

**UPMC  
Clinical Scope of Practice Request  
Criteria Summary Sheet**

**Facility:** UPMC Shadyside

**Specialty:** MASSAGE THERAPIST

<b>TRAINING/ CERTIFICATION</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. At least 500 hours of formal training from a recognized program in massage therapy.</li><li>2. National affiliation with one of the three professional massage therapy organizations. a. AMTA (American Massage Therapy Association), b. ABMP (Association of Bodyworkers and Massage Professionals), c. IMA (International Massage Association).</li><li>3. Certification in at least one of the modalities of massage therapy.</li><li>4. Certification in each designated modality offered by the Center Medical Director.</li><li>5. Completion of a personality and trial practice evaluation.</li></ol>
<b>OTHER</b>	N/A