



**MALAYSIA
CERTIFIED
BEHAVIOUR
THERAPIST
(MCBT™)**

HANDBOOK

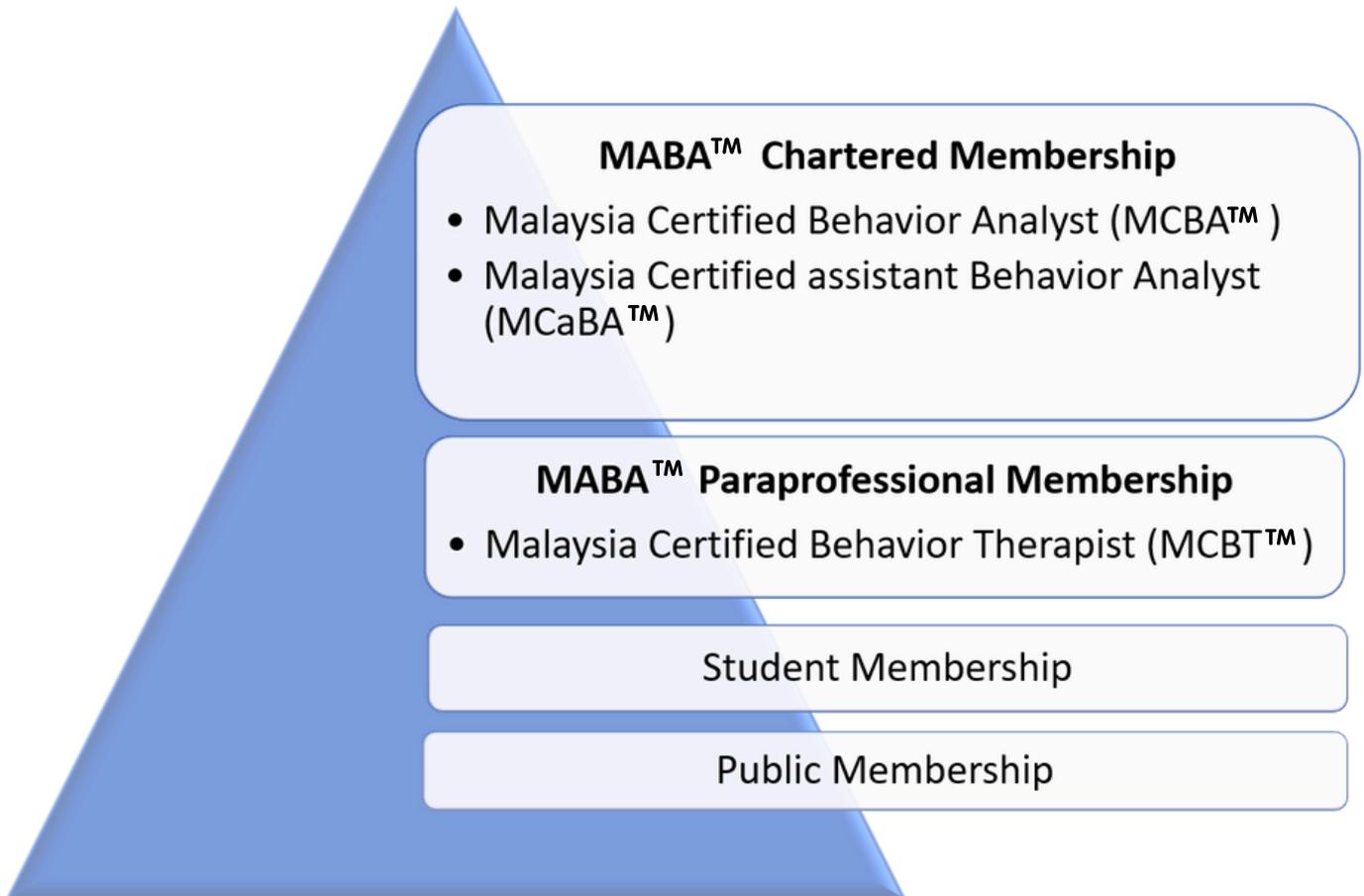
Malaysia Certified Behaviour Analyst (MCBT™)

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Types of Memberships



Introduction of MCBT™

- MCBT™ is a paraprofessional certified in behavior analysis. MCBT™ assist in delivering behavior-analytic services and practice under the direction and close supervision of an MCBT™ supervisor and/or an MCBT™ requirements coordinator, who are responsible for all work MCBT™ perform.
- Applying to become an MCBT™ is most likely to occur after the applicant has been employed by the organization in which they will continue their work assisting qualified MCBA™ and/or MCaBA™ in their service delivery activities.

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Eligibility Requirements

	Pathway 1	Pathway 2
Education Level	NA	Existing RBT or ABAT
Professional certification	High school Diploma	NA
Coursework requirement	40 Hours Training	NA
Independent Fieldwork	300 hours	NA
Supervision Hour	5% of hours	NA
Assessment	Competency assessment and Pass examination	NA
Documents required	1. Official transcript of RBT or ABAT- approved coursework (if applicable)	

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Eligibility Requirements

A. For individuals who intend to apply for MCBT™, you are required to:

- hold a high school diploma or higher education level
- complete 40 hours training
- complete 300 hours of practical fieldwork in Applied Behavior Analysis with at least 5% of supervision per supervisory period.
- pass MABA's Standard of Competence / examination
- pay RM120 for yearly members fees

B. For existing Registered Behavior Technician (RBT) or Applied Behavior Analysis Technician (ABAT), you are required to:

- Sign agreement for MCBT™ conversion
- Pay RM120 for yearly member fees

Supervised Fieldwork Requirements

Applicants must complete supervised fieldwork in Applied Behavior Analysis. The following sections describe all of the requirements for supervised fieldwork (hereafter referred to as “fieldwork”).

