

Case Studies in Seating & Mobility: Introduction to the Challenges of Product Selection

Length: 2 Hours

Description:

Working in the world of CRT you have hundreds of products to choose from. It takes a team effort to come up with a mobility and seating solution to meet your client's unique needs. The ATP is there to guide you through product selection, put the actual equipment into perspective and bring it to delivery. This will be an interactive session that will take you to the vendor hall in groups to study the variety of choices available to meet the needs of a client based upon a posed case study. We will then ask you to come back to the classroom to share your team's ideas and engage in open discussion about why and when some products are chosen over others.

Objectives:

- 1) To gain insight into the process required to make appropriate CRT product choices.
- 2) To be able to identify different types of back supports based on shape and foam properties.
- 3) To become familiar with a variety of options available on mobility bases and their benefits.

Instructional Level: Beginner to Intermediate

Credits: 2.0 CCU / 0.2 CEU

TPTA approval pending

TOTA approval pending

Presenter:

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Nancy Rice has been working in the Rehab Equipment Industry for 26 years. She earned her Certification as an Assistive Technology Professional (ATP) in 1998 and the designation of Seating and Mobility Specialist (SMS) in 2013. Her work includes the evaluation of clients for specialized equipment and supporting the ATP team for Travis Medical in Houston. She is currently the Manager of Professional Development for Travis Medical at the corporate level. She was appointed to the Medicaid Managed Care Advisory Committee at its inception in 2013 and continues to stay involved with matters regarding CRT funding. She has a Masters Degree in Business Administration and enjoys wood working and weaving in her spare time.

