

Skills for Life 4: People, Purpose, and Passion

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

(Subject to Change)

Therapist/Prosthetist Workshop

Thursday, October 22, 2015

11:00 – Lunch

12:00 –Emerging Technology (Kristi Turner, OTR/L)

12:30 – Case Study (To be confirmed)

1:00 – Body Powered Bilateral Prosthetics (James Caywood, CP)

1:30 – Integration and Use of Bilateral VC/VO Prosthesis Simulators with Occupational Therapy Practitioners as Effective Clinical Team Members (Debra Latour, MEd, OTR/L)

2:00 – The therapeutic approach to treating children with bilateral limb loss or limb differences (Mary Leighton, OTR/L)

2:30 – Approaches for individual therapy and rehabilitation concepts in bilateral upper limb fittings (Birgit Bischof, BSc & Hans Oppel, Clin P&O)

3:00 – Break

3:30 – Maximizing Outcomes for High Level Upper Limb Absence: OT and CP Perspectives (Scott Spring, CP/LPO & Lisa Smurr Walters, OTR/L, MS, CHT)

4:00 – Body Powered Case Studies or Prosthetic Technology (Kelly Lee, CP RIC)

4:30 – Functional Training and Tips for Individuals with Partial Hand Bilateral Involvement (Lynsay Whelan, OTR/L)

5:00 – Case Study (Julie Klarich, OTR, CHT and Inger Bruckner, PT)

5:30 – End of Day

***This half-day program is tailored towards the healthcare professional audience.**

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Main Workshop

Friday, October 23, 2015

08:30 – Welcome	01:15 – Emotional Turmoil (Suzi Phelps, PhD)
08:40 – Title to be determined (John Lawson)	01:45 – Expected Functional Outcomes (Robert Meier III, MD)
09:00 – Success Stories/Ice Breaker (Eric Nelson, Mike St Onge, audience)	2:15 – Surgery to Improve Amputation Function (Christi Blakkolb, MD and Matthew Koeplinger, MD)
09:40 – Break in Exhibit Hall	02:45 – A Surgeon’s Perspective on Improving Life After Upper Limb Loss (Brian Carlsen, MD)
10:10 – Lessons Learned in the Rehabilitation of Service Members with Quadrilateral Amputations: A Retrospective Analysis (Annemarie Orr, OTR)	3:00 – Q&A
10:25 - Practical Myoelectric Arms for Bilateral Arm Wearers (Harold H. Sears, PhD)	03:30 – Break in Exhibit Hall
10:40 – Problem Solutions in the Kitchen and Home Modifications (Christine Ragno, OTR and Marie Wikstrom)	04:00 – To be confirmed
10:55 – Child Care (Erika Beth OTR/L and Kristi Turner. OTR/L)	04:15 – Become a Smart Consumer: Increase Your Performance (Hector Torres)
11:10 – Utilization of a Hybrid Pattern Recognition Control Strategy to Meet Patient Functional Expectations (Chris Baschuk, MPO, CP)	04:30 – Healthcare Navigation for People with Disabilities (Ruth M. Morris, LMS, MPH)
11:25 - Improved Function in a Bilateral Transradial Amputee using Michelangelo Hands (Bambi Lombardi, OTR/L, Gerald Stark, MSEM, CPO/L, FAAOP)	04:45 – Bidet Use in Bilateral Upper Limb Loss (Bhavik Patel)
11:40 – Q&A	05:00 – Total Limb Loss Care: TIRR Memorial Hermann's Comprehensive Team Approach to Rehabilitation (Kristin Reeves, PT)
12:00 – Lunch	05:15 – Five Function Wrist (Ted Muilenburg)
	05:30 – End of Day
	07:00 – Opening Reception (Hosted by TIRR Memorial Hermann)

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Saturday, October 24, 2015

08:30 – Welcome

08:40 – Not what I expected, but I'm having a great life anyway—Thirty-eight years in adapting to loss of both arms (Cynthia Dusel Bacon)

09:00 – Upper Limb Provisional Prostheses (Chris Lake, CPO, FAAOP)

09:15 – Touching the World Again: Neural Interfaces Restore the Sense of Touch following Limb Loss (Joyce Tyler, OTR/L, CHT)

09:30 - Pattern Recognition Myoelectric Control (Blair Lock)

09:45 – Touch Bionics' Solutions for Bilateral Limb Loss or Deficiency (Lynsay Whelan, OTR/L & Nathan Wagner, CPO, LPO, OTR/L)

10:00 – Ottobock Product Overview (Gerry Stark, MSEM, CPO/L, FAAOP)

10:15 – Break in Exhibit Hall

10:45 – Prosthetic Problem Solving – Panel Discussion (led by Mike St Onge, Jason Koger and Sam Matagi)

11:15 – Activity/Sports/Hobbies adaptations and examples (Jason Koger, Sam Matagi)

11:45 – Pain and its Treatment in Arm Amputation (Danielle H. Melton, MD)

12:15 – Phantom Pain and Meditation (Aimee Copeland)

12:30– Lunch

01:30 – Activity Day (biking, swimming, gym, rock wall, yoga, Xbox)

06:30 – End of Day

07:00 – Gala Dinner

Sunday, October 25, 2015

08:30 – Welcome

08:40 – Title to be determined (Karen Crespo)

9:00 – Hand Transplant Case Study WRNMMC (Josef Butkus, OTR/L)

09:15 - Prosthetics and Therapy: At Home and at Work (Scott Spring, CP/LPO and Lisa Smurr Walters, OTR/L, MS, CHT)

09:30 – Quality of life in Swedish individuals with multiple limb deficiencies (Marie Wikstrom)

09:45 – Hanger Upper Extremity Program Overview (Joyce Tyler, OTR/L, CHT and Craig Jackman, CP)

10:00 - Motion Control Product Overview (Harold Sears, PhD)

10:15 - Break

10:30 – Creative and Unique Approaches Utilizing Traditional Prosthetic Technologies (Debra Latour, M.Ed., OTR/L, Erik Tompkins, Chris Baschuk, MPO, CP)

10:45 – Fabric-Based Socket for High-Level Upper Extremity Users (Jay Martin, CP, LP, FAAOP)

11:00 – Baker O&P (TBD)

11:15 – Impact of the VC/VO Prosthesis Simulator with Clinicians, Caregivers and Consumers Toward Successful Outcomes (Debra Latour, M.Ed., OTR/L)

11:30 – Q&A

12:00 – Concluding Remarks/Course Evaluation