



*Midline School  
of Integrated Bodywork*

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## Midline School of Integrated Bodywork Mission Statement

The Midline School of Integrated Bodywork was established to provide high quality education in all levels of bodywork. The school offers an introductory class for those interested in learning massage for personal discovery as well as for working with family and friends, **The Beginning Massage and Bodywork Course**. We also offer the **Midline Integrated Bodywork Program** which is designed for more in-depth study. This 500-hour course will provide the necessary skills needed to build a solid foundation in massage therapy and sophisticated bodywork.

The **Midline Integrated Bodywork Program** includes a variety of therapeutic modalities that are blended into a practical and powerful form of bodywork. The classes emphasize a thorough knowledge of body structure, functional anatomy, an understanding of the physiological processes underlying bodywork techniques, and education in the sensitive use of conscious touch.

Massage therapists often take a wide variety of classes, but have difficulty synthesizing all of the different techniques into a coherent whole. Midline courses focus on the anatomical and physiological theory that underlies individual bodywork techniques. Classes also include an exploration of the common threads that run through the various disciplines. This understanding allows a practitioner to blend disparate modalities into a practical, integrated whole.

The program's classes include Swedish Massage, Deep Tissue Massage, Injury and Sports Massage, Clinical Deep Tissue Bodywork, Advanced Bodywork Methods (incorporating Myofascial Release, Muscle Energy Techniques, Positional Release Methods) Introduction to working in the Medical Model, and Postural and Gait Assessment. The common focus of the **Midline Integrated Bodywork Program** is to introduce students to models and methods for understanding and working with the body as a structural and functional whole. Completion of the **Midline Integrated Bodywork Program** will give the student a solid foundation of working knowledge based on the most current trends in the field and allow them to confidently enter the profession of massage therapy.

Our Midline Integrated Bodywork Program is designed to meet the standards for various levels of mastery. By completing the entire 500 hour Integrated Bodywork Program you will receive an Integrated Bodywork Practitioner Certificate of Completion.

**Professional Certification:** There is currently no licensure requirement for massage practitioners, however, the State of California recently instituted a voluntary certification program, administered by the California Massage Therapy Council (CAMTC). Completion of our Swedish Massage and Beginning Deep Tissue Massage, Deep Tissue I, and Deep Tissue II courses will satisfy the minimum requirements for certification as a massage practitioner, and completion of the 500 hour Integrated Bodywork Program will satisfy the requirements for certification as a massage therapist. For more information on state certification, please visit the CAMTC website at <http://www.camtc.org>.

## **BEGINNING MASSAGE AND BODYWORK**

### **125 Hours**

This program is designed to allow entry-level students a forum to explore massage and bodywork as a field of work. Emphasis is placed on personal growth and discovery. Massage and Bodywork is a large field and therapists have many options upon completing a basic program.

### **Swedish Massage and Beginning Deep Tissue Massage (125 hours)**

#### **Instructors: Midline Staff**

This entry-level class is designed as an introduction to the principles and methods of massage and bodywork. Course work includes the nature of the therapeutic relationship, personal boundaries, and the ethics of massage. The class will include an introduction to the physiology of the muscles, connective tissue, neuromuscular interaction, and therapeutic touch. Students will learn the functional anatomy of the surface muscles and osseous landmarks that help orient the practitioner while working.

The class will focus on the fundamental techniques of Swedish massage and beginning deep tissue massage. The student will be able to perform a massage that promotes relaxation, relieves stress, and helps to alleviate common problems due to muscle strain and overuse. This class is designed for those curious about massage and will satisfy most basic requirements for employment as a massage practitioner, although it is highly recommended to do continued studies.

