

# EXPERIENCE CONVENTION

Join us September 12-14 as we come together with our massage therapy community in Tampa. Hear from exciting speakers, learn new techniques with hands-on training, and check out the latest massage products. Reconnect with friends (and make new ones) and reignite your passion for the profession at Convention!



#### **GET INSPIRED**

Find new inspiration with enthusiastic and knowledgeable keynote speakers at Convention.



#### **LEARN NEW SKILLS**

Get hands-on education for new massage techniques and learn the latest in massage therapy research, business, ethics, sports massage, self-care and more. Choose from 30+ session offerings and earn 15+ CEs.



### TRY THE LATEST PRODUCTS

Peruse the Exhibit Hall and see the latest innovations in massage therapy



## CONNECT WITH \*\*\* YOUR COMMUNITY

Convention is all about the people! Network with leaders in the massage therapy profession, and exchange ideas with like-minded peers. Reconnect with old friends and make some new ones.



#### **DISCOVER TAMPA**

Explore the greater Tampa Bay area by taking some time to relax at award-winning beaches and experience the history, culture and food of this centuries- old city. Make the most of your trip to Convention on the Gulf Coast!



#### **WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11**

8am-5:30pm	Pre-Convention Workshops
11am-6pm	Table Storage
11am-5pm	Attendee/Exhibitor Registration

#### **THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12**

7am-6:30pm	Attendee/Exhibitor Registration
9am	Opening Session and Keynote Address
11am-2pm	Exhibit Hall Open
11:30am	First-Timers Lunch
1:30-3:30pm & 4-6pm	Education Session
5:30-7pm	Exhibit Hall Open

#### **FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13**

7am-6pm	Table Storage
7am-6pm	Attendee/Exhibitor Registration
10am-5:30pm	Education Sessions
10am-12pm	Education Sessions
10am-5:30pm	Teachers Day
10:30am-3:30pm	Student Day
11:30am-3:30pm	Exhibit Hall Open
12pm	Teachers Celebration Luncheon
1:30-5:30pm	Education Sessions
5:30-7pm	Exhibit Hall Open: Reception

#### **SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14**

7am-4:30pm	Table Storage
7am-12:30pm	Attendee/Exhibitor Registration
8am-12pm	Education Sessions
11am-1:45pm	Exhibit Hall Open
1pm	Passport to Prizes
2pm	Closing Panel
4:30-6:30pm	Closing Reception



# CONTINUING EDUCATION

Learn from top massage therapy educators and earn the highest quality CE credits in the profession at the AMTA 2024 National Convention. Our continuing education is rigorously vetted, meaning we take the extra steps to submit for NCBTMB and each state, as required.

Explore new techniques in hands-on courses, and stay up to date with the most recent massage research. Expand your skills and grow your practice with top courses in business, self-care, ethics, research and teaching skills.



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**See what's making a splash in Tampa!** There's a wide array of activities and attractions for whatever your interests may be. Discover what downtown Tampa has to offer on the Riverwalk, or explore Tampa Bay's museums, golf courses, and nearby beaches.



#### **AMTA 2024 NATIONAL CONVENTION LOCATION:**

**Tampa Convention Center** 333 S Franklin St Tampa, FL 33602

**Tampa Marriott Water Street** 505 Water St Tampa, FL 33602 (813) 221-4900

**Embassy Suites by Hilton** 513 South Florida Ave Tampa, FL, 33602 (813) 769-8300

Stay in the heart of the convention happenings with AMTA's official hotel.

The AMTA rate will be available until

#### **GETTING TO TAMPA:**

Tampa International Airport (TPA) is approximately 9.5 miles from downtown Tampa. Taxis are available from baggage claim to downtown. Lyft and Uber are available from the airport as well.

# TOP5THINGS TO DO IN Jampa

There's something for everyone in Tampa.

Dive into the rich history of Ybor City — home to Florida's oldest restaurant. Spend time outside by relaxing at one of the nearby award-winning beaches. Immerse yourself in arts and culture in one of Tampa's many museums. All of that and more is waiting for you!

TAMPA RIVERWALK

no passport necessary!

Right outside the Convention Center, the 2.6 mile long Tampa Riverwalk is lined with attractions, restaurants, and parks. Walk, run, bike or scooter as you take in downtown Tampa, and see the colorful lights of the Riverwalk at night.

- **YBOR CITY** Tampa's roots are in the historic district of Ybor City. With a variety of activities available, there is so much to do here to get to know Tampa. Enjoy a Cuban sandwich in its birthplace, meet a cigar roller and learn how Tampa became the Cigar Capital of the World, step back in time and take a ride on the TECO Streetcar and even visit Cuban soil —
- **BUSCH GARDENS** Thrill-seekers and animal-lovers alike can find what they're looking for at Busch Gardens Tampa Bay. There's over 300 acres of attractions based on worldly adventures as well as one of the nation's premier zoos with over 12,000 animals. Plus, live shows, shopping, restaurants, and games!
- AWARD-WINNING BEACHES Tampa's average of 361 days of sunshine make it the perfect place to enjoy some time at the beach! Nearby Clearwater Beach has been voted "Best Beach Town" by USA Today, featuring sugar-fine sand — perfect if you want to relax on shore or take a dip in the ocean.
- **HIT THE LINKS** Florida has more golf courses than any other state, and there are over 10 just in Tampa! Whether you're an experienced golfer or just looking for a fun and easy round, there's a variety of courses at a range of price points available.

We look forward to you joining us in Tampa!





