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Stroke Recovery

Techniques and Therapies to Rewire the Brain After Stroke

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About Peter Levine, RA, BA, PTA, AAS

Peter Levine is a researcher, author, clinician and science communicator, dedicated to finding and reporting on the best systems for driving post-stroke cortical plasticity. Mr. Levine is a consultant at the B.R.A.I.N. Lab at The Ohio State University, a premier center for treatment of motor deficits caused by neurological disabilities. He has been involved in stroke-specific rehabilitation research since the late 1990s, is the co-developer of modified constraint-induced therapy (mCIT), and is a former Research Associate at both the Department of Rehabilitation Sciences, University of Cincinnati Academic Medical Center and the Human Performance & Motion Analysis Laboratory at Kessler Rehabilitation Research and Education Corporation, the research arm of the Kessler Institute for Rehabilitation.

Mr. Levine has co-authored more than 60 articles and abstracts published in peer-reviewed journals including Stroke, the American Journal of Occupational Therapy, Neurorehabilitation and Neural Repair, Physical Therapy, Archives of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, and Topics in Stroke Rehabilitation. Mr. Levine is the author of the best-selling book Stronger After Stroke, beloved by stroke and TBI survivors alike for its easily understandable and scientifically accurate information on how to achieve optimal recovery. He has produced and presented training workshops and seminars nationally and internationally on stroke rehabilitation and neuroplasticity. He received his degree in communication from George Mason University and his degree as a physical therapist assistant from Union County College.

Who Should Attend This Course

- Physical Therapists
- Physical Therapist Assistants
- Occupational Therapists
- Occupational Therapy Assistants
- Athletic Trainers

Attendee Reviews

Peter was a vivid speaker who adds humor and visuals making the course more interesting and helpful! Great resources on research and effective treatment approaches!

Christine, IN

Very informative and offered a lot of treatment methods for stroke patients that we could implement in our treatment sessions.

Danielle, NY

Peter Levine was an excellent presenter. He engaged the whole class for the whole day. I learned a lot and it was very enjoyable at the same time.

Maureen, NY

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Benefits to Attending

- Techniques, treatments and therapies to rewire the brain after stroke
- Tools to re-establish sensation and proprioception
- Strategies to reduce spasticity by restoring executive control of the brain over spastic muscles
- Reimbursable and practical modification of Constraint Induced Therapy (mCIT), including the screening process, intervention techniques and measuring outcome
- Find free and easy-to-access stroke-specific, research-based evidence on the web
- New and emerging technological advances that will change the face of stroke rehabilitation

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Stroke Recovery

Techniques and Therapies to Rewire the Brain After Stroke

In the United States, stroke is the third leading cause of death and the leading cause of serious, long-term adult disability. It is estimated that 800,000 strokes will occur in the U.S. this year and with boomers quickly hitting and passing age 55 their risk of stroke will begin to double with each successive decade. Although neurorehabilitation therapies are commonly used to treat these patients, treatment options such as Modified Constraint-Induced Therapy (mCIT) are documented to produce better quality-of-life patient outcomes. mCIT, an evidence-based, reimbursable treatment strategy in which constraint of the non-affected upper extremity, combined with forced repetitive use of the affected upper extremity, works to improve function and performance, decreases spasticity and produces robust neuroplastic change.

This important workshop presented by clinician, researcher and author Peter Levine (Stronger After Stroke), delivers leading-edge treatment options including the most effective, reimbursable, research-driven recovery program now available to stroke patients - Modified Constraint-Induced Therapy. Participants will learn how “massed practice” is an essential component of the adequately vigorous neuroplastic change which drives successful patient outcomes and why “more is better” - more resistance, more repetitions, more speed, and more duration. The latest research findings will be discussed and participants will return to their practice able to identify appropriate candidates and structure the massing of practice at home or away from the clinical setting. From flaccidity to spasticity to function, learn what the published evidence tells clinicians and therapists about the massive neuroplastic changes needed for the fullest possible recovery!

Learning Objectives

1. Describe three neuroplasticity-driving stroke recovery options.
2. Summarize the theory and evidence supporting cortical plasticity as a substrate for post-stroke recovery.
3. Explain forced use therapies and how they form the basis of a structured mCIT program.
4. Identify what is and what is not clinically effective for post-stroke spasticity reduction.
5. Identify reliable and valid stroke-specific outcome measures.
6. Seamlessly implement stroke-specific evidence-based practices which improve patient outcomes.
7. Effectively include leading-edge stroke rehabilitation research in a way that is both simple and free of charge.
8. Employ tools for recovery of sensation and proprioception.

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Course Outline

- I. Neuroplasticity I: Neuroplasticity Made Simple**
 - » Neuroplasticity demystified
 - » An historical perspective on neuroplasticity
 - » Rules for driving neuroplastic change
 - » Technologies for measuring neuroplastic change
- II. Neuroplasticity II: Direct Implications of Neuroplasticity on Stroke**
 - » The importance of neuroplasticity after stroke
 - » How the brain rewires after stroke
 - » Reactivating salvageable neurons after stroke
 - » Tools, treatments and therapies to rewire the brain after stroke
- III. Modified Constraint Induced Therapy (mCIT): Neuroplastic & Reimbursable**
 - » The history of constraint induced and forced use therapies
 - » An evidence-based review of constraint induced therapy
 - » Understanding learned non-use
 - » Modified Constraint Induced Therapy: a reimbursable alternative
 - » Choosing the “right candidate” for mCIT therapy
 - » Implementing a structured mCIT program
 - » Reimbursement for mCIT
- IV. Evidence-Based Stroke Recovery**
 - » Stroke-specific outcome measures: A review
 - » The research-based therapist as the ultimate stroke recovery tool
 - » How rehabilitation research establishes efficacy
 - » Easy and seamless ways to an evidence-based practice
 - » Tricks for easy access to stroke-specific rehabilitation research
- V. Spasticity Measurement, Management, and a New Vision of Spasticity Reduction**
 - » What works and what does not: a critical review
 - » Understanding spasticity: the first step in reduction
 - » Spasticity management and therapeutic strategies
 - » Spasticity measurement that can be done clinically
 - » A new perspective on tone reduction: start with the brain
- VI. Tools to Re-Establish Sensation & Proprioception**
 - » Prevalence of sensation loss after stroke
 - » Passive and active sensory recovery strategies
 - » Using technology to reestablish sensation

Course Schedule

7:30am - Registration & Coffee
8:00am - Workshop Begins
11:30am - 12:30pm - Lunch On Your Own
3:30pm - Workshop Adjourns

Your instructor will break for 15 minutes in the morning and afternoon at appropriate times.

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This event contains intermediate level content.

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DISCLOSURES

FINANCIAL: Peter Levine is compensated by Summit as an instructor and receives royalties as the author of Stronger After Stroke.
NONFINANCIAL: Peter Levine is the co-developer of modified constraint-induced therapy (mCIT) and is a co-publisher of more than 60 peer-reviewed journal articles on various topics related to stroke recovery.

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