



The Spastics Association of Hong Kong

1. Workshop on Vestibular Activation : Therapeutic Use of Movement to Optimize Orientation, Vision, Listening, and Learning **(program code : 06T08P)**

Introduction:

This course will address the significant role of the vestibular system in relation to the whole body functions. It also provides insight into the underlying issues of the visual problems encountered by our clients, as related to the functions of the vestibular system. Fundamental information for evaluating and developing vestibular and visual assessment, and related intervention strategies will be discussed.

Target participants: Occupational Therapist and Physiotherapist with basic knowledge in Sensory Integration

Date: 11 and 12 April 2007

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Venue: Room 1105 & 1106, Hong Kong Scout Centre, Scout Path, Austin Rd., Kln.

Course Fee: HK\$ 1,800.00

Language: English

Certificate: Certificate will be awarded by The Spastics Association of Hong Kong to participants with full attendance

CPD/CPE Points: OT - CPD 13 points, PT (pending)

2. Practicum on Vestibular Activation for Clients with Special Needs **(program code : 06T09P)**

Introduction:

It consists of practical sessions in which the intervention strategies for activating the vestibular and visual system will be discussed. Demonstration on children with specific needs in Sensory Integration with emphasis on vestibular activation for supporting posture, learning and facilitation of oculomotor control will be illustrated.

Target participants: Occupational Therapist and Physiotherapist who have basic knowledge of Sensory Integration. Priority will be given to those who have attended the Workshop of this series of courses.

Date: 13 April 2007

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Venue: Ko Fook Iu Memorial School, The Spastics Association of Hong Kong
2 Fung Wo Lane, Woche Est., Shatin, N.T.

Course Fee: HK\$ 900.00

Language: English

Certificate: Certificate will be awarded by The Spastics Association of Hong Kong to participants with full attendance

CPD/CPE Points: OT – CPD 6.5 points, PT (pending)



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3. Seminar : Introduction on Vestibular Activation and Therapeutic Use of Movement for Clients with Special Needs **(program code : 06T07P)**

Introduction:

This course will give introduction to the significant role of the vestibular system in relation to the whole body functions. It also provides insight into the underlying issues of the visual problems encountered by our clients, as related to the functions of the vestibular system. Innovative and practical therapeutic intervention strategies will be introduced, with suggestions applicable to classroom and home program.

Target participants: Teacher, Occupational Therapist, Physiotherapist, Social Worker and Psychologist

Date: 14 April 2007

Time: 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Venue: Room 1106, Hong Kong Scout Centre, Scout Path, Austin Rd., Kln.

Course Fee: HK\$ 150.00

Language: English

Certificate: Certificate will be awarded by The Spastics Association of Hong Kong to participants with full attendance

CPD/CPE Points: OT - CPD 3 points, PT (pending)

REMARKS :

1. Cheques should be made **SEPARATELY** for the workshop, practicum and seminar.
2. Apply each program separately. Each application form can only be used for applying **ONE** program (i.e. workshop, practicum or seminar).
3. Please send the completed application form(s) with cheque(s) and **A STAMPED SELF-ADDRESSED ENVELOPE** to Rm G1, G/F, Tung Wong Hse., Tai Hang Tung Est., Kln. on or before 26 February 2007. Successful applicants will be notified by mail.
4. For the seminar, confirmed applications are not transferable or refundable.
5. For the workshop and practicum, confirmed applications are not transferable. Cancellation requests must be made in writing, not less than 30 days prior to the start of the program. A HK\$400 administration fee will be deducted and the remaining will be returned to the applicant. Cancellation requests received <30 days are non-refundable or 50% refundable if the organizer is able to offer the place to another applicant.
6. The organizer reserves the right to reject any application as spaces are limited and to make reasonable modifications to the schedule, venue or other logistics related to the events, or to postpone or cancel the events due to unforeseen circumstances, in which case refund will be made in full.

*** Deadline of application : 26 February 2007 ***



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Appendix 1

Mary Kwar, MS, OTR

Mary Kwar, MS, OTR, a private practitioner in San Diego, California for over 18 years, has specialized in programs for children and adults with learning disabilities. She was director of occupational therapy for 18 years at Children's Hospital in San Diego. Mary has been particularly successful at designing treatment to improve vestibular and ocular motor abilities. She has lectured widely in the area of sensory integration.

Mary Kwar, is credited as the single most significant contributor to introducing Infinity Walk to occupational therapists through her teaching and writing on Oculomotor Control. Mary has personally introduced Infinity Walk to over 2000 occupational therapists during international teaching tours. She also cited Infinity Walk as one of her top two picks for oculomotor-vestibular-proprioceptive intervention in “Sensory Integration: Theory and Practice (2nd edition)”.