

Course Curriculum (Day 1)

MARCH 26, 2009 • 8:00am-4:00pm

- ◆ Introduction to PD: Epidemiology
- ◆ Parkinsonism: Clinical Features, Pathology & Etiology
- ◆ Pharmacological Management of PD; Relevance to Rehabilitation
- ◆ Nursing Considerations: Assessment and Management of Non-Motor Problems
- ◆ Nutritional Considerations: Important Information for Your Patients
- ◆ Evidence Supporting Rehabilitation: Is Exercise Neuroprotective for People with PD?

Course Curriculum (Day 2)

MARCH 27, 2009 • 8:00am-4:00pm

- ◆ Outcome Measures and Assessment Tools Used in PD: Demonstration
- ◆ Surgical Intervention: DBS
- ◆ Communication and Swallowing Challenges for People with PD; Implications for All Rehabilitation Professionals
- ◆ Community Resources & the Role of the APDA Information & Referral Center
- ◆ Physical & Occupational Therapy: Application of Treatment Approaches to Optimize Outcomes
- ◆ Living is Masked Face: Movement, Communication and Social Functioning in PD

Course Curriculum (Day 3)

MARCH 28, 2009 • 8:00am-12:15pm

Presentations on this day will provide participants with information about how to plan and implement an interdisciplinary exercise and wellness group for people with PD in their local communities. We will discuss the wellness program content that includes: mobility and speech exercises, group discussions, gait training to music and functional activity training. Therapists will also be guided through implementation considerations such as cost, facility requirements, staffing time/resources, registration and participant screening.

The seminar will close with a discussion led by the primary course faculty on how to bring all of the information from the last 3 days back to your facility for practical, clinical purposes. There will also be ample time for a cumulative question and answer session.

COURSE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE & COURSE SPEAKERS

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First Name, Middle Initial, Last Name

Street Address

City, State, Zip

Daytime Phone

Email Address (required for course confirmation)

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Please tell us more about yourself:

- PT
- OT
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What setting do you currently work in? (check all that apply)

- OUTPATIENT
- INPATIENT ACUTE REHABILITATION
- INPATIENT ACUTE
- HOMECARE
- SKILLED NURSING FACILITY
- LONG TERM CARE FACILITY
- ASSISTED LIVING FACILITY
- OTHER _____

Cancellation Policy:

Cancellations prior to March 2nd, will be refunded in full. Cancellations after March 2nd and before March 16th will be refunded minus a \$50 processing fee. Cancellations after March 16th will not be refunded.

COURSE INFORMATION

COST:

\$ 275 (registration before March 15th)
\$ 300 (registration after March 15th)

We are able to offer this valuable course at a reasonable cost due to generous support from the APDA and other educational grants.

Continuing Education Credit:

Contact hours are available for some disciplines. Please visit our website at www.bu.edu/sargent/pdeducation for more information.

SCHOLARSHIP:

For those interested in applying, the “*Cathi A. Thomas Award of Excellence and Merit*” is available to help support the program and travels costs associated with this seminar. This award was established by Dr. and Mrs. Ernest Selig in 2005. Their vision is to ensure that healthcare professionals receive the most current and advanced information in Parkinson’s disease and movement disorders.

Please visit www.bu.edu/sargent/pdeducation, for more information about the scholarship and application forms, as well as directions, accommodations and restaurants in the Boston area.

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Parkinson’s Disease Seminar for Healthcare Professionals: Evidence Based Concepts and Current Treatment Approaches



MARCH 26th-28th

The Boston University Photonics Center
8 Saint Mary’s Street
Boston, MA 02215

COURSE HIGHLIGHTS

We are pleased to present the **Third Annual Parkinson’s Disease Seminar for Healthcare Professionals at Boston University**. For 2009, we have brought back many of our speakers from last year and invited some additional experts to participate. This unique course continues to provide a cutting-edge, evidenced-based update on the medical and rehabilitative management of patients with Parkinson’s disease (PD). Movement disorder experts from Boston University have partnered with the American Parkinson Disease Association (APDA) to bring the latest developments in the field to healthcare professionals invested in providing high quality care to people with PD.

Participants will be provided the tools to become resource clinicians in their practice settings in order to optimize the delivery of care to people with PD and their families.