- 30 hours anatomy and physiology
- 45 hours technique: Swedish, deep tissue massage
- 10 hours therapeutic relationship and ethics of touch (business and ethics)
- 10 hours pathology and contraindications to massage
- 5 hours health and hygiene
- 25 hours In-Class Supervised Practice

*Please refer to current schedule for class times and dates.*

Textbook: Trail Guide to the Body

By: Andrew Biel

Students will learn:

- The nature of therapeutic touch in relation to massage.
- Proper draping methods to keep clients comfortable and covered.
- How to address specific areas of the body with Swedish effleurage.
- The nature of flowing from one part of the body to the next.
- Proper body mechanics relating to massage therapists.
- Ethical relationships within the massage therapy realm.
- Beginning business practices including marketing and SOAP notes.
- A study of anatomy and physiology as applied to massage therapy.

## **INTEGRATED BODYWORK PROGRAM**

### **500 Hours**

The 500-hour Midline Integrated Bodywork Program prepares those who are seriously focused on bodywork as a profession. The program is designed as a whole with each class building upon the previous. The Integrated Bodywork Program is designed to lead an entry-level student through 500 hours of massage therapy and bodywork training. In order to receive a Certificate of Completion for this program, all classes (9) must be completed. Midline will not offer a Certificate of Completion for individual classes.

For those who have taken course work at other schools those classes may apply towards our program. The director will review the student's record to determine

eligibility for admission into the appropriate level class.

**Integrated Bodywork Program Overview**

<i>Swedish Massage and Beginning Deep Tissue Massage</i>	<i>125 hours</i>
<i>***see page 3 for course details.</i>	
<i>Deep Tissue Massage I</i>	<i>65 hours</i>
<i>Deep Tissue Massage II</i>	<i>60 hours</i>
<i>Common Injury Massage I</i>	<i>20 hours</i>
<i>Common Injury Massage II</i>	<i>20 hours</i>
<i>Clinical Application of Massage</i>	<i>65 hours</i>
<i>Advanced Bodywork Methods I</i>	<i>65 hours</i>
<i>Advanced Bodywork Methods II</i>	<i>60 hours</i>

*All Classes must be completed in order to receive a Certificate of Completion.*

**Midline Integrated Bodywork Program Courses**

**Swedish Massage and Beginning Deep Tissue Massage (125 hours)**

***Beginning Massage and Bodywork Course***

*\*See page 3 for complete description*

**Deep Tissue Massage I (65 hours)**

***Direct Two-Handed Access***

This Intermediate Bodywork course moves beyond the basics of massage and deepens the students understanding of anatomy and deep tissue massage. Students will explore the detailed anatomy of muscle layers and joint function. The emphasis will be on learning noninvasive, advanced deep tissue techniques, with special attention paid to body mechanics. The student will be prepared to do direct deep tissue massage, understand anatomy, and develop skills to address

many common myofascial problems.

- 20 hours anatomy, physiology, kinesiology
- 20 hours of technique in direct deep tissue bodywork
- 10 hours of pathology
- 15 hours supervised practice

Deep Tissue I will explore the basics of appropriate contact and touch. We will focus mainly on major muscle groups in both the upper and lower parts of the body.

### **Deep Tissue Massage II (60 Hours)**

#### ***Indirect Two-Handed Access***

This second Deep Tissue Massage course moves beyond the basics of deep tissue massage and deepens the students understanding of anatomy and indirect touch. Students will explore the detailed anatomy of muscle layers and joint function of the complex systems in the body. The emphasis will be on learning noninvasive, indirect deep tissue techniques, with special attention paid to accessing the system. The student will be prepared to do indirect deep tissue massage throughout the body, understand anatomy, and develop skills to address many common myofascial problems.

- 20 hours anatomy, physiology, kinesiology
- 20 hours of indirect deep tissue massage technique
- 5 hours of pathology
- 15 hours supervised practice

Deep Tissue II will investigate a more 'indirect' method of touch and focus on more in-depth muscle groups like the iliopsoas complex and thoracic outlet.

### **Common Injury Massage I (20 hours)**

#### ***Applying Bodywork to Rehabilitation***

Often people come to massage therapists to seek help in addressing specific muscle strains or injuries in their body. This class will focus on the more common issues one sees in a massage practice. Most sports injuries are extreme instances of everyday strains and sprains. This class will prepare the student to assess and address these problems. In addition, we will learn how to work with clients during rehabilitation and at sporting events. We set the basic approach to treating various types of injury scenarios. Strains, Sprains,

Tendonitis, Repetitive Stress and Traumas are just some of the issues covered in this course. The focus of this first section is on how the tissue responds to various injuries and the appropriate treatment based on 'how' the injury occurred.

