

EDUCATION IN SWITZERLAND
8 STEPS

January 2012

1st Step:

To obtain cantonal or federal Maturity

2nd Step:

Application for aptitude test for Chiropractic Studies at the Medical Faculty of the University of Zürich

Application deadline at a time until February 15th

<http://www.crus.ch/information-programme/anmeldung-zum-medizinstudium.html>
<http://www.crus.ch/information-programmes/anmeldung-zum-medizinstudium.html?L=1>

3rd Step:

To pass aptitude test for admittance to Chiropractic Studies at the Medical Faculty of the University of Zürich

4th Step:

Chiropractic Studies at the Medical Faculty of the University of Zürich

<http://www.med.uzh.ch/Chiropraktik.html>

5th Step:

Federal Exam for chiropractors after completion of the education

entitles for dependant practice of the profession

Information on Federal Exam:

<http://www.swiss-chiropractic-academy.ch/html/education+8.html>

Application for Federal Exam:

<http://www.bag.admin.ch/themen/berufe/04305/index.html?lang=de>
<http://www.bag.admin.ch/themen/berufe/04305/index.html?lang=fr>

6th Step:

Postgraduate Education to *Fachchiropraktor/Chiropraticien spécialiste/Chiropratico specialista*

Two to three years assistantship at a qualified chiropractor entitled for Postgraduate Education together with courses at the Swiss Academy for Chiropractic

Information on Postgraduate Education:

<http://www.swiss-chiropractic-academy.ch/html/education+1.html>

7th Step:

Postgraduate Education Exam as *Fachchiropraktor/Chiropraticien spécialiste/Chiropratico specialista* under supervision of the *Bundesamt für Gesundheit BAG / Office fédéral de la santé publique OFSP*

The diploma entitles to independent practice of the profession in Switzerland.

Application for and information on Postgraduate Education Exam:

<http://www.swiss-chiropractic-academy.ch/html/education+8.html>

8th Step:

Annual mandatory Continuing Educations are part of the contracts with the social insurance partners (sickness-, accident and military insurance) since decades

Information on Continuing Education:

<http://www.swiss-chiropractic-academy.ch/html/education+2.html>

Further information on Chiropractic:

<http://www.chirosuisse.info/d/html/>

<http://www.chirosuisse.info/f/html/>

<http://www.chirosuisse.info/i/html/>

<http://www.swiss-chiropractic-academy.ch/html/>