

Power Wheelchair Prescription

Length: 2 Hours

Description:

This 2-hour course focuses on the application of the mobility assessment findings to the prescription of a power wheelchair and interfacing of the seating components. The pros and cons of various drive wheel configurations (front, mid, and rear-wheel drive) and base options will be presented. Utilizing an algorithmic approach, the most appropriate type of mobility device is determined. An overview of proportional vs. non-proportional control options and examples of alternative drive controls will be presented utilizing case studies.

Instructional Level: Intermediate

Credits: 2.0 CCU / 0.2 CEU

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