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ALEXANDRIA, IN – **Forty** new Massage Therapists graduated from the Alexandria School of Scientific Therapeutics **Saturday, June 9th, 2012** during ceremonies at **Alexandria Monroe High School Auditorium**.

The students recently completed a 10 and 1/2-month course of study at the Alexandria School in which they learned Scientific Swedish Massage, Active Isolated Stretching, Hydrotherapy, Muscle Balancing, Anatomy and Physiology, Ethics and Business, and many other techniques related to natural health therapy.

“We are very proud of our graduates and we feel that they are uniquely qualified to meet the growing demand for professionals who can help others in maintaining good health,” said Ruthann Hobbs, founder of the school and Chief Instructor. “Massage Therapy is a quickly growing field because more and more people are taking an active role in their own health.”

The Alexandria School of Scientific Therapeutics was founded in 1982 by Ruthann and her husband, Herb. It has grown from a tiny storefront classroom to a major training facility for Massage Therapists and Pfrimmer Deep Muscle Therapists. The school has attained Federal Accreditation and the course has been divided into three programs. Professional Swedish Massage Therapy is Swedish Massage Therapy and related techniques. Advanced Professional Massage Therapy is Swedish Massage Therapy, related techniques and Pfrimmer Deep Muscle Therapy. Comprehensive Advanced Professional Massage Therapy is Swedish Massage Therapy, related techniques, Pfrimmer Deep Muscle Therapy and Equine, Canine, Feline Therapy. Classes start **July 31**, contact the school as soon as possible if you are interested in attending.

Graduates of the school are qualified for membership in the American Massage Therapy Association, which sets standards for professional therapists. Those graduating include:

Darlene Kay Allen, LAPEL IN	April Kobel, MUNCIE IN
Teresa Wyn Baker, PLAINFIELD IN	Jeff McCrocklin, MIDDLETOWN IN
Marcy Lynne Bales, SHARPSVILLE IN	Lori Ann Minnick, MUNCIE IN
Courtney Danielle Brown, ANDERSON IN	Victoria Sunshine Mitton, COLFAX IN
Kaleigh BreAnne Call, YORKTOWN IN	Desiree Susan Murray, SUMMITVILLE IN
Michael Anthony Conley, INDIANAPOLIS IN	Ann Marie Nathan, ANDERSON IN
Kelly L. Cooper, MUNCIE IN	Dakun Nicholls, INDIANAPOLIS IN
Brihanne Ashli Dahlstrom, FT WAYNE IN	Devan Nichole Nutt, MEXICO IN
Ashley R. DeFoe, NOBLESVILLE IN	Elijah Muhammad Peak, ANDERSON IN
Kelly Jean Deling, JANESVILLE MN	Ty N. Preston, MUNCIE IN
James Dean Ferguson, ANDERSON IN	Jacob A. Randolph, GASTON IN
Michelle Ann Gardner, SELMA IN	Breanne E. Roberson, KOKOMO IN
Alayna J. Haas, ARCADIA IN	Kimberly Dawn Spencer, ELWOOD IN
Brandi Sierra Hoehn, TERRE HAUTE IN	Mallory N. Steed, SELMA IN
Tierany René Holland, MIDDLETOWN IN	Emilee P. Stout, GASTON IN
Katelyn M. Hooker, TIPTON IN	Shayli Breanne Teel, NEW CASTLE IN
Jamie J. Johnson, MUNCIE IN	Nicole Margaret Thompson, HAGERSTOWN IN
Tori A. Johnson, MARION IN	Amber Dawn Trammell, EATON IN
Kelley A. Keesling, MIDDLETOWN IN	Nikcole Wallace, FORTVILLE IN
Rebecca Lynn Kirsch, NOBLESVILLE IN	Patricia Kay Wimmer, LAFONTAINE IN

40 Graduates in 2012

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