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Course Title: Acute Care 106

Course Subtitle: Oncology

Source: Acute Care Handbook for Physical Therapists 4th by Paz and West

Source Description: Familiarize yourself with the acute care environment with this essential guide to physical therapy practice in an acute care setting. Acute Care Handbook for Physical Therapists, 4th Edition helps you understand and interpret hospital protocol, safety, medical-surgical ‘lingo’, and the many aspects of patient care from the emergency department to the intensive care unit to the general ward. This restructured new edition streamlines the text into four parts— Introduction, Systems, Diagnoses, and Interventions to make the book even easier to use as a quick reference. Intervention algorithms, updated illustrations, and language consistent with the ICF model all help you digest new information and become familiar with new terminology. This comprehensive resource is just what you need to better manage the specific needs of your patients in the complex acute care environment. See an outline of course content for additional information.

Target Audience: OT/OTA and other healthcare professionals

Course Length: 2 hours

Educational Level: Introductory, Intermediate, Advanced

Course Objectives:

At the end of this course, participants will be able to:

- An understanding of the medical assessment and diagnosis of a patient with cancer, including staging and classification
- An understanding of the various medical and surgical methods of cancer management
- An overview of a variety of the different body system cancers, including common sites of metastases
- Examination, evaluation, and intervention considerations for the physical therapist

Outline of Content:

Hour #1

Terminology
Nomenclature
Risk Factors
Signs and Symptoms
Diagnosis
Staging and Grading
Management
Surgery
Radiation Therapy
Chemotherapy
Biotherapy
Gene Therapy

Hour #2

Cancers in the Body Systems
Respiratory Cancers Bone
and Soft-Tissue Cancers Breast
Cancer
Gastrointestinal and
Genitourinary Cancers
Hepatobiliary Cancers
Pancreatic Cancer
Hematological Cancers
Head and Neck Cancers
Neurological Cancers
Skin Cancer
General Physical Therapy
Guidelines for Patients with Cancer

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: Domain of OT
Category 2: Occupational Therapy Process
Category 3: Professional Issues

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