- 10 hours anatomy, physiology, kinesiology
- 5 hours of applied deep tissue techniques
- 5 hours of pathology

### **Common Injury Massage II (20 hours)**

#### ***Applying Bodywork to Rehabilitation***

Continuing from the first section of this course, we take a closer look at the injuries that affect the lower half of the body. Ankles, Knees, Hips and Lower Spine are all covered. Begin to explore how to assess and treat various tissue responses in different areas of the lower body.

- 10 hours anatomy, physiology, kinesiology
- 5 hours of applied deep tissue techniques
- 5 hours of pathology

### **Common Injury Massage III (20 hours)**

#### ***Applying Bodywork to Rehabilitation***

Building on the first section of this course, we explore the injuries that affect the upper half of the body. Shoulders, Elbows, Forearms, Wrist and Upper Spine are all covered. Further explore and treat various tissue responses in the upper extremity, neck and thorax.

- 10 hours anatomy, physiology, kinesiology
- 5 hours of applied deep tissue techniques
- 5 hours of pathology

### **Clinical Application of Massage (65 hrs.)**

#### ***Applying Bodywork to Rehabilitation***

Increasingly, medical professionals are turning to massage and bodywork as a compliment to traditional therapy for more complete rehabilitation for common muscle injuries. Using the Advanced Deep Tissue Techniques learned in previous classes, students will address injuries and chronic pain patterns involving ligaments, tendons, nerves, and bony alignments. This class will also focus on integrating one's bodywork practice into the larger health care community.

- 20 hours anatomy, physiology, kinesiology
- 25 hours of direct and indirect deep tissue techniques specific to injury prevention, rehabilitation and sporting events.
- 5 hours of pathology
- 15 hours supervised practice

### **Advanced Bodywork Methods I (65 hrs.)**

#### ***Myofascial Release Methods, Muscle Energy Techniques, Positional Release***

Myofascial Release Methods, Muscle Energy Techniques, and Positional Release are complementary methods to intelligent Deep Tissue Bodywork. These methods are indirect techniques that rely on the ability to discern patterns of strain and the sensitivity to take the myofascial tissue into the direction of the strain. These indirect methods, coupled with direct deep tissue work, form a comprehensive, non-invasive method for working with clients.

- 20 hours anatomy, physiology, kinesiology, and pathology.
- 30 hours of myofascial release techniques
- 15 hours supervised practice

### **Advanced Bodywork Methods II (60 hrs.)**

#### ***Ligamentous Strain, Exploring the Cranium and Spine***

The class will explore the functional anatomy of the spine, cranium and sacrum. We will introduce the idea of structure as the tonic function of deep muscles, the coordination of deep and surface anatomy, and the dynamic relationship of kyphotic and lordotic curves. Conceptual models for understanding structural dynamics will be combined with Structural Deep Tissue Work in order to address specific problems and return the body to balance.

- 20 hours anatomy, physiology, kinesiology, and pathology.
- 30 hours of technique: Ligamentous Strain, Beg. Cranial-Sacral Therapy
- 10 hours supervised practice

PROGRAM COSTS

*A \$100 non-refundable registration fee is required to secure a spot in the class.*

**Beginning Massage and Bodywork Program**

Tuition: Swedish & Beginning Deep Tissue Massage (125 hrs )	\$1,500
Textbook: Trail Guide to the Body, Andrew Beil	\$ 55
<b>Non Refundable Fees</b>	<b>\$ 105</b>

**Total:**             
**\$1660**

**500 Hour Integrated Bodywork Program**

Tuition (500 hrs.)	\$6200
Textbooks:	\$ 140
<b>Non Refundable Fees</b>	<b>\$117.50</b>

**Total:**             
**\$6707.50**

*The Integrated Bodywork Program may be paid for on a per-class basis.  
The Class Breakdown is as follows:*

