

Permobil Academy



Clinical Implications for Wheelchair Provision: Seating and Positioning

DATE & TIME:

LOCATION:

CONTACT:

PRESENTER:

TARGET AUDIENCE

This program is designed for Occupational Therapists, Occupational Therapy Assistants, Physical Therapists, Physical Therapist Assistants, Assistive Technology Professionals, and Medical Suppliers/Providers.

COURSE OVERVIEW

This one-hour course is intended to help clinicians and providers expand on their current knowledge and skills in order to achieve greater success in translating seating and positioning-related issues into clinical goals for intervention. Through mobility user case examples linked to key clinical concepts and research, open discussion, as well as practical applications of equipment intervention, it will also examine the importance of the seating and mobility evaluation and the application of seating and positioning systems within the larger context of the rehabilitation plan of care. Highlighted within the course will be the importance of individualized goals and assessments.

This course will cover concepts related to the clinical relationship between posture and function as well as common postural asymmetries and how they relate to functional outcomes. Upon completion, participants will be able to adapt and apply the clinical reasoning and practical application skills gained to improve outcomes and enhance client function in a variety of settings and situations. For those newer to wheelchair seating and mobility, this course will also be beneficial in reframing their existing clinical knowledge through a more specific lens unique to the seating evaluation process and the provision of seating and positioning products.

LEVEL— Introductory | **INSTRUCTIONAL METHOD—** Synchronous Live On-site or Streaming Lecture / Discussion / Clinical Applications / Demonstration

CEU OBJECTIVES

By the end of the presentation, participants will be able to:

1. Discuss the relationship of complex rehab technology provision to other areas of Occupational and Physical Therapy specialization.
2. Describe the between difference reducible and non-reducible postures.
3. Discuss 2 research studies examining the relationship between posture and function.
4. Identify 3 key biomechanical and/or anatomical factors that can impact a client's function within their seating system.

AOTA CATEGORY - OT Service Delivery, Foundational Knowledge

STATEMENT OF CLINICAL RELEVANCE

Content of the activity directly relates to the scope of practice of occupational and physical therapy as defined by the American Occupational Therapy Association (AOTA) and the American Physical Therapy Association (APTA). Visit our website www.permobilus.com for more details.

COMPLETION REQUIREMENTS

In order to obtain CEU/CCU credits, participant must attend the 90% of course, sign in and out, and complete an on-line course assessment following completion of the course.

OUTLINE

Minutes	Topic
10	Introduction/Relationship of CRT provision and OT/PT specialization
20	Clinical Concepts of Posture
20	Positioning for Function
10	Summary/Reflective Practice and Knowledge Translation

CONTACT HOURS— 1 | **CEUS—** 0.1

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