Onset of Fieldwork

Applicants may not start accumulating fieldwork hours until they have:

- secured a qualified supervisor
- developed and signed a supervision contract
- started qualifying behavior-analytic coursework

Clients

- Any person (or group of people) for whom behavior-analytic services are appropriate may be a client.
- Applicant may not be related to the client, be the client’s primary caregiver, or be related to the client’s primary caregiver.

Acceptable Activities

The applicant’s primary focus should be on acquiring the skills necessary to demonstrate competence in behavior analysis and the skills necessary to interact effectively with consumers, supervisors, families, and others. The supervisor will be responsible for determining whether activities qualify for accruing fieldwork hours and are consistent with the requirements in this document.

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Direct Activities

There is a restriction on the overall amount of hours you may spend delivering therapeutic and instructional procedures during fieldwork. This restriction is designed to ensure that applicants have sufficient time to acquire the other skills necessary for practice as a MCBA™. Direct fieldworks may comprise no more than 60% of the total fieldwork hours—this requirement does not need to be met during each supervisory period.

Indirect Activities

Indirect activities must comprise at least 40% of the total fieldwork hours—this requirement does not need to be met during each supervisory period. Examples of indirect activities include:

- observation and data collection
- training staff and caregivers on behavior-analytic programs or content
- conducting assessments related to the need for behavioral intervention
- meeting with clients about behavior-analytic programming and services
- conducting behavior-analytic assessments (e.g. functional analyses, stimulus preference assessments)
- data graphing and analysis
- researching the literature relevant to a current client's programming
- writing and revising behavior-analytic programs

Unacceptable Activities

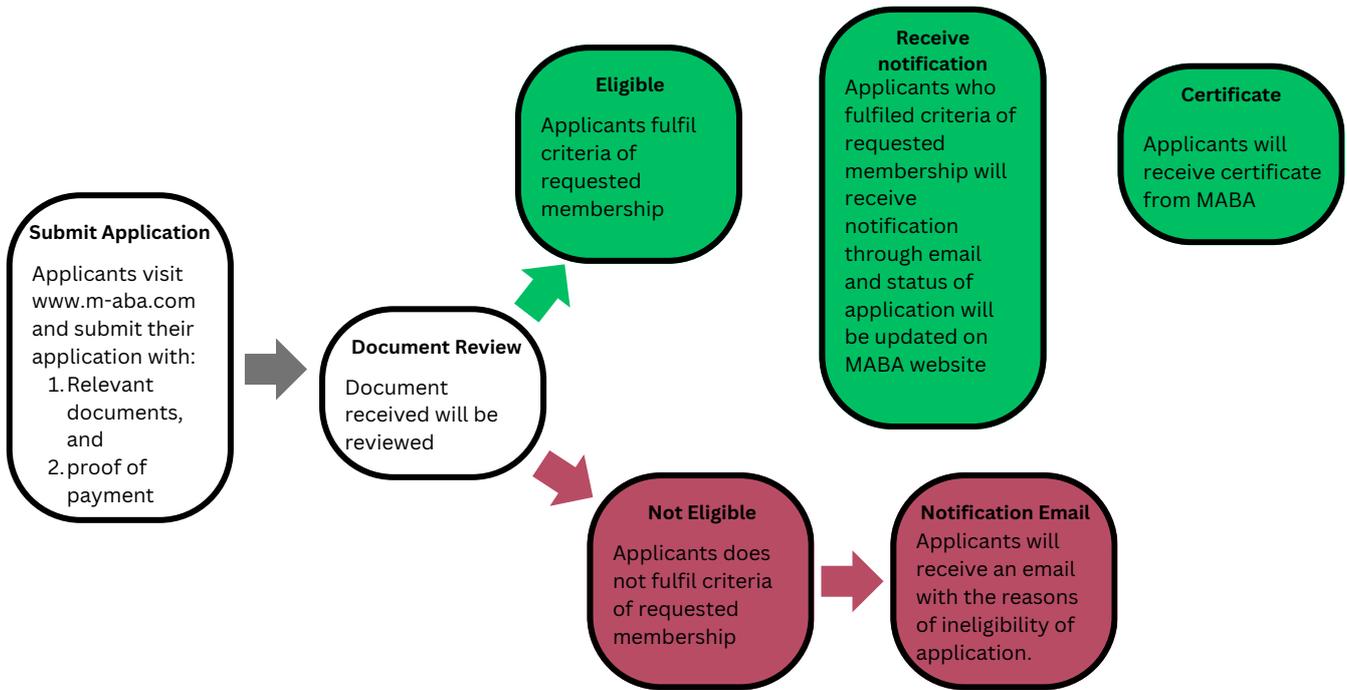
Only behavior-analytic activities may be counted toward fieldwork requirements. Non Behavior Analytic activities may not be counted.

Examples of activities that will not count as fieldwork include:

- attending meetings with little or no behavior-analytic content
- providing interventions that are not based in behavior analysis
- performing non behavioral administrative activities
- non behavior-analytic trainings related to service delivery (e.g., crisis management, CPR, billing systems)
- completing non behavioral assessments (e.g., diagnostic assessments, intellectual assessments), paperwork, documentation, billing, or any other activities that are not directly related to behavior analysis
- attending professional conferences, workshops, or university courses
- didactic-course assignments (e.g., completing homework assignments, readings)

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Applying for Membership





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