



Course Title: Neurology UE 107

Sub-Title: Genetic Disorders

**Course Description:** Neurology UE 107, Genetic Disorders, is a 4-hour course designed for the clinician working with patients with genetic disorders. This course will focus on a variety of genetic disorders including Down syndrome (DS), fragile X syndrome, Rett syndrome, cystic fibrosis (CF), Duchenne muscular dystrophy (DMD), and osteogenesis imperfecta (OI). The course begins with a general discussion of the types of genetic transmission, the pathophysiology and clinical features of each conditions outlined above. A case study of a child with DS is presented to highlight clinical application and the therapy management of children with low muscle tone.

# Target Audience: OT/OTA

## Course Length: 4 hours

Course Author/Instructor: Martin, PT, MACT, Kessler, PT, MHS /Brown, MS, OTR/L, CHT

# Educational Level: Introductory, Intermediate, Advanced

The course is written at the intermediate level, but learners of all levels will benefit from the information.

# **Course Objectives:**

At the conclusion of the course, participants will be able to:

- Describe different modes of genetic transmission
- Discuss the incidence, etiology, and clinical manifestations of specific genetic disorders
- Understand the medical and surgical management of children with genetic disorders
- Articulate the role of the therapy assistant in the management of children with genetic disorders
- Identify appropriate therapy interventions used with children with genetic disorders
- Recognize the importance of functional training throughout the life span of a child with a genetic disorder

## **Outline of Content:**

## <u>Hour #1</u>

INTRODUCTION GENETIC TRANSMISSION Categories

## <u>Hour #2</u>

Down Syndrome CRI-DU-CHAT SYNDROME PRADER-WILLI SYNDROME ARTHROGRYPOSIS MULTIPLEX CONGENITA

#### <u>Hour #3</u>

OSTEOGENESIS IMPERFECTA CYSTIC FIBROSIS SPINAL MUSCULAR ATROPHY PHENYLKETONURIA

## <u>Hour #4</u>

FRAGILE X SYNDROME RETT SYNDROME GENETIC DISORDERS AND MENTAL RETARDATION CASE STUDIES

## **Instructional Methods and Formats:**

Online course available 24/7 at www.OnlineCE.com includes PDF downloadable course. See course formats for additional details.

## **Course Completion Requirements:**

A minimum 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, you will receive your certificate of completion and AOTA eligible CEUs.

## **AOTA Classification Codes:**

Category 1: <u>Domain of OT</u> Category 2: <u>Occupational Therapy Process</u> Category 3: Professional Issues

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