

Introduction

The use of rigid orthoses have been the main stay of orthotic provision for many years. However the use of rigid orthotics in neurological dysfunction is being challenged by new theories and outcomes reported using dynamic orthoses. This full day course will explore one of the innovative treatment options increasingly used in paediatric and adult neurological dysfunction – dynamic Lycra® orthoses. The syllabus will develop understanding of the possible mechanisms and provide a basis for prescriptive solutions to many of the presentations commonly seen in this arena providing evidence based practice.

Aims

This course aims to:

- Define Cerebral Palsy
- Discuss “tone “ and “spasticity”
- Provide a brief overview of the various mechanisms at work in the treatment
- Explain assessment criteria and measuring protocols
- Provide evidence of outcomes
- Discuss options for prescription based on assessment
- Identify suitable outcome measures to provide for clinical audit
- Understand the need for a multi-disciplinary team approach

Learning Outcomes

By the end of this event the participant will be able to:

- Understand the reasoning behind the use of dynamic orthoses
- Assess, prescribe and measure dynamic Lycra® orthoses
- Understand the importance of the multi-disciplinary team approach.
- Identify and show outcome measures

Intended Participants

Prosthetists, Orthotists, Physiotherapists & Occupational therapists.

This course is relevant to all healthcare clinicians involved in the treatment of neurological dysfunction both in paediatric and adult populations.

Learning, Teaching and Assessment Strategy

- Attendance at the one day study day involving introduction to neurological dynamic orthotic management
- Development of the use of dynamic orthoses

Event Contributors

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Venue and Dates

BAPO, Unit 64
Sir James Clark Building,
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Wednesday 24 September 2008
9.30am – 4.30pm

Registration Fees

The fee for the course is

BAPO members	£ 102.00
Non Members	£ 165.00

For registrations received 15 days or less before the event a late fee of £30 will be incurred.

We encourage orthotic personnel (orthotists, orthotic) to apply for reimbursement from the Orthotic Education and Training Trust.

Unable to attend the scheduled dates but interested in attending? Please complete the form overleaf indicating your interest in future dates.

Registration Form

Dynamic Lycra® Orthoses

Delegate Details: This information will appear on your delegate badge	
Name	
Discipline	
Contact Details	
Address	
Day Tel No	
Email address	
BAPO Member/ Associate No.	
Payment	
BAPO Member/Associate	
Other	
Late Registration fee (15 working days before event)	
Cheques and purchase orders payable to "baPo Ltd. If you wish to pay by credit card please contact the Secretariat.	
Date	
Wednesday 24 September 2008	
Special Needs or Dietary Requirements (please detail below)	
Unable to attend scheduled dates but interested in attending a future event	

I understand that:

- My registration fee is not refundable
- I am responsible for booking my own accommodation

Signed _____ Date _____

Contact Information

To register for this event, please complete the registration form and send it to the BAPO Secretariat or download form from Short Course CPD forum at www.bapo.org. On registration you will be sent further information on the event together with travel directions, suggested accommodation and venue map.

Please note that:

- Places will be allocated on a first-come-first-served basis. Please apply early to avoid disappointment.
- Registration closes 10 working days before the date of the event; therefore you must ensure your registration form arrives at the Secretariat by this time. Late registrations (15 days or less before the event) are subject to a late fee of £30.
- Employers wishing to book several places can do so by sending a purchase order or credit card details to the BAPO Secretariat. Please note that any unused places MUST be paid for in full.

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