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Ordinance	http://ccmtonline.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/01/Muni-Aurora-Massage-Facility.pdf	http://ccmtonline.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/01/Muni-Commerce-City-Massage-Facility.pdf	http://ccmtonline.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/01/Muni-Denver-Massage-Facility.pdf	http://ccmtonline.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/01/Muni-Wheat-Ridge-Massage-Facility.pdf
Fees	\$206 year	\$150 year	\$500 application - \$250 per year	\$25.00 year
Application	http://p1cdn4static.civiclive.com/UserFiles/Servers/Server_1881137/File/Business%20Services/License/Additional/Massage%20Facility%20License%20Application.pdf	https://www.c3gov.com/home/showpublisheddocument/12870/637552887134230000	Not yet available Ordinance effective 07-01-2022	https://www.ci.wheatridge.co.us/DocumentCenter/View/32765/2020Massage-Business--License-App-Final
Additional Applications and Paperwork	Managers License Table shower permit	Background Investigation Cover Sheet https://www.c3gov.com/home/showpublisheddocument/12866/637552886183230000 Background Application https://www.c3gov.com/home/showpublisheddocument/12868/637521705552470000 Table shower permit	Fee Ordinance http://ccmtonline.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/01/Muni-Denver-Massage-Facility-Cost.pdf General information https://www.denvergov.org/Government/Agencies-Departments-Offices/Agencies-Departments-Offices-Directory/Business-Licensing/Business-Licenses/Massage-Business?BestBetMatch=message 41f3061b-ed47-4646-94e6-4c9ce6f34276 2cd35cd6-0698-4178-bcc1-475694b64456 en-US No mention of table shower	Solo Practioner Application https://www.ci.wheatridge.co.us/DocumentCenter/View/32766/Solo-Practitioner-Final Massage Business Managers License Application https://www.ci.wheatridge.co.us/DocumentCenter/View/32767/2020Massage-Business--Managers-License-App General Information https://www.ci.wheatridge.co.us/1009/Massage-Businesses Table shower permit
Message - Definition	Uses language of 12-235-104.4	Does not define	Uses language of 12-235-104.4	Uses language of 12-235-104.4

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Solo Practitioner Exemption	<p>Exempted if:</p> <p>A place of business where a licensed massage therapist practices as a solo practitioner, and complies with all required acts and limitations of operation of this section and:</p> <p>a. Does not use a business name or assumed name; or</p> <p>b. Uses a business name or an assumed name and provides the massage therapist's full legal name, or license number in each advertisement, and each time the business name or assumed name appears in writing; and</p> <p>c. Does not maintain or operate a table shower as defined in this section</p>	<p>Exempted if:</p> <p>A facility used by a massage therapist practicing as a solo practitioner who:</p> <p>Complies with all standards of conduct, facility requirements, and inspection requirements imposed by this division;</p> <p>Does not use a business name or assumed name or, if a business name or assumed name is used, provides the massage therapist's full legal name and license number in each advertisement and each time the business name or assumed name appears in writing;</p> <p>Does not advertise as an erotic parlor; and Does not operate a table shower.</p>	<p>Exempted if:</p> <p>A place of business where a licensed massage therapist practices as a solo practitioner; or</p>	<p>Exempted if they fill out a solo practitioner exemption AND are:</p> <p>A place of business where a state-licensed massage therapist practices as a solo practitioner, and complies with all required acts and limitations of operation of this section and;</p> <p>Does not use a business name or assumed name; or</p> <p>Uses a business name or an assumed name and provides the massage therapist's full legal name, or license number in each advertisement, and each time the business name or assumed name appears in writing; and</p> <p>Does not maintain or operate a table shower as defined in this section.</p>	
Excluded Practices	<p>Uses language similar to 12-235-110(1)(e)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - protects proprietary practices - includes revocation clause similar to 12-235-110(2) 	<p>Uses language similar to 12-235-110(1)(e)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - protects proprietary practices - no revocation clause 	<p>Uses language similar to 12-235-110(1)(e)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - includes revocation clause similar to 12-235-110(2) 	<p>Uses language similar to 12-235-110(1)(e)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - protects proprietary practices - includes revocation clause similar to 12-235-110(2) 	

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Clothing	<p>86-443.(7) To allow any employee to provide massage therapy or other massage services without being fully clothed. For purposes of this subsection, clothing shall be of a fully opaque, nontransparent material that shall not expose the employee's genitalia or substantially expose the employee's undergarments.</p> <p>86-444.(6) Massage therapist shall remain fully clothed in professional attire while administering massage or otherwise visible to clients on business premises, including premises designated by the client through an outcall massage service.</p>	<p>9-3706.(4) No person shall provide massage therapy or other massage services in a massage facility or be visible to clients in a massage facility without being clothed in professional attire consisting of fully opaque, nontransparent material that covers the employee's intimate parts and does not substantially expose the employee's undergarments;</p>	Does not address	<p>11-239.(7) To allow any employee to provide massage therapy or other massage services without being fully clothed. For purposes of this subsection, employee clothing shall be of a fully opaque, nontransparent material that shall not expose the employee's genitals, pubic region, buttocks, or breasts below a point one (1) inch above the top of the areola, or substantially expose the employee's undergarments.</p>	
Facility Limitations or Requirements	<p>The location where the license is applied for has not had a similar license revoked or surrendered for cause within the last 24 months.</p>	<p>The location where the license is applied for has not had a similar license revoked or surrendered for cause within the last 24 months.</p> <p>Required only in Commerce City - Lighting - min 40 watts - Water -hot and cold at all times - Toilet facilities - Towels and linen</p>	<p>The location where the license is applied for has not had a similar license revoked or surrendered for cause within the last 24 months.</p>	<p>The location where the license is applied for has not had a similar license revoked or surrendered for cause within the last 24 months.</p>	
Restricted Hours	No operation 10:00 pm to 5:00 am	No operation 10:00 pm to 5:00 am	No operation 11:00 pm to 5:00 am	No operation 9:00 pm to 6:00 am	
Living or Sleeping Quarters	Owner and family members of a massage facility operated as a home occupation are exempt	Does not address	Does not address	Owner and family members of a massage facility operated as a home occupation are exempt	

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Locking Exterior Doors	Exterior doors may remain locked if the massage facility is owned by one individual with no more than one employee or independent contractor	Exterior doors may remain locked if only one employee is present... or if there is physical danger to persons present	Does not address	Exterior doors may remain locked if - business is operated as a home occupation - when only one employee is present	
Considerations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No residential or mobile lock outs -- sole practitioners are exempt across the spectrum of practice options. • Language that respects licensed professionals working in massage establishments. • Banish the term - illegitimate massage facility. • • • • • • 				