



Teletraining FAQs

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What ILWTI courses are available via Teletraining?

All ILWTI courses on our website are now available in the Teletraining format:

- Certified Lymphedema & Wound Therapist
- Certified Wound Therapist
- Modern MLD Certification
- Certified Compression Specialist
- Modern MLD for LMTs
- Head & Neck Oncology Certificate
- and More!

What is ILWTI's Teletraining Model?

This proven educational format is multi-modal, combining a variety of approaches to create an effective, competency based training program:

- on-line pre-course work, completed at your own pace, including videos, reading, and quizzes
- live, hands on, interactive lectures via distance learning with experts in the field
- interactive labs where supplies are shipped to you ahead of time and you are guided step by step remotely with a live instructor
- step by step how-to videos, and your own return-demo videos for your instructors
- assignments and group activities
- accessibility to small group and even one-on-one remote mentoring with an instructor, if needed
- proctored written exam
- learn at your pace, attend mandatory sessions, and test out when you achieve competency in the skills
- includes training materials, course books, free samples of wound dressings and full bandaging kits, lab supplies, your certification exam and Certificates, one year access to online modules, and lifetime access to the Alumni Portal Library which includes a plethora of resources

What does it take to be successful as a student of Teletraining?

You will need a self-motivated and independent learning style. You need to have a medical license, experience in palpation and manual therapies and a working knowledge of human anatomy and physiology. Pre-requisites are posted on course page.

Will I get CEU credits for “live” Teletraining?

Yes. Teletraining delivered in interactive, distance learning formats count as live continuing education with state boards. We will calculate the actual number of hours you attend and include the total live attendance CEUs on your Certification Certificate(s), in addition to the online CEU hours for your pre-course work.

Will I be Certified?

Yes, via our many state, national, and industry accreditations, you will be board Certified through ILWTI! The ultimate objective of any course is to make sure you master the new skills and become confident and competent to treat patients. Because of the way we develop this curriculum, your level of competency will equal that of attending one of our On-Site courses. You will not need any additional certifications or exams to treat patients, bill for services, and get paid for those services, provided you are treating within your license, scope of practice and skill level. However, you may also take additional board exams, ie LANA, CWS, etc. should you choose; our programs meet the prerequisite training requirements of these as well.

Who will I practice on?

There are sessions where you will need a volunteer partner for hands-on labs. **Practice between labs can be done on yourself, family members, a colleague or a volunteer.** Many labs are live instructor guided activities where you will practice techniques on yourself first and then progress to implementing them on a volunteer.

How will I take my Final Written Exam and Practicum?

A **remotely proctored, written final exam** will be made available to you on the last day of the Certified Wound Therapist section. MLD and CCS Bandaging have skills **checkpoints** built into the Teletraining. You will have **one-on-one practicums remotely** with ILWTI Instructors.

Does this qualify as hours to apply to sit for the LANA exam?

Yes! The Lymphology Association of North America recognizes ILWTI's CLWT® Teletraining program as qualified hours to apply to take the LANA exam. We will need to meet in person for a 2hr final assessment (we typically recommend practicing for 6 months prior to LANA exam). When that time comes, we can schedule a meeting with one of our instructors across the US or meet at one of the many industry conferences we attend each year.

Does Teletraining Really Work?

The ILWTI Teletraining curriculum and format was successfully beta tested in the Doctorate of Physical Therapy program at Nova Southeastern University in 2019/2020...we train hundreds of medical professionals each year w/ thousands of successful case studies, and maintain a 99% positive feedback of our format. We are confident that you will succeed as well. Our training format saves time and money from traveling and it gives us more opportunity to learn from several industry experts around the United States; we bring them right to the comfort of your home or clinic!