

Functional Bowen™ Therapy Concepts II – The Pediatric Application©

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Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 27, 28 & 29, 2017

Location: Wayne Memorial Hospital, Honesdale, PA

Time: 8:00 AM to 5:30 PM on 3/27 & 3/28 / 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM on 3/29
(Optional 4-hour hands-on practicum will be scheduled as interest is indicated from 1:30 to 5:30 PM on 3/29)

Description

Medical and Allied Health Professionals (MD, DO, DC, NP, PA, DDS, PT, OT, RN, and Clinical Rehab Managers), as well as other professionals with a license to put their hands on others such as Nurse Midwives, Massage Therapists, Dental Hygienists, and so on. Check your local city/county and/or state requirements.

Synopsis

This course is a 3-day (20 hours) intensive class designed for those who want to learn the pediatric application of this method including therapeutic techniques and process application strategies. Structural assessment and evaluation skills for infants/children as they relate to muscle hypertonus with subsequent involvement in noted breastfeeding dysfunctions, mobility restrictions and developmental delays will be addressed.

Further, it is an immersion in this form of therapeutic, hands-on approach to directed muscle release and its effectiveness in the resolve of muscle pattern dysfunctions noted in the newborn, infant and child. It is lecture-based followed by ample demonstration and a time of hands-on learning with others in attendance. Certification of course completion is provided.

This course **requires** the following:

- Successful completion of **Functional Bowen™ Concepts I ©**
- A foundation in anatomy as direct correlation is always made in the structural application of this technique. Concepts taught will be clinically approached with a scientifically-based focus
- A waiver of participation is required for the hands-on portion
- Have access available during class the book** by Christy Cael: Functional Anatomy – Musculoskeletal Anatomy, Kinesiology, and Palpation for Manual Therapists, Lippincott Williams & Wilkins, 2011, ISBN 9781609138363

Additionally, a suggested comprehensive guide book by Carol Chamley, E.d.D. M.Ed.BA.RN entitled Developmental Anatomy and Physiology of Children: A Practical Approach is referenced.

Objectives

- Verbally demonstrate advanced knowledge of the interrelationship between patient's birth/medical history including predisposing factors affecting an infant's/child's "functional mobility", presenting posture as assessed to include often unseen muscle-related structural barriers and the outcomes observed in muscle pattern dysfunctions noted (i.e. breastfeeding and mobility challenges).
- Demonstrate advanced postural assessment techniques for the purpose of quickly evaluating interrelated structural deviations to be differentiated/identified, therapeutically addressed and evaluated for corrections observed in the moment and with follow up therapy.
- Demonstrate advanced differentiation between individual hypertonic muscles and muscle groups, identifying possible associated impingement syndromes, and learn the specifically associated structural deviations that present in these cases.
- Demonstrate an advanced understanding of muscle dysfunction patterns and related structural outcomes for the purpose of understanding how best to develop a plan of corrective action through active muscle release with passive and active range of motion, as well as suggested parent-based home therapeutic exercise.
- Demonstrate by means of direct participation the acquisition of advanced muscle release and balance skills that will assist in actively correcting structural deviations.
- Communicate and demonstrate ongoing advanced assessment strategies for assessing muscle compliance progress and evaluating related patient/client outcomes.
- Demonstrate the use of collaborative strategies with parents/caregivers, allied health providers, referral resources, and patient/client care advocates.

Cost

\$695.00: Full payment is due at the time of registration or by Wednesday, 3/15/17. Cancellations up through 3/14/17 will be assessed a \$100.00 administrative fee. No refunds after 3/14/17. Registration space is limited and will be handled on a first come, first served basis. Minimum class size must be met.

Contact Hours/CE's

A California Board of Registered Nursing Approved Provider #CEP15569, 20 Contact Hours; NCBTMB Provider #1049, 20 Contact Hours (Approval Pending); CPTA Provider, 2 CE's (Approval Pending); Pennsylvania OT/PT Provider, 20 Contact Hours (Approval pending); IBLCE, 8 L-CERP Hours (Approval Pending). Full attendance is required. No partial contact hours will be issued for partial attendance.

Registration

Please use our secure automated online site at www.knowmor.org/register. You may contact Nancy Broadley, Office Manager, @ nancyb@knowmor.org or call (916) 834-1711 for questions.