April 5th, 2025 8:30am-12:00pm

Practical Considerations for the Assessment and Treatment of Balance Impairments

Course Description:

Recent research has added new dimensions to our understanding of balance disorders. This course will review some of that research as it relates to common causes of balance dysfunction and effective treatment interventions. Additionally, practical interventions and standardized assessments will be discussed and demonstrated through numerous pictures and video clips and brief lab activities.

Learning Objectives:

- 1. Review current evidence supporting specific balance interventions.
- 2. Identify and review appropriate standardized assessment tools for measuring balance.
- 3. Observe and discuss specific treatment interventions for balance.
- 4. Perform several standardized balance measures and treatment interventions.

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Course Schedule:

8:30-8:45am Registration 8:45-10:15 Balance/Postural Control Assessment 10:15-10:30 Break 10:30-12:00 Balance Assessment and Interventions

Program Fees and Registration: This educational event is being offered to Premier Health Hospital therapists for \$10. Registration includes course materials, instruction and CEU credit, See registration form for complete instructions. Registration space is limited to 40 participants, and reservations must be received by April 4, 2025.

Registration: via CloudCME: Practical Considerations for the Assessment and Treatment of Balance Impairments - WSU Boonshoft School of Medicine & Premier Health CME Alliance - Continuing Education (CE) - Practical Considerations for the Assessment and Treatment of Balance Impairments

Cancellation: Cancellation should be submitted via email to Qasim Rizvi at qarizvi@premierhealth.com. Cancelling prior to two weeks before then 100% refund. Cancellations inside of 2 weeks are reviewed on a case-by-case basis.

Directions and Parking:

The course will be held at the University of Dayton at Fitz Hall – Doctor of Physical Therapy Department 1529 Brown Street, Room 207, Dayton, OH 45409 Please park in the Fitz Hall Main Parking Lot D (Saturday, no parking rules apply at UD Fitz Hall)

Continuing Education Units:

Physical Therapy: This course has been applied for 3.0 contact hours by the Ohio Physical Therapy Association.