Non-Refundable Registration Fee	\$ 100
Swedish and Beginning Deep Tissue Massage (125 hrs.)	\$ 1500
Textbook: Trail Guide to the Body, Andrew Beil	\$ 55
Deep Tissue Massage I (65 hrs.)	\$ 750
Textbook: Deep Tissue Techniques, by: Art Riggs	\$ 30
Deep Tissue Massage II (60 hrs.)	\$ 750
Common Injury Massage I (20 hrs.)	\$ 400
Common Injury Massage II (20 hrs.)	\$ 400
Common Injury Massage III (20 hrs.)	\$ 400
Clinical Application of Massage - (65 hrs.)	\$ 750
Advanced Bodywork Methods I - (65 hrs.)	\$ 750
Textbook: The Balanced Body, by: Donald Sheumann	\$ 55
Advanced Bodywork Methods I - (60 hrs.)	\$ 750
Non-Refundable Student Tuition Recovery Fund (STRF) Obligation	\$ 17.50

**TOTAL AMOUNT OWED: \$6707.50**

*A \$100 non-refundable registration fee is required at time of enrollment.*

*Classes may be paid for on an individual basis.*

*All outstanding payments must be fulfilled in order to be eligible for a Certificate of Completion.*

## Payment and Refund Information

### **Course Registration and Payment for All Programs:**

- All courses at Midline School of Integrated Bodywork require an Enrollment Agreement that must be signed by the first class.
- A \$100 non-refundable registration fee must be submitted with the Enrollment Agreement.
- Full payment must also be received by the first day of class.
- We accept payment via cash, check or Visa/Mastercard.

### **Withdrawal and Refund Policy for the Integrated Bodywork Program:**

- A student has the right to cancel a signed enrollment agreement or withdraw from a class at any time.
- If an Enrollment Agreement has been signed, the student has the right to cancel the enrollment agreement and obtain a refund of charges paid through attendance at the first class session, or the seventh day after enrollment, whichever is later.
- Cancellation of the enrollment agreement or withdrawal from the class will occur when the student gives written notice to the school. Please deliver or mail all withdrawal notices to: Brian Johnson: Managing Member, 555 Soquel Ave, Ste 350, Santa Cruz, CA 95062.
- The refund calculations will be based upon the date the written notice is received, if delivered in person, or from the date the notice is deposited, with pre-paid postage, in the mail.
- The refund will be calculated as follows: The tuition cost is divided by the total number of class hours. This gives the hourly charge for the class. The number of hours the student has attended is multiplied by the hourly charge for the class ("Student Cost"). The refund shall be any amount in excess of the Student Cost that has been paid by the student.
- In the event that a student is asked to leave a class for violation of the school's code of ethics, a refund will be given using the same criteria and formula listed above. The

date upon receiving the written notice of dismissal from the school shall serve as the date used for refund calculations.

- If the student has received federal student financial aid funds, the student is entitled to a refund of moneys not paid from federal student financial aid program funds.
- Students who are not residents of California are not eligible for protection under and recovery from the Student Tuition Recovery Fund (STRF).

**Loans and Financial Aid:** Midline School does not currently offer student loan programs. Midline School does not currently participate in federal or state financial aid programs, or any form of financial aid.

If a student obtains a loan to pay for an educational program, the student will have the responsibility to repay the full amount of the loan plus interest, less the amount of any refund. If a student has received federal student financial aid funds, the student is entitled to a refund of the moneys not paid from federal student financial aid program funds. If a student is eligible for a loan guaranteed by the federal or state government and the student defaults on the loan, both of the following may occur: The federal or state government or a loan guarantee agency may take action against the student, including applying any income tax refund to which the person is entitled to reduce the balance owed on the loan. The student may not be eligible for any other federal or state financial aid at another institution or other government assistance until the loan is repaid.

