social Security information.

5. Applicants must obtain a background check on themselves from the crime records office at their local police department. In order to obtain this form, most police departments require applicants to fill out a form at the station. A driver's license, passport or other legal form of ID must be presented. There is usually a fee for this service, which varies from state to state and city to city, but it is usually between \$5 and \$10. Once you submit the form, it usually takes 5-10 business days before they send you notification that your report is available for pick up. A background check must be included with your application submission.

6. Please submit a non-refundable \$50 registration fee to: https://www.paypal.com/cgi-bin/webscr?cmd=_s-xclick&hosted_button_id=P4NERM7WZCHR4

The deadline for registration is July 31, 2025.

All emailed documents must be attached as a Word .doc or in pdf format. Once we receive your application and all required documentation, you will be contacted via email in order to set up an interview for final entrant consideration.

Finally, in compliance with state and federal laws, The International Academy of Classical Homeopathy does not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, color, national origin, age, sex, veteran status, sexual orientation, marital status or disability, in any of its educational programs.



I hereby certify that the above and previous statements are true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that a false statement may disqualify me for application consideration or entrance acceptance.

Signature: _____ D

Date

- Note: digital signatures are not acceptable
- Please return this form and other application materials via regular post (<u>no</u> <u>certified mail, please</u>) to:

Arizona Homeopathy P.O. Box 26276, Phoenix, AZ 85068

AND also email all admission materials to: info@vithoulkas.college

Thank you!