



香港運動治療師總會
SPORTS THERAPISTS ASSOCIATION OF HONG KONG

Guideline on Use of Professional Titles (For All Categories)

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Purpose

The purpose of the Guideline is to establish a standard of use of professional titles of the Association's members not limited to presentation and promotion of sports therapy professions to the target public.

Guideline

1. Category A - Registered Member

1.1 Presentation of "Registered Sports Therapist" member:

- Full title in English - **Registered Sports Therapist (HK)**
- Full title in Chinese - **註冊運動治療師(香港)**
- Abbreviated title - **STaOHK-Reg**

1.2 Format of presentation:

<i>Name of therapist</i>	CHAN Tai Man
<i>Major Academic Qualification(s)</i>	BSoSc(Hons) SRM
<i>Professional title in full description</i>	Registered Sports Therapist (HK, UK)
<i>Professional title in short description</i>	STaOHK-Reg, MSST

1.3 Addition of other professional titles in short form - maximum 4 titles:

<i>Name of therapist</i>	CHAN Tai Man
<i>Major Academic Qualification(s)</i>	BSoSc(Hons) SRM
<i>Professional title in full description</i>	Registered Sports Therapist (HK, UK)
<i>Professional title in short description</i>	STaOHK-Reg, MSST
<i>Other related professional title</i> <i>(Max. 4 titles in short form)</i>	CSCS, CPT, ICIS, PHTLS

1.4 Addition of other professional titles in full name - maximum 4 titles:

<i>Name of therapist</i>	CHAN Tai Man
<i>Major Academic Qualification(s)</i>	Bachelor of Social Science in Sport and Recreation Management (Specialization in Sports Therapy)
<i>Professional title in full description</i>	Registered Sports Therapist (HK, UK)
<i>Professional title in short description</i>	STaOHK-Reg, MSST
<i>Other related professional title</i> <i>(Max. 4 titles in short form)</i>	Certified Strength and Conditioning Specialist Certified Personal Trainer Immediate Care in Sports(Level 2) Pre-hospital Trauma Life Support Provider

2. **Category A - Student Member**

2.1 Presentation of “Registered Sports Therapist” member:

- Full title - **Student Sports Therapist (HK)**
- Full title in Chinese - **學生運動治療師(香港)**
- Abbreviated title - **STAoHK-Stu**

2.2 Format of presentation:

Name of therapist CHAN Tai Man
Professional title in full description Student Sports Therapist (HK)
Professional title in short description STAoHK-Stu

2.3 Addition of other professional titles in short form - maximum 4 titles: same as the requirement of registered member section.

2.4 Addition of other professional titles in full name - maximum 4 titles: same as the requirement of registered member section.

3. Category B - Medical and Allied Health Member

3.1 Presentation title in full name:

English -

“Medical and Allied Health Member of Sports Therapists Association of Hong Kong”;

Chinese -

“香港運動治療師總會醫療及輔助醫療會員”

3.2 Professional title in short form:

“STAoHK - Med/AH”

4. Category B - Professional Member

4.1 Presentation of the title in full name:

English -

“Professional Member of Sports Therapists Association of Hong Kong”;

Chinese -

“香港運動治療師總會專業會員”

4.2 Professional title in short form:

“STAoHK - PM”

4.3 Examples:

Example A

Full description:

Mr. Chan Tai Man

Bachelor of Science in Sports Science

Certified Strength and Conditioning Specialist

Professional Member of Sports Therapists Association of Hong Kong

Short description:

Mr. Chan Tai Man
BSc(Hons), CSCS, STAoHK-PM

Example B

Full description:

Mr. Chan Tai Man
Master of Science in Sports Medicine and Health Science
Accredited Sports Trainer(Advanced)
Professional Member of Sports Therapists Association of Hong Kong

Short description:

Mr. Chan Tai Man
MScSMHS
STAoHK-PM

Note to all Category B members:

Please refer to your related professional body on the format of presentation. You should take your primary professional body as prevail.