### **School Policies**

#### **Admission Requirements for All Programs:**

- A student must be 18 years of age.
- Have a high school diploma or equivalent.
- Be physically capable of fully participating in massage training.
- Fill out and submit the application for enrollment.
- Complete a personal interview with Midline staff.
- Students are welcome to visit Midline to tour the facilities, as well as call for further information during the hours of 9am-12pm, and 2-5pm, Monday through Friday.

**Acceptance of Transfer Credits:** Midline School will accept transfer credits only from state-accredited programs. If and only if no state-accreditation program exists within the state of the institution, Midline will accept transfer credits from a NCTMBA-certified program within that state. Course content submitted for transfer will be reviewed by Midline staff, and must be deemed comparable in terms of subject matter before credits are transferred. Please submit all transfer credit requests four to six weeks prior to enrollment in order to allow time for review and verification.

**Experiential Credit:** Midline School currently does not offer experiential credit towards our Integrated Bodywork Certificate Program.

**Attendance:** As attendance is vital to the successful completion of each course of massage training, students are expected to attend all classes. Classes begin on time, and lateness will be noted. Three or more late arrivals will be counted as an absence. Four absences may result in a student's dismissal, subject to the director's discretion. In case of illness, make up classes or tutorials must be arranged with the director.

**Leave of Absence:** Students enrolled in the Integrated Bodywork Program may take one or more leave(s) of absence totaling no more than two years total time, provided all coursework is completed within one consecutive five-year program.

**School Standards:** Students will be graded on attendance, class participation, and assessment by teachers in body mechanics, quality of touch, and creation of therapeutic environment. Students may meet with the instructor or director throughout the course to discuss problems. At the end of each class, a final exam and a practical exam will be given. A passing grade on both the written and practical exam is necessary to complete the class.

**Student Conduct:** All students are expected to respect the property of Midline School as well as the property of other students. Conduct will conform to ethical boundaries, and appropriate behavior for an educational setting. A student may be subject to probation or dismissal for being under the influence of drugs or alcohol, possession or distribution of drugs or alcohol, behavior that creates a safety hazard for others, or behavior determined to be offensive or disruptive in the classroom.

**Suspension, Dismissal and Probation:** Students subject to suspension or dismissal will be notified in writing as well as given verbal notification. The length of the probation or suspension will be specified, as well as requirements to achieve regular student status. In regards to suspension or dismissal, the student's instructor as well as the director will conduct a formal hearing to decide the requirements for reinstatement. A student will only be allowed one probation during his attendance at Midline. A student who has been dismissed must wait one year before reapplying. A student may submit a written appeal to the director regarding probation, suspension, or dismissal, which must be submitted within ten days of the decision. The director will respond in writing within ten days of receipt of the appeal.

**Student Grievances:** Students experiencing difficulties are encouraged to speak directly with the parties involved to alleviate the problem and clear up any misunderstandings. If the parties involved are unable to reach agreement, students should report grievances to the director, school administrator or instructor, and the director will investigate the complaint. If the issue is still unable to be resolved, the student is welcome to contact the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education, at P. O. Box 980818 W. Sacramento, CA 95798-0818, Toll Free Number: (888) 370-7589, Fax Number (916) 263-1897, Website: [www.bppe.ca.gov](http://www.bppe.ca.gov).

**Facilities and Equipment:** Our facilities are equipped for demonstration and supervised practice as well as classroom instruction. We provide massage tables and lotions for practical work. Students are required to bring a set of sheets to each class for their personal use. We also have a variety of reference materials available for on-site student use, including books and videos. Complimentary water and tea are available on-site.

**Student Services:** Administrative services are available to students Monday – Friday, 9am-12pm and 2pm-5pm. On-site access to reference materials is available by arrangement Monday – Friday, 9am-5pm.

**Housing:** Our program is strictly non-residential. Midline School has no responsibility to find or assist a student in finding housing. There are rental studios, apartments and houses available within Santa Cruz city limits. Typical monthly rents range from \$950 - \$2500.

**Visas / International Students:** Midline School of Integrated Bodywork does not currently admit students who are not legal U.S. residents.

