COURSE DESCRIPTION: This course is designed to enhance the clinical knowledge, assessment and treatment planning in the early stages of rehabilitation for those with spinal cord injuries. Through a three-part series, clinicians will gain an appreciation and understanding of functional expectations following spinal cord injury (SCI), assessment tools to determine readiness for participation in rehabilitation activities and the basic principles of mobility training within this patient population. Video examples of individuals living with SCI will be used to enrich the educational content of the series.

OBJECTIVES: At the completion of the course, participants will be able to:

1. Identify innervated muscles based on level of injury.
2. Predict key functional expectations for individuals with spinal cord injury.
3. Identify common equipment needs associated with level of injury.
5. Distinguish factors that restrict maximal functional progression.
6. Identify three pre-functional skills required for ADLs.
7. Differentiate techniques for facilitation of rolling, supine to sit and scooting.

LEARNING OUTCOME: Clinicians will improve practice patterns for assessment, treatment planning, goal setting, prediction of length of stay and equipment procurement when treating patients with spinal cord injury.

TOPICS INCLUDE: Spinal cord levels of injury, muscle innervation, mobility skills, activities of daily living, home management, treatment interventions, assessment, durable medical equipment, functional outcomes.

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An application has been submitted to the Physical Therapy Association of Georgia and is pending approval for PTs and PTAs.

NCTRC CE Pre-approval pending: All sessions may not have been approved by NCTRC.

TARGET AUDIENCE: This activity has been designed to meet the educational needs of occupational therapists/assistants, physical therapists/assistants and recreational therapists involved in the care of patients with spinal cord injury.

LEVEL: Intermediate

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