

PRINCIPAL INSTRUCTOR

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BOWEL MANAGEMENT

TRANSFORMING INCONTINENCE
TO INDEPENDENCE



OT,OTA, RN, LVN - Continuing Education

Upon successful completion of this course, attendees will learn how to evaluate and treat clients with gastrointestinal disorders as well as gain invaluable tools to start bowel programs at their facility. The course will start by providing a comprehensive review of the anatomy and physiology as it relates to the digestive system. This will provide a solid foundation for understanding why and how to treat clients with fecal incontinence using a holistic, client-centered approach. Attendees will learn evidenced based treatment interventions for the most common bowel disorders as well as occupation-based interventions for individuals with fecal diversions.

OBJECTIVES

- Identify the key structures and role of the digestive system.
- Identify the common causes of fecal incontinence and choose appropriate treatment intervention for each form of fecal incontinence.
- Identify two adaptive tools or assistive technology to increase independence with bowel program.
- Select appropriate treatment intervention for each type of fecal diversion.

CEU / CREDIT INFORMATION

Occupational Therapists & Occupational Therapy

Assistants: AppleTree CEU is an AOTA approved provider - Provider #0000000033. This course is approved for 4.0 contact hours or 0.40 AOTA CEUs - Course ID 00360. This course contains beginner level content and is classified under both Domain of OT and Occupational Therapy Process.

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Disclosures – Mr. Despommier and the nurse planner responsible for planning and developing the education have no relevant financial relationships to disclose.

COURSE SCHEDULE

7:30 am	Registration
8:00-8:30	Bowel Management <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Statistics- Impact on daily life- Interdisciplinary approach- Therapy role
8:30-9:00	Anatomy and physiology <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Bowel control- GI tract and accessory organs- Pelvic floor
9:00-11:00	Fecal Incontinence <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Causes of incontinence- Types of incontinence- GI disorders- Neurogenic bowel
10:00-10:15	Break <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Treatment interventions- Bowel program
11:00-12:15	Fecal Diversions <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Continent diversions- Incontinent diversions- Treatment interventions

Course Completion Requirements –

To receive contact hours, you must attend the entire education, complete a post-test with a score of 80% or higher and completion of evaluation form.



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