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Course Title: Neurology UE 105

Sub-Title: Cerebral Palsy

Course Description: Neurology UE 105, Cerebral Palsy, is a 3-hour course designed for the beginning to intermediate clinician working with patients with Cerebral Palsy (CP). This course will define CP and cover various aspects of this condition including incidence, etiology, classification, diagnosis, pathophysiology, associated deficits, and more. Evaluation and examination along with therapy goals are presented within the framework of early intervention, preschool, school age, adolescence and adulthood. This course will also discuss the use of medical and surgical management. Case studies will be used to highlight clinical application including examination, evaluation and treatment planning. At the end of this course, the learner will have a more comprehensive understanding of CP along with treatment interventions and how CP effects development and functional outcomes.

Target Audience: OT/OTA

Course Length: 3 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:

- Understand the incidence, etiology, and classification of cerebral palsy (CP)
- Describe the clinical manifestations and associated deficits seen in children with CP throughout the life span
- Explain the physical therapy management of children with CP throughout the life span
- Discuss the medical and surgical management of children with CP
- Articulate the role of the physical therapist assistant in the treatment of children with CP
- Recognize the importance of functional training throughout the life span of a child with CP

Outline of Content:

Hour #1

Introduction
Incidence
Etiology
Classification

Hour #2

Diagnosis
Pathophysiology
Associated Deficits

Hour #3

Physical Therapy Examination
Physical Therapy Intervention
Summary

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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