COURSE DESCRIPTION:
This workshop will provide therapists with a thorough understanding of several specific upper extremity disorders often referred to collectively as cumulative trauma disorders. This workshop will explain the individual conditions in detail, cover assessment (including differential diagnosis), and provide step by step conservative management techniques (self-management, orthosis selection, exercise programs, modalities, kinesio taping, etc.). Surgical interventions will also be reviewed. Emphasis throughout the course will be on evidence-based evaluation and treatment techniques, with a review and citation of current literature.

LEARNING OUTCOMES:
- Describe the pathophysiology of each of the covered conditions
- Differentiate among various upper extremity soft tissue disorders when a patient presents with “hand/wrist/elbow pain” including the use of likelihood ratios.
- Teach patients self-management techniques for each of these conditions.
- Develop effective treatment plans and home programs for these conditions.

CONTENT FOCUS:
Domain of OT: Areas of Occupation
Occupational Therapy Process:
Evaluation & Intervention

CEUs: 0.7 (Contact Hours: 7 hours)
PRICE: $255 (before/on 10/11) / $295 (after 10/11)
PROGRAM NUMBER: 10112
LEVEL: Intermediate
AUDIENCE: OTs, PTs, OTAs, PTAs, and ATs

Cumulative Trauma: Evidence-Based Evaluation and Treatment of Upper Extremity

INSTRUCTOR:
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DATE: Saturday, November 11, 2017
8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

LOCATION: UW-Milwaukee Continuing Education Plankinton Building, 7th Floor
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