

# DIFFERENTIAL DIAGNOSIS FOR PHYSICAL THERAPISTS: ROCE 5703

Course Length: 15 hours

CEUs Awarded: 1.5 CEUs

#### **Overview:**

The course covers the principles and methods of clinical screening in physical therapy practice and briefly summarizes diagnostic imaging, laboratory testing, and other medical diagnostic procedures. A basic format for musculoskeletal, neuromuscular, integumentary and cardiopulmonary screening in physical therapy will be presented, with a focus on differential diagnosis within the scope of physical therapy practice. The course also addresses how the physical therapist role interfaces with the physician role.

#### **Target Audience:**

Licensed Physical Therapists

#### **Career Outlook and Benefits:**

According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, Tennessee Department of Labor, the median income for physical therapists is \$71,670. This course was developed based on the criteria outlined in the Board of Physical Therapy Position Statement, Direct Access to Physical Therapy adopted on August 17th, 2007. It meets the criteria for 1.5 CEUs as outlined in the Rules of the Tennessee Board of Physical Therapy, August, 2007 revision. It is at the licensee's discretion to review the course content prior to taking this or any course, and to make a determination regarding both the course's ability to meet Direct Access guidelines and continuing education requirements.

#### Hardware & Software Requirements:

You will need the following: Computer with Internet access, the ability to use Microsoft Word '98 version or higher, web navigation skills and email skills.

#### **Textbook Requirements:**

Goodman CC, Snyder TEK. Differential Diagnostics for Physical Therapists: Screening for Referral. Elsevier; 2006. ISBN: 978-0-7216-0619-4. This textbook is available through our bookstore, http://www.rodp.bkstr.com/.

# Course Dates:

March 5 - April 23, 2012

#### **Registration Dates:**

December 1, 2011 - March 12, 2012

## **Course Instructor:**

Natalie Housel, PT, EdD Associate Professor College of Health Sciences Tennessee State University

## **Course Fee:**

\$132

#### Payment:

Cash, Mastercard or Visa Credit Card, Check, Money Orders accepted



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# Regents Online Continuing Education 2012 Spring Semester Schedule



Course Title	Course Number	Course Type	CEUs Awarded	Instructor	2012 Session Dates	Course Fees	Registration Window*
Law Enforcement & Public Safety							
Case Management:							
Documenting a Criminal for Prosecution	8104	On Demand	0.2	Donald Drewry	Jan 9 - May 31, 2012	\$36	Jan 9 - May 31, 2012
Media Relations for Law							
Enforcement	8105	On Demand	0.2	Donald Drewry	Jan 9 - May 31, 2012	\$36	Jan 9 - May 31, 2012
Miranda Rights Review	8106	On Demand	0.1	Donald Drewry	Jan 9 - May 31, 2012	\$18	Jan 9 - May 31, 2012
Delegation: Improving Supervisor Skills	8107	On Demand	0.2	Donald Drewry	Jan 9 - May 31, 2012	\$36	Jan 9 - May 31, 2012
Law Enforcement Supervision: Principles of Management	8108	On Demand	0.4	Donald Drewry	Jan 9 - May 31, 2012	\$72	Jan 9 - May 31, 2012
Homeland Security/Emergency Management for Law Enforcement	8501	On Demand	0.2	Donald Drewry	Jan 9 - May 31, 2012	\$36	Jan 9 - May 31, 2012
Domestic Violence for Law Enforcement	8112	On Demand	0.3	Dawn Riddle	Jan 9 - May 31, 2012	\$54	Jan 9 - May 31, 2012
Domestic Violence for EMS	8113	On Demand	0.2	Dawn Riddle	Jan 9 - May 31, 2012	\$36	Jan 9 - May 31, 2012
Nursing/Healthcare							
Basic EKG	5202	On Demand	1.5	Pam Taylor	Jan 9 - May 31, 2012	\$132	Jan 9 - May 31, 2012
Intro to Radiology	5702	On Demand	1.5	Tom Bukoskey	Jan 9 - May 31, 2012	\$132	Jan 9 - May 31, 2012
Dosage Calculations	5211	On Demand	3.6	Pat Roark	Jan 9 - May 31, 2012	\$288	Jan 9 - Apr 16, 2012
Differential Diagnosis	5703	Scheduled	1.5	Natalie Housel	Mar 5 - Apr 23, 2012	\$132	Dec 1, 2011 - Mar 1, 2012
Allied Health							
Allied Health Math Assessment Prep	1501	Scheduled	3	David Burks	Jan 9 - May 31, 2012	\$240	Dec 1, 2011 - Apr 16, 2012
Human Resources							
HR Management Certificate	2503	On Demand	3	Susan Jones	Feb 20 - May 31, 2012	\$540	Dec 1, 2011 - Feb 16, 2012
Fundamental Payroll Certification Review	2105	Scheduled	2.4	Natalie Austin	Mar 12 - May 21, 2012	\$288	Dec 1, 2011 - Mar 8, 2012
CPS® and CAP® Reviews							
Certified Administrative Professional - Part I	2106	Scheduled	2.5	Debbie West- Green	Jan 9 - Mar 12, 2012	\$300	Dec 1, 2011 - Jan 5, 2012
Certified Administrative Professional - