

APTA CI Credentialing Course

presented by Debra Gray

This course will provide the credentialing necessary to become a Clinical Instructor in Florida

Alternative Payment Methodology Replacing the Current Payment Mechanisms

presented by Steve Levine

The Medicare program and private payers are increasing efforts to prevent improper payments through prepayment audits, post-payment audits, and other initiatives. To reduce the risk of an audit, it is essential for physical therapy practices understand and comply with today's fast changing rules. Moreover, the payment methodology for physical therapy services will be changing in the near future. Learn how payment will change and how to make sure that your practice style will need to change to meet tomorrow's payment environment.

Advocacy Workshop 101

presented by Tad Fisher, Ken Jacobs, and Raine Osborne

Learn how the legislative process works and how you can strategically think and plan to become a better advocate for your patients and for physical therapy.

Creating Your Own Leadership Path

Presented by Raine Osborne, Nata Salvatori, Allie Wehunt, and Mary Anne Riopel

Strategies for developing your leadership and communication skills professionally and in your clinical setting will be reviewed and discussed in the form of a panel presentation. Attendees will learn about the attributes of leaders and examine their own personal leadership characteristics

Fall Prevention: What Really Works

presented by Bruce Sack and Ola Iyewarun

The cost of falling is very high and is expected to grow dramatically over the next 20 years not only for those directly affected but also for all payers of healthcare. And it can be successfully prevented. The latest research demonstrating success in significantly reducing this epidemic will be reviewed. Labs will include some of the most successful exercise routines published including Tai Chi for balance and the Otago Exercise Programme.

Debra Gray PT, DPT, M Ed is Coordinator of the Flex DPT program and director of the Transitional DPT program at the University of St. Augustine. She is a credentialed trainer for the APTA's Clinical Education and Credentialing Programs and currently serves on the Clinical Instructor Education Board of the APTA.

Stephen M. Levine, DPT, MSHA is a partner in Fearon & Levine, a national consulting firm focusing on practice management and payment policy in the outpatient rehabilitation setting, with particular expertise in the areas of documentation, coding, billing, and compliance. Dr. Levine is a nationally recognized expert in the physical therapy profession, and consultant to physical therapy providers, as well as local and national third party payers, regulators, and case management agencies.

Tad Fisher is our new **Chief Executive Officer** for the Florida Physical Therapy Association.

Raine Osborne PT, MSPT, OCS, FAAOMPT is a member of the FPTA Governmental Advocacy Committee and a Director at Large member of the FPTA Board of Directors. He is also the Coordinator of the Orthopaedic Residency at Brooks Rehabilitation

Ken Jacobs, PT, MS, ATC is a former board member of the FPTA with a long history of involvement in legislative activity. He is also a 2012 member of the APTA house of delegates.

Nata Salvatori PT, DPT is a recent graduate from the Brooks/UNF Orthopedic Residency. Nata is currently a physical therapist at Brooks Center for Sports Therapy and a OMPT Fellow-in-training. She is involved in national leadership serving as the Vice-chair of the Membership Committee for the Orthopedic Section of APTA.

Allie Wehunt, PT, DPT is a recent graduate from the Brooks/UNF Neurologic Residency and currently a physical therapist for the Stroke and Cardiac Program at Brooks Rehabilitation Hospital.

Mary Anne Riopel, PT, DPT is a board certified orthopedic clinical specialist and an Assistant Professor at the University of St. Augustine. Mary Anne is actively involved in the FPTA serving as the Chair of the Practice Committee.

Bruce Sack, B.SC, PT is a certified vestibular rehabilitation specialist and a paid consultant for Mid Florida Agency on Aging for promotion of fall prevention programs. He is also owner of New Day Wellness, a PT/OT/Wellness practice in Gainesville, FL.

Ola Iyewarun B.SC PT NCS is a Staff P.T. in the Brain Injury and Pediatric Program at Brooks Rehabilitation Hospital Jacksonville, FL. She is currently developing a fall prevention program for Brooks.

Florida Physical Therapy Northern District Super Meeting



University of Florida
College of Public Health & Health Professions (HPNP Building)

101 South Newell Drive
Gainesville, FL 32610

Register online at: FPTA.org



Northern District

Super Meeting

Saturday, March 24, 2012

8:30 am – 4:45 pm

(Pre-Meeting APTA Clinical Instructor Certification starts Friday, March 23 at Noon)

University of Florida

College of Public Health & Health Professions
(HPNP Building)

101 South Newell Drive

Gainesville, FL 32610

6.5 Continuing Education Hours

Networking and Exhibits

Lunch Included

Deadline for Pre-Registration is 02/24/12

Sessions with less than 10 registrants by

2/24/12 may be cancelled

FRIDAY NOON- 8 PM	XXXXXXX XXXXXXX XXXXXXX XXXXXXX XXXXXXX X	XXXXXXXXX XXXXXXXXX XXXXXXXXX XXXXXXXXX XXXXXXXXX X	APTA CI Credent- ialing Course
SATUR- DAY		Registration	
8:00 am	Registration		CI Course
8:30 – 11:10 am (3.0 CEH)	Alterna- tive Pay- ment Methodol- ogy	XXXXXXXXX XXXXXXXXX XXXXXXXXX XXXXXXXXX XXXXXXXXX X	APTA CI Credent- ialing Course (Cont.)
11:10 – 11:20 am	Break	Break	Break
11:20 am – 12:10 pm (1.0 CEH)	Advocacy Workshop 101	XXXXXXXXX XXXXXXXXX XXXXXXXXX XXXXXXXXX XXXXXXXXX X	APTA CI Credent- ialing Course (Cont.)
12:10 – 1:00 pm	Lunch, Ex- hibits, & Networking	Lunch, Exhib- its, & Net- working	Lunch, Ex- hibits, & Networking
1:00 – 2:00 pm	District Busi- ness Meeting	District Busi- ness Meeting	District Busi- ness Meeting
2:00 – 2:15 pm	Break	Break	Break
2:15 – 4:45 pm (2.5 CEH)	Fall Pre- vention: What Really Works with lab	Creating Your Own Leadership Path	APTA CI Credent- ialing Course until 5pm

Registration Form

Please circle session(s) you will be attending:

#1: APTA CI Cred. Course (Additional registration required)

-OR-

#2: Alternative Payment Methodologies

#3: Advocacy Workshop 101

#4: Creating Your own Leadership Path **or**

#5: Fall Prevention

Pre-registration fees: (postmarked by 2/24/12)	APTA member	Non-member
Licensed PT/PTA	\$75	\$100
Student	\$10	\$30
APTA CI CRED COURSE	\$150.00	\$250.00
Late registration fees (postmarked after 2/24/12)	APTA member	Non-member
Licensed PT/PTA	\$100	\$150
Student	\$15	\$45

Name: _____

APTA#: _____

Address: _____

Home #: _____ Cell #: _____

E-mail: _____

Please indicate the sandwich

you would prefer for lunch:

Turkey Ham Veggie

Register and pay online at FPTA.org

Or

Make check or money order payable to:

Northern District FPTA

Mail this form and payment to:

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Tallahassee, FL 32303