COURSE DATE: March 8, 2019

TITLE: Peripheral Neuropathies: Mobilization and Management

DESCRIPTION: The peripheral nervous system (PNS) allows us to participate in the World around us. The PNS informs us of changes in the environment, powers our muscles, allows proprioception, and protects and prepares the skin for activity. When peripheral nerves malfunction, the human’s ability to control their upper limb and participate in their chosen roles is significantly reduced. This course will advance your knowledge of anatomy and physiology, function, regeneration and rehabilitation of peripheral nerve injuries.

OUTCOMES:
1. Demonstrate understanding of peripheral nerve pathways and common entrapment sites
2. Competently perform a clinical evaluation for people with peripheral neuropathies
3. Explain neural mobilization principles
4. Utilize various conservative management strategies for people with peripheral neuropathies

INSTRUCTOR: Nicole A. Bolwerk, MS, OTR, CHT

Nicole graduated from UW-Milwaukee with a Masters in Occupational Therapy (OT) in 2011 and has since dedicated her career to advances in hand therapy. She began teaching with the UW-Milwaukee School of Continuing Education shortly after graduation and has since increased her involvement in academia, teaching the Hand and Upper Extremity Rehab and Biomechanics courses in the OT department. Nicole has experience in a variety of clinical settings including ergonomics, various levels of inpatient rehab and outpatient hand therapy. She currently works at the Veterans’ Affairs (VA) Hospital. She is also the President of Wisconsin Hand Therapy Association (WISHTA). She is very passionate about hand therapy, research, knowledge sharing and networking.

LEVEL: Intermediate

AUDIENCE: PT, OT, CHT, OTA, PTA

AGENDA:
7:30 am  Registration Opens
8:00 am  Anatomy and physiology, interactive nerve pathway activity
10:15 am  Break
10:30 am  Evaluation considerations
12:00 pm  Lunch (on your own)
1:00 pm  Therapist’s management of peripheral nerve injuries
3:00 pm  Break
3:15 pm  Nerve mobilization
5:00 pm  Question and Answer; Adjourn

Register Online: http://bit.ly/ce11735
PRE-Course Assignment: N/A

Course #: 11735

Price:
Early Price $255 (On or Before 2/8/2019)
Standard Price $295 (After 2/8/2019)

CEU's / Clock Hours: Agenda reflects 0.75 CEU's (7.5 Clock hours)

Location:
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