



Texas Children's Hospital

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**The NDT/Bobath
Certificate Course in the
Management & Treatment
and of Children with
Cerebral Palsy and othe
Neuromotor Disorders**
Course Number: 13B102

Presented by:

Faculty

Lois Bly, MA, PT, C/NDT, CI

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Neuro-Science Instructor

Course runs

Tuesdays through Saturdays.

March 12-16; March 19-23, 2013

June 11-15; June 18-22, 2013

July 9-13; July 16-20, 2013

August 6-10; August 12-16, 2013



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Texas Children's Health Center

Course Location:

Texas Children's Pavilion for Women

6651 Main Street 4th floor

Conference rooms A-C

Houston, Texas 77030

Course Description

The certification course in Neuro-Developmental Treatment is one of the longest post-graduate courses currently offered to professionals in the fields of physical therapy, occupational therapy, and speech pathology. It is an intensive training course comprising both theoretical and practical constructs developed by Dr. and Mrs. Karel Bobath, and conforms to the standards established by the North American NDTA, Inc.

The NDT/Bobath Certification Course is taught by a team of professionals who have extensive experience in the use of an NDT philosophy in hospital, private practice and school settings. A certified NDTA Coordinator-Instructor is in charge of this course and she will be assisted by other NDTA certified instructors who represent the disciplines of Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy and Speech Pathology. Additional appropriate professionals will also teach in the course.

Course Schedule

Course runs Tuesday through Saturday from 8:00-5:00 pm. Schedule will vary but format and time is below.

8:00-10:15	Lecture
10:15-10:30	Break
10:30-11:30	Treatment Demo
11:30-12:00	Discussion
12:00-1:00	Lunch
1:00-2:45	Lab Practicum
2:45-3:00	Break
3:00-4:30	Treatment Practicum
4:30-5:00	Discussion
5:00	Close

Course Objectives

At the end of this course, the participants will be able to:

1. Observe, analyze and synthesize effective and ineffective posture and movement and its impact on a client's functional abilities / limitations
2. Demonstrate integration of course content information within practicum assignment:
 - Postural control
 - Typical/Atypical development
 - Evaluation and Treatment planning
 - Treatment
 - Analysis and facilitation of movement
 - Parent training/home management
 - Team work
 - PT, OT, ST content
 - Neurophysiology
3. Identify components of typical movement and how it relates to the development of: sensory processing, upper and lower extremity, visual motor function, gait, feeding and speech.
4. Problem solve ineffective posture and movement, and single system impairments as it relates to sensory processing, upper and lower extremity, visual motor function, gait, feeding and speech and chose effective NDT strategies to address identified functional limitations.

PREREQUISITES:

1. All participants must be recognized in their state or country as a certified or licensed professional: Licensed Physical Therapist, Registered Occupational Therapist, or Certified Speech Pathologist, C.C.C. (Masters Degree).
2. One year professional experience with children with cerebral palsy and related neuromotor disorders is recommended.
3. Current employment and direct clinical caseload of children with cerebral palsy (can include children with developmental delays or other related neuromotor problems).
4. Physical ability to fully participate in all aspects of the strenuous nature of this course. Activities including lifting and carrying clients may be done daily.
5. Proof of professional liability insurance coverage

Registration Form:

Please contact
Mitzi Wiggin 832-826-6107
mmwiggin@texaschildrens.org or
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for a copy of the registration packet.

TUITION:

NDTA Members \$4200 Non-members \$4405
NDTA Membership dues are \$105.00 per year
www.ndta.org or 800-869-9295.

Proof of membership is required at time of registration to receive the member rate for this course.

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Hotel Accommodations:

Holiday Inn Medical Center
6800 Main St.
Houston, Texas 77030
713-528-7744
Contact: Michelle Hosey Sales
\$79/room for suite with kitchen.
Shuttle to and from course provided

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN SHARING A SUITE,
PLEASE INQUIRE AT TIME OF REGISTRATION

Qualified applicants will be accepted into the course in the order the applications are received, subject to discipline [OT/PT/ST]. Participants will be notified within 14 days of receipt of their application and a \$200.00 non-refundable deposit will be required to guarantee a place in the course.

Website: Registration for application

www.texaschildrens.org/pmr

CEU's: 221 contact hours have been applied for with TPTA. AOTA and ASHA ceu's approved.

Course content specific to AOTA CEUs: Domain of Occupational Therapy, Occupational Process and Professional Issues. Course Level: Intermediate

AOTA does not endorse specific content, products or clinical procedures



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