**Placement Services:** Midline School of Integrated Bodywork does not currently offer placement services.

**Records:** Midline School of Integrated Bodywork maintains all student files in the school office. Students may request to see their files by contacting office staff by phone (831) 421-9222 or by e-mail at [school@midlinemassage.com](mailto:school@midlinemassage.com). Student transcripts are provided free of charge for the first copy and \$10 each for each subsequent copy. Student records are maintained for five years.

**Questions:** Any questions a student may have that have not been satisfactorily answered by the institution may be directed to the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education, at P. O. Box 980818 W. Sacramento, CA 95798-0818, Toll Free Number: (888) 370-7589, Fax Number (916) 263-1897, Website: [www.bppe.ca.gov](http://www.bppe.ca.gov).

### **Notices and Disclosures**

**Document Review:** As a prospective student, you are encouraged to review this catalog prior to signing an enrollment agreement. You are also encouraged to review the School Performance Fact Sheet, which must be provided to you prior to signing an enrollment agreement.

**Transfer Out:** NOTICE CONCERNING TRANSFERABILITY OF CREDITS  
AND CREDENTIALS EARNED AT OUR INSTITUTION:

The transferability of credits you earn at Midline School of Integrated Bodywork is at the complete discretion of an institution to which you may seek to transfer. Acceptance of the Midline Integrated Bodywork Certificate you earn in the Midline Integrated Bodywork Program is also at the complete discretion of the institution to which you may seek to transfer.

If the Midline Integrated Bodywork Certificate you earn at this institution are not accepted at the institution to which you seek to transfer, you may be required to repeat some or all of your coursework at the institution. For this reason, you should make

certain that your attendance at this institution will meet your educational goals. This may include contacting an institution to which you may seek to transfer after attending Midline School of Integrated Bodywork to determine if your certificate will transfer.

**Student Tuition Recovery Fund:** The Student Tuition Recovery Fund (STRF) was established by the Legislature to protect any California Resident who attends a private postsecondary institution from losing money if you prepaid tuition and suffered a financial loss as a result of the school closing, failing to live up to its enrollment agreement, or refusing to pay a court judgment.

To be eligible for STRF, you must be a 'California Resident' and reside in California at the time the enrollment agreement is signed or when you receive lessons at a California mailing address from an approved institution offering correspondence instruction. Students who are temporarily residing in California for the sole purpose of pursuing an education, specifically those who hold student visas, are not considered a 'California Resident.'

To qualify for STRF reimbursement you must file a STRF application within one year of receiving notice from the Bureau that the school is closed. If you do not receive notice from the Bureau, you have four years from the date of closure to file a STRF application. If a judgment is obtained you must file a STRF application within two years of the final judgment.

It is important that you keep copies of the enrollment agreement, financial aid papers, receipts or any other information that documents the monies paid to the school. Questions regarding the STRF may be directed to the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education at: P. O. Box 980818 W. Sacramento, CA 95798-0818, Toll Free Number: (888) 370-7589, Fax Number (916) 263-1897, Website: [www.bppe.ca.gov](http://www.bppe.ca.gov) .

You must pay the state-imposed assessment for the Student Tuition Recovery Fund (STRF) if all of the following applies to you:

1. You are a student in an educational program, who is a California resident, or are enrolled in a residency program, and prepay all or part of your tuition either by cash, guaranteed student loans, or personal loans, and

2. Your total charges are not paid by any third-party payer such as an employer, government program or other payer unless you have a separate agreement to repay the third party.

You are not eligible for protection from the STRF and you are not required to pay the STRF assessment, if either of the following applies:

1. You are not a California resident, or are not enrolled in a residency program, or
2. Your total charges are paid by a third party, such as an employer, government program or other payer, and you have no separate agreement to repay the third party.

The State of California created the Student Tuition Recovery Fund (STRF) to relieve or mitigate economic losses suffered by students in educational programs who are California residents, or are enrolled in a residency programs attending certain schools regulated by the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education.

