

LOWER EXTREMITY AMPUTEE MANAGEMENT

ADDRESSING COMMON CLINICAL COMPLICATIONS

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HILTON GARDEN INN
MERIDIAN, MS

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

THIS ACTIVITY WILL PROVIDE AN OVERVIEW OF SURGICAL AND POST OPERATIVE MANAGEMENT FOR LE AMPUTATIONS. IT WILL ALSO DISCUSS COMMON LE PROSTHETIC DEVICES. THERAPISTS WILL GAIN KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS TO BETTER ADDRESS COMPLICATIONS THAT MAY DEVELOP WITH PATIENTS RECEIVING THERAPY FOR ALL ASPECTS OF PROSTHETIC TRAINING.

AGENDA

- 11:30 Registration & Lunch
- 12:00 Surgical and Post-op Care for LE Amputees
- 1:00 Overview of Common L.E Prosthetic Devices
- 2:00 Prosthetic component options & possible clinical complications
- 3:00 Amputee Gait Training – special considerations
- 4:00 Discussion & Questions
- 4:30 Evaluation & Adjourn



PRESENTERS:

Jennifer Kennedy, DPT
Chris Wallace, CPO
E. Frazier Ward, MD

OBJECTIVES

AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE LECTURE, PARTICIPANTS SHOULD BE BETTER ABLE TO:

1. Describe surgical & post operative care for lower extremity amputees
2. Describe Common lower extremity prosthetic devices.
3. Recognize and problem solve complications.
4. Recognize complications that can be addressed by the therapists and those that require consultation with either the referring physician or the prosthetist
5. Describe special considerations for gait training with LE amputees

CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDIT

Satisfactory completion of this activity requires a minimum attendance at 90% of the lecture and completion of an activity assessment and self assessment of achievement of learning objectives. Satisfactory completion of the activity is required for continuing education credit to be awarded.

PHYSICAL THERAPISTS:

This activity is approved by the Mississippi Physical Therapy Board for 4.5 hours of continuing education credit for PT and PTA for the July 1, 2009 – June 30, 2010 licensure period.

REFUND/CANCELLATION POLICY:

Registration is considered complete upon receipt of tuition.

Full refunds will be granted up to 4-23-10. After 4-23-10, no refund will be granted; however, a qualified substitute participant will be accepted. MRC reserves the right to cancel or modify the advertised agenda as long as this does not substantially affect the objectives. MRC will grant a timely refund to all fully registered individuals if applicable.

Accommodations: In accordance with the ADA requirements, if you are disabled and require special services, contact our office at least one week prior to the date of the presentation.

To register contact: Lisa Nichols at 364-3550 or e-mail lnichols@mmrc rehab.org

Tuition: \$120.00, includes lunch