The Dance Movement Therapy Department of the Estonian Society of Creative Arts

ROUTE TO STATE RECOGNITION

WHAT WAS THE PROCESS FOR RECOGNITION?

1. Collaboration between 3 specialisations, DMT, Music and Art. Process enhanced due to the relatively small population of Estonia and the CAT community.

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2. They formed a working group approved by the Estonian Qualifications Authority to set occupational standards.

HOW IS RECOGNITION DEMONSTRATED?

Protected Title: Creative Arts Therapist

UNDER WHICH GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT IS DMT REGISTERED?

CATS are registered under the Estonian Qualifications Authority a consortium of Employment bodies including a representative from the Ministry of Education and Research.

How is the DMT Association organised in Estonia?

It is registered with the Estonian Qualifications Authority as Creative Arts Therapist Level 7 qualification standard.

ARE THE COSTS OF DMT COVERED?

Costs are funded by the state under the rehabilitation system.

WHERE DO ARTS THERAPISTS TRAIN?

Training for Masters' prerequisites not stated.

Is a University Qualification required?

Yes - 2year Masters. MSc.
Government funded.
However, the extensive prerequisites for this degree are self-funded by the students.