Foundations in Pediatric Neuro-Developmental Treatment

2-DAY SEMINAR
December 7-8, 2013

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COURSE OBJECTIVES: This seminar will provide participants with:

1. Updated information regarding historical and contemporary assumptions underlying the theoretical framework for Neuro-Developmental Treatment (NDT).
2. Clinical application of the World Health Organization International Classification of Function (WHO-ICF) model for assessment, goal setting and treatment planning to children with cerebral palsy and other neuromotor disorders.
3. A system of application of contemporary science and motor behavior theories to clinical reasoning for NDT based assessment and treatment of children with movement dysfunction.
4. Strategies for observation and analysis of posture and movement used in function and participation to serve as a basis for planning and implementing Neuro-Developmental Treatment intervention.
5. Opportunities to improve handling skills with other course participants that can be applied to patients with movement dysfunction.

COURSE DESCRIPTION: This two-day workshop is designed to provide pediatric therapists with options to enhance functional outcomes in children with neurologic diagnoses. Evidence from movement sciences and greater understanding of current theories in motor behavior are drawn upon to enhance clinical reasoning skills in Neuro-Developmental Treatment (NDT). Emphasis is placed on enhancing posture and movement observation and analysis skills as a basis for optimizing motor performance in functional tasks. Course participants practice therapeutic handling skills in movement practicum with other course participants. Assessment and treatment demonstrations assist workshop participants with the practical application of material that is presented through lectures, movement practicum, group problem solving and discussions.

HOST: Total Education Solutions
Westmoreland Academy
5 & 6 Westmoreland Place
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TARGET AUDIENCE: Licensed and/or credentialed occupational therapists, physical therapists, speech-language pathologists, physical therapy assistants and certified occupational therapy assistants.

INSTRUCTOR BIO: Lauren Miller Beeler, PT, DPT, PCS, C/NDT is the clinical director and owner of South Coast Therapy, Inc., a multi-disciplinary, pediatric therapy practice, in Orange County, CA. Lauren received her BS in Physical Therapy from Indiana University and earned her transitional DPT from Rocky Mountain University of Health Professions. She is an APTA Board Certified Pediatric Clinical Specialist with more than 30 years of experience in pediatrics and neurological rehabilitation. Lauren has a broad background in pediatrics, working with infants and children through Early Start/development, educational and medical models of service delivery.

Lauren is a NDTA Coordinator Instructor has been teaching NDT related courses since the early ’90s including NDT/Bobath Certificate Course in the Management and Treatment of Children with Cerebral Palsy and other Neuromotor Disorders and NDTA advanced courses including Baby Course, Gait, and Handling and Problem Solving.

COURSE SCHEDULE

DAY ONE (6.5 hours)
8:30 – 12:00 ................................. Introductions
NDT Foundations
Movement Labs
12:00 – 1:00 ................................. LUNCH
1:00 – 4:30 ................................. Assessment
Movement Labs
Patient Demonstration
Group Discussion
Treatment Planning

DAY TWO (6.5 hours)
8:30 – 12:00 ................................. Postural Control
Movement Labs
Treatment
12:00 – 1:00 ................................. LUNCH
1:00 – 4:30 ................................. Movement Labs
Patient Demonstration
Group Discussion
Movement Labs
Questions and Answers

Two 15-minute breaks are provided each day.

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