APTA Credentialed Clinical Instructor Program
MARCH 8-9, 2019

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CEUs:
This course meets the basic criteria of the Delaware Examining Board of Physical Therapy and the Maryland State Board of Physical Therapy Examiners for 1.5 CEUs or 15 contact hours. You will be issued a CEU certificate upon completion of the course.

Course Location:
University of Delaware
STAR Health Sciences Complex
540 S. College Avenue
Newark, Delaware 19713
A campus map will be emailed to you with your confirmation for driving and parking directions.

For more information:
Contact Stephanie Michael via email (stephmi@udel.edu) or phone (302.831.7020)
Course Description:

This program is recognized by the American Physical Therapy Association (APTA) as the Clinical Instructor Education and Credentialing Program. It is intended and useful for both new and experienced physical therapist and physical therapist assistant educators involved with clinical education. It takes 15 hours to complete the entire program.

The program addresses issues of planning and preparing for physical therapy students during their clinical education experiences, developing learning experiences, and supporting ongoing learning through questioning and effective feedback. Skills for student evaluation are discussed, as well as the identification and management of students with exceptional situations. The program includes legal implications for clinical educators and issues related to ADA legislation and Medicare reimbursement.

The “Assessment Center” provides each participant with the opportunity to apply information from the program in simulated situations. Successful completion of six stations in the Assessment Center results in the awarding of APTA CI Credentialing.

Each participant must attend each session in its entirety and complete the Assessment Center to be eligible for credentialing.

The Course and Assessment Center will be useful for both new and experienced physical therapist and physical therapist assistant educators involved in clinical education. While the information presented covers the basic skills for Clinical Instructors, the interactive tasks and large and small group discussions will be of benefit for all clinical educators including Site Coordinators of Clinical Education.

- Class size is limited!

Agenda:

**Friday, March 8, 2019**
11:30 Registration
12:00 Welcome
12:15 The Clinician as a Clinical Educator
1:30 Readiness to Learn
3:30 Break (snack provided)
3:45 Facilitating Learning in the Clinical Environment
5:45 Questions and Answers
6:00 Adjourn

**Saturday, March 9, 2019**
7:30 Continental Breakfast
8:00 Performance Assessment
9:15 Break (snack provided)
9:30 Legal, Regulatory, & ADA Issues in Clinical Education
11:00 Managing the Exceptional/Problem Student in the Clinic
12:30 Lunch (on your own)
1:30 Assessment Center
5:30 Adjourn

Registration Fee:

Registration fee includes course materials.
- $170 – for APTA members
- $240 – for Non-APTA members
- $330 – for non-PT/PTAs (OTs, Speech, RNs, …)

*Discount available for 5 or more clinicians from the same facility. To receive the discount, ALL registrations must be submitted together.

To Register:

Each participant must submit the following documents no later than 2/11/19.

1. Dossier
2. Agreement of Participation
3. Copy of your state P.T. or P.T.A. license.
4. Copy of your APTA Membership Card (if applicable)
5. Payment – make checks payable to University of Delaware PT Club

**Sorry, we are unable to accept credit cards.**

Dossier and Agreement of Participation forms are available online at:
www.udel.edu/PT

*Dossier, Participation Agreement, PT license, and APTA card can all be emailed to stephmi@udel.edu

Mail payment to:
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*All proceeds support UD DPT student’s fundraising efforts for the Foundation for Physical Therapy

**Deadline for Registration:** February 11, 2019