

Registration Form

Treating Patients with Neurological Vision Impairment: Techniques from a Successful Outpatient Program

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Ann Ferguson, MS, OTR/L
Saturday May 5, 2012
Kirkland, WA
8:30 – 4:00

\$175 prior to April 1, 2012
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6 Contact Hours
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Treating Patients with Neurological Vision Impairment: Techniques from a Successful Outpatient Program

May 5, 2012

Instructor:
Ann Ferguson, MS, OTR/L

Co-Host:
Evergreen Hospital
Kirkland, WA

Location:

Kirkland, WA. (Just East of Seattle, WA)
Lodging recommendations are available for our out of town participants.

Neurological Vision

May 5, 2012

- 8:30 Introduction
8:45 Incidence of visual impairment;
Intervention and vision program
guidelines, Southwest Washington
Medical Center Outpatient Neurological
Clinic data
9:15 Vision screening tools:
Understanding the elements
Hands-on screening practice
10:15 Break
10:30 Shortcuts to treatment
Treatment strategy handouts
Treatment ideas-static

12:00 Lunch (on your own)
1:00 Treatment ideas-static (cont.)
Experiential breakout-static
Treatment ideas-dynamic
Experiential breakout-dynamic
2:45 Break
3:00 Case studies
Top screens and treatments
Lesion location and deficit grid
3:45 Discussion

Course description:

As practitioners become more familiar with identification of visual dysfunction following a neurological insult, they become aware of their need for a range of targeted treatment plans. This presentation includes strategies used and perfected in a Neurological Outpatient Clinic setting. Techniques discussed have facilitated client return to independent living, work, and driving. A wide range of tools are demonstrated for use in a variety of settings. This is a one day energized workshop that you will enjoy!

This workshop is for therapists practicing at all levels and is designed to improve therapist skill with identifying and evaluating patients with neurological visual impairment.

This course builds on the concepts taught by Mary Warren and is based on results from a successful Neurological Outpatient Clinic program (SWMC).

Discussion will include numerous compensatory strategies and case examples.

Goals and Objectives:

- Learn which vision elements need evaluation in order to identify visual dysfunction
- Explore which vision screen tools would work best in your clinic
- Develop treatment plans for clients with: Visual Field Loss, Visual Inattention, and Oculomotor Weakness
- Identify five treatment techniques for dysfunction in: Visual Field Loss, Visual Inattention, and Oculomotor Weakness

Ann Ferguson, MS, OTR/L

Ann earned her Master of Science degree from Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo, Michigan. Following her life-long interest in vision, she became a student of vision specialist, Mary Warren, MS, OTR/L, SCLV, FAOTA. Ann has treated people with vision deficits due to neurological insults since 1994. She established the Southwest Washington Medical Center (SWMC) Vision Program in Vancouver, WA in 2002.

Ann has presented as the featured speaker on vision topics throughout the Pacific Northwest. Recently, she presented "Treating Patients with Neurological Vision Impairment: Techniques from a Successful Outpatient Program", University of Puget Sound Symposium, 2005, OTAO Annual Conference 2005, WOTA Continuing Education 2006, Professional Therapies Northwest 2007, 2010 and 2011, OTAO Continuing Education 2009 and "Treating clients with Neurological and Cognitive Impairment: Successful Strategies for Treating Vision and Cognitive Impairment", OTAO Annual Conference 2005.

Fun Facts about Ann: She enjoys camping and hiking. Before children, she also enjoyed white water kayaking!