



Course Title: Hand Therapy 131 – Understanding Dupuytren's Disease: Treatment Options and More

Course Subtitles:

- Part I: Understanding Dupuytren's Disease
- Part II: The Role of Hand Therapy in the Treatment of Dupuytren's Disease
- Part III: Complications of Treatment for Dupuytren's Disease

Course Source: Rehab of the Hand, 6th Edition

Target Audience: OT / OTA and other healthcare professionals

Course Type: Video vs. Text-based

Educational Level: Beginner, Intermediate, Advanced

CE Hours: 3 contact hour / .3 ceu

Course Prerequisites: None

Course Author / Instructor: Multiple / Brown, MS, OTR/L, CHT

Learning Objectives:

- Discuss the history DD and how this condition got its name
- List 5 common risk factors for developing DD
- Describe the epidemiology of DD
- Describe 2 common signs and symptoms of DD including which digits are most commonly involved and which digits are generally spared
- Examine and describe the normal anatomy and the significance of the palmar aponeurosis
- Describe the pathogenesis of DD including defining and differentiating between the 3 stage of the disease: proliferative, involutional, residual
- Outline common steps involved in making a diagnosis of DD
- List and describe 3 conservative treatment interventions including the advantages of each
- Describe the role of hand therapy in the treatment of DD
- List 5 possible complications following surgery

Agenda:

Hour #1

Case Study #1, #2, #3 Introduction

History

Epidemiology

Signs and Symptoms Stages of Dupuytren's

Normal Anatomy of the Palmar Aponeurosis Pathogenesis

Diagnosis
Conservative Treatment Options
Needle aponeurotomy Collagenase injection Radiotherapy
Steroid injection OT/PT/Hand Therapy

Hour #2

Introduction
Hand therapy as preventive treatment Hand Therapy before corrective treatment Hand Therapy after corrective treatment
Orthotics Exercise
Other treatment modalities
Patient education and participation

Hour #3

Introduction Complications of treatment
Contracture Recurrence
Digital Nerve Injury and Postoperative Neurapraxia Flexor Tendon Injury/Rupture
Delayed Wound Healing and Skin Necrosis Dysvascular Digit/Arterial Injury Hematoma
Infection

Course Completion Requirements:

A passing score of 100% is required for course completion. You will have as many attempts as needed until your passing score of 100% is achieved. Upon successful completion of course and completing a satisfaction survey, you will receive your certificate of completion.

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