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# Comprehensive Rehabilitation Strategies for the Geriatric Patient

2017

South Bend, IN August 12-13

Rancho Mirage, CA (Palm Springs, CA Area) September 16-17

Albuquerque, NM October 14-15



Doug Dillon P.T., G.T.C., C.S.S.T

This 20 contact hour high tech presentation includes:

- A 300+ page handout
- Over 6.000 current medical references
- Ready to use
  - home exercise programs
- treatment techniques
- detailed evaluation forms
- reliable and valid outcome measures



### Faculty

Doug Dillon, PT, GTC Graduated with a BA from California State University Long Beach with emphasis on Athletic Training in 1987. He completed his BS in Physical Therapy from Langston University Oklahoma with honors in 1989. Doug was the first athletic trainer for Langston University.

After graduation he was invited to and worked for the Olympic training Center in Colorado Springs and as an outpatient therapist. In 1992 he joined with Great Seminars as seminar coordinator/lab assistant and mentored under Dr. Carole Lewis. He has co authored multiple articles with Dr. Lewis.

Doug has had an extensive background in geriatrics and has been Regional Manger for northern California for 11 skilled nursing facilities. He has been a supervisor for inpatient acute hospital rehabilitation department, director for skilled nursing facilities and an instructor in Kinesiology for DeAnza College's Physical Therapy Assistant program. He is a reviewer of Medicare documentation and a expert witness for the California State Physical Therapy Board. In 1999 he was inducted into Who's Who International. In 2004 he received his Geriatric Training Certification (GTC). In 2008 he received his (C.S.S.T.)- Certified Senior Strength Trainer. In 2011 he was asked to join the Scientific Advisory Board for GlydeCycle.

### Description

Rehabilitation for older persons is changing rapidly. Payment changes make it more challenging to deliver quality care to the rehabilitatively and medically complex older patient. New advances in treatment techniques, research on efficacy and outcomes make it imperative for the practicing clinician to gather as much proven clinical information as possible. The purpose of this seminar is to provide participants with the most up-to-date information on the evaluation and treatment of the medically complex geriatric patient. The seminar format is lecture and discussion, as the speaker guides you through the most recent research, evaluation tools, and treatment protocols. Case studies and video demonstration with patients will encourage participants to integrate this information into the development of individualized plans for that can be implemented immediately. The extensive handout, which is over 300 pages with 6,000 current medical references, will provide detailed evaluation forms, outcome measures, suggested protocols, sample home exercises and progressions. The material presented provides a thorough approach to therapeutic strategies and goals, thereby preparing therapists to design and implement highly skilled rehabilitation programs for older persons.

### Locations

The complete address and location of your course will be provided in a confirmation letter that will be emailed to you at least 3 weeks before the course.

Beacon Home Care South Bend, IN August 12-13, 2017

Eisenhower Medical Center Rancho Mirage, CA **September 16-17, 2017** 



University of New Mexico Hospital Albuquerque, NM October 14-15, 2017

### **Objectives**

## Upon completion of this seminar, participants will be able to:

- 1. Define the role of the geriatric specialist.
- 2. Provide statistics on the growth of older persons in America.
- 3. Discuss theories of aging.
- 4. Differentiate various medical problems in the older patient.
- Interpret lab values for changes of pathology specific to the elderly.
- Demonstrate treatment techniques and how they can be modified for the elderly.
- 7. Use the tenets of adult learning models to develop programs that will be effective in the rehabilitation of older persons.
- 8. Discuss the pros and cons of utilizing published protocols with elderly patients.
- Prescribe appropriate exercises based on differential diagnoses.
- Integrate information of differential diagnoses for monitoring exercise programs.
- Evaluate the most complicated older persons using standardized functional assessment tools.
- 12. Develop and justify comprehensive plans and treatment programs for complicated older patients.

### Feedback From Past Course Participants

- "Thank you so much for the effort, experience, content and the humor that was put into your presentation. Sadly, it is one of the first continuing education courses that I felt I got my money's worth... my brain hurts and my mind will not stop exploring how I can use all the references and resources to support my facility."
- "The lecturer are unbelievably well-read. He relates every current piece of published medical research relevant to the topic and to the profession."
- "Best course I have ever taken."
- "The lecturer spoiled me for other courses."
- "I can't believe all the information packed into a course."
- "Well worth the price."
- "The handout alone is worth the price."
- "I never had so much fun learning so much information."
- "The high tech extras really help keep my attention every minute."
- "The wealth of scientific information and the lecturer's ability to make it clinically and immediately useful is extraordinary."
- "I will highly recommend this course to everyone."
- "This course has opened my eyes to what is going on right now. I am glad that I attended this course. I would recommend it highly to my co-workers."
- "It was a lot of information packed into 2 days. Great content and delivery of material."
- "Doug is a great speaker. Thanks for motivating me to be a better therapist."

### Program Outline

Day 1	
7:30 AM	Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:00 AM	The Role of the Geriatric Expert What Makes You Special; Why You are Important - The Graying of America; How We Can Best Reach Older Patients - Adult Learning Theory and Motivation
10:00 AM	Break
10:15 AM	What's New - Interpreting Geriatric Research for Rehabilitation The Latest in Geriatric Rehabilitation; Protocols for TKA, THA, Gait Instability, Lumbar Stenosis, Vertebral Compression Fractures, Decline in Function
12:00 PM	Working Lunch ( <i>on your own</i> ) Discuss use of Evidence Based Medicine in your clinical setting. Discuss finding research articles and how to share them with staff.
1:00 PM	Medically Complex Patients - Interpreting Lab Values & Medical Pathologies
3:15 PM	Break
3:30 PM	The Treatment Implications of Working with Multiple Diagnoses Anemia, Clotting Abnormalities, Musculoskeletal, Neurological, Hepatic, Renal, Metabolic, Diabetes, Cancer, Obesity, Cardiopulmonary, Gastrointestinal, and Connective Tissue Disorders
6:00 PM	Questions and Answers
6:30 PM	Adjourn
Day 2	
7:30 AM	Continental Breakfast
8:00 AM	Rehabilitation Evaluation of the Complicated Geriatric Patient What's Good, What's Not. Functional Tools - The Great Ones Tools for Frail Patients
10:00 AM	Break
10:15 AM	Tools for Special Patients (Alzheimer's, Depressed) Minimum Documentation Criteria for Assessing Older Patients: Case Studies
12:15 PM	Working Lunch (on your own) Design a perfect evaluation for the medically complex geriatric patient
1:15 PM	Creative and Exciting Means of Treating the Complicated Geriatric Patient Using What We Got in New Ways - How Modalities, Exercise, Neuromuscular re-ed, Gait Training, and Home Exercise Programs Differ for Older Complex Patients
3:00 PM	Break
3:15 PM	Treatment Ideas for Special Patients and Problems (Alzheimer's, Depressed, Frail) Evidence Based Treatment Strategies for Flexibility, Strength, Gait and Balance Deficits and Activity of Daily Living Deficits
6:00 PM	Questions and Answers
6:30 PM	Adjourn

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