You may be eligible for STRF if you are a California resident or are enrolled in a residency program, prepaid tuition, paid the STRF assessment, and suffered an economic loss as a result of any of the following:

1. The school closed before the course of instruction was completed.
2. The school's failure to pay refunds or charges on behalf of a student to a third party for license fees or any other purpose, or to provide equipment or materials for which a charge was collected within 180 days before the closure of the school.
3. The school's failure to pay or reimburse loan proceeds under a federally guaranteed student loan program as required by law or to pay or reimburse proceeds received by the school prior to closure in excess of tuition and other costs.
4. There was a material failure to comply with the Act or this Division within 30 days before the school closed or, if the material failure began earlier than 30 days prior to closure, the period determined by the Bureau.

5. An inability after diligent efforts to prosecute, prove, and collect on a judgment against the institution for a violation of the Act.

Note: Authority cited: Sections 94803, 94877 and 94923, Education Code. Reference: Section 94923, Education Code.

**Financial Status:** Midline School of Integrated Bodywork does not have a pending petition in bankruptcy, is not operating as a debtor in possession, has not ever filed a petition, has never had a petition filed against it, and has never reorganized under Chapter 11 of the United States Bankruptcy Code.

**Complaints:** A student or any member of the public may file a complaint about this institution with the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education at: P. O. Box 980818 W. Sacramento, CA 95798-0818, Toll Free Number: (888) 370-7589, Fax Number (916) 263-1897, Website: [www.bppe.ca.gov](http://www.bppe.ca.gov) .

**Pending Notice for BPPE Approval:** Midline School of Integrated Bodywork is a private institution. This institution received a temporary approval to operate from the Bureau for Private Postsecondary and Vocational Education (“Bureau”), whose jurisdiction was dissolved before approval was finalized. Our institution now falls under the regulation of the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education (Toll Free Number: (888) 370-7589, Website: [www.bppe.ca.gov](http://www.bppe.ca.gov)). The Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education has reclassified our status from “temporary approval” to “pending”. We are in the process of submitting documentation for permanent approval from the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education.

<p><b>This institution’s application for approval to operate has not yet been reviewed by the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education.</b></p>
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## Midline Staff

### **Brian Johnson - Clinic Director, Rolfing® Practitioner, Sports Injury Specialist**

Brian has a degree in Linguistics from the University of California at Santa Cruz. He began his massage studies in 2000. He spent two years working in Palo Alto with SMI (Sports Medicine Institute) focusing on running, swimming and endurance athlete injuries. He then worked in Santa Cruz for two years at Novacare/Flemming Physical Therapy working with post-surgical and trauma injuries. He finished his Rolfing® training in April 2004. He opened Midline Deep Tissue and Bodywork Clinic and School of Integrated Bodywork in the spring of 2005, and is the clinic director and Rolfer on staff.

### **Kelly Stoll, Rolfing® Practitioner, Reiki Master**

Kelly Stoll graduated from the University of California, Santa Cruz in 2002. She continued her education in the field of health care, receiving her degree as a Skillful Touch Practitioner in 2004, and graduated as a Certified Rolfer® in 2005. Kelly is an athlete with extensive training in the healing and martial arts, including nutrition, meditation, dance, yoga and movement education. For nearly a decade Kelly has studied the art and science of Warrior Yoga®. She is also a certified Reiki Master from the Usui Tradition. Kelly became interested in bodywork while recovering from an injury to her spine several years ago. Bodywork has had a lasting and profound effect on Kelly's life, compelling her to share this work with others.

### **Jennifer Galvin, Certified Massage Practitioner**

Jennifer came to the world of massage and bodywork out of a long standing interest in the field of holistic health coupled with a desire to make her life's work meaningful both for herself and others. She began her formal training in holistic health studies at Body Mind College in San Diego in 2000 and completed my massage certification in 2003 at Monterey Institute of Touch. She has been studying deep tissue and orthopedic massage for the five years under Brian Johnson, Certified Rolfer® and co-founder of Midline Massage and Bodywork Clinic and School of Integrated Bodywork.

“My greatest hope for a person receiving a massage from me is that my touch will bring a heightened awareness to the infinite healing potential that already exists within their bodies. And of course, that they will leave feeling great! “