COURSE DATE: October 2 – 3, 2020  


TITLE: Where Do I Start? Acute Care Rehab of Patients with Multiple Traumatic Injuries

DESCRIPTION: In this two-day, hands-on seminar, you will learn to recognize injury patterns based on the mechanism of injury and the age of the patient to perform age-appropriate responses. Learn to distinguish between acute and chronic injuries to determine how chronic conditions may influence acute response to treatment. Evaluation and treatment decisions based on specific injuries including common fracture patterns of the upper and lower extremities, traumatic brain injury, axial skeleton injuries, and burns will be presented. Finally, determine your specific role in discharge planning to potentially reduce the risk of patient readmission.

OUTCOMES:
- Describe the trauma care delivery system including your facility’s and profession’s role in that system
- Articulate mechanisms of injury and specific implications for therapy
- Identify incidence and prevalence of traumatic injury and death including important client factors
- Compare operative and non-operative management of injuries
- Review various combinations of injuries and implications for treatment and co-treatment
- Explain complications and how to prevent and anticipate how to intervene
- Determine therapy role in discharge planning and considerations for discharge destination/follow up services
- Describe the role of standardized and non-standardized assessments for planning of interventions and communication to other providers
- Identify available resources and appropriate assessment in acute care

INSTRUCTOR: STEVE RANKIN, OTR, has 20 years of experience as an acute care Occupational Therapist in an Academic Medical Center, Level 1 Trauma, and Regional Burn Center. He has insight into the plight of the injured worker, having left a prior career in construction due to injury. After years of continuing education in specific content areas (shoulder, elbow, hand, TBI, burns, orthopedics) but never finding a comprehensive trauma course, he designed and teaches one himself. He has trained Physical and Occupational Therapy staff, Speech-Language Pathologists, Nurse Practitioners, and Medical Doctors. He is a regular guest lecturer at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee and has presented a version of this course as an AOTA pre-conference institute and as a WOTA one day seminar. Mr. Rankin has written patient and family education materials and regularly presents to students contemplating careers in health care through high school and college programs.

LEVEL: Intermediate

AUDIENCE: OTs, OTAs, PTs, PTAs, SLPs


AGENDA:

DAY ONE
7:30 AM Registration Opens
8:00 AM A Systems Review of Trauma Care
8:30 AM Incidence and Prevalence of Traumatic Injuries
9:00 AM Mechanisms of Injury
9:30 AM Evaluation – Who Does What?
10:00 AM Break
10:15 AM Evaluation – Who Does What? (continued)
10:45 AM Complications
11:15 AM Fracture Management
12:00 PM Lunch (on your own)
1:30 PM Focus on Upper Extremity Injuries and Treatment
3:15 PM Break
3:30 PM Focus on Upper Extremity Injuries and Treatment (continued)
4:00 PM Heterotopic Ossification
4:30 PM Question & Answer; Adjourn

DAY TWO
8:00 AM Head Injuries
9:00 AM Trunk/Axial Skeleton Injuries
10:30 AM Break
10:45 AM Focus on Lower Extremity Injuries and Treatment
12:15 PM Lunch (on your own)
1:45 PM Burns
2:15 PM Gunshot Wounds
2:30 PM Therapy Evaluation and Treatment
3:30 PM Break
3:45 PM Putting it All Together
4:30 PM Question & Answer; Adjourn

PRE-COURSE ASSIGNMENT: Review Gross Anatomy

REQUIRED COURSE MATERIALS: Dress in loose, comfortable clothing for lab. Please bring one pair of scissors

FOCUS: Domain of OT: Client Factors
Occupational Therapy Process: Intervention and Outcomes

COURSE #: 12641

PRICE: $500 before 9/2/2020 $550 after

CEUs: 1.4 CEU’s (14 Clock Hours)

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