**Research Track Application (No IRB Needed)**

\*If applying as a group (up to three participants), each member must complete their own application

1. Name and credentials:
2. Email Address:
3. Are you an RDT? If so, please list your RDT number:
4. Are you a current member of the NADTA?
5. How long have you been a professional drama therapist?
6. Please comprehensively detail your research training and prior involvement in research projects: (note: extensive prior research is not needed to apply; however, this information assists in the evaluation on the application):
7. Why would you like to be a research track mentee (No IRB needed)? (Note: An IRB is needed for any research involving participants other than yourself)
8. I am applying:
   1. On my own
   2. As Part of a group
      1. If part of a group, please list other group members names:
9. Please provide details on your research topic. Please elaborate as comprehensively as possible - the more information you can provide clearly, the better able we are to evaluate your application:
10. Briefly discuss your ideas for your research design (ie: autoethnographic, scoping review, systematic review, etc) and the ethical considerations regarding your research, including why IRB is not needed for your proposed research:
11. Please provide specific details, including your overall role in the implementation (if applicable) of the research:
12. List 3-5 peer reviewed articles that are relevant to your research:
13. Is there a researcher and/or scholar within the field of drama therapy that you can envision in the role of mentor for your research?
14. Do you have the necessary funding and time to complete this research within a year? Please provide details: (Note: you will not be completing the research project during the mentorship program, rather your mentor will assist you in the design, however, we only wish to move research forward in this program that will reach completion)
15. As a research mentee, I am able to complete the mentor process within 4 months (Oct-Jan) of the start date? (Note: This includes time with your mentor to consult on the research design and data analysis) and I am willing to sign a document stating my commitment to this effect.
    1. Yes
    2. No
16. If I am chosen to be a part of this program, I am interested in participating in a research process conducted by the designers of this program to collect data on the mentorship experience. (Note: A formal consent will be presented for any IRB approved research this program undertakes)
    1. Yes
    2. No