



Therapeutic Touch Network of Ontario (TTNO) Mentorship Strategy

Strengthening Therapeutic Touch® practice across Ontario through sharing knowledge and experience

FOUNDATION PIECES

Guiding Principles

- *Build on best practices and past/current efforts
- *Members across the province can participate and benefit
- *Roll out in phases – each stage will build on what we learn from the previous one
- *Quick wins built in to maximize early benefits and build momentum

Governance and Key Partnerships

- *The Mentorship Committee reports to the TTNO Board
- *We will work closely with key partners including Teacher Liaison, Practitioner Liaison, and Communications Chairs to co-ordinate efforts

Increase Capacity and Representation

- *Seek out new members for the Mentorship Committee from across the province (January 2026)

Continuous improvement

- *On-going feedback and sharing of lessons learned will help to refine and improve all of the programs and keep them current and useful

IMPLEMENTATION

Workbook Practitioners (WPs), Aspiring WPs, and mentors/supervisors as appropriate

- *Zoom Support Group for sustained support, encouragement, connection, and group mentorship. (June 2026)
- *Mentoring Module with information workbook practitioners need to understand the process

Mentors and Supervisors of Workbook Practitioners and aspiring mentors and supervisors

- *Zoom Support Group for sustained support and idea sharing
- *Mentor/Supervisor Module to support them in staying current and confident in their roles

Aspiring Teachers/Teacher Mentors and aspiring Teacher Mentors

- *Zoom Support Group for sustained support and idea sharing
- *Mentoring Module with information aspiring teachers need to understand the process

Workbook Reviewers

- *Sustained support and sharing of insights (already in place)
- *Feedback from this component will help to strengthen workbook submissions and improve mentoring across all groups

COMMUNICATION

We recognize communications as an essential element. We will use a mix of tools including social media, the website, *inTouch*, e-mail, Branches and other channels to share updates, promote programs, and make mentoring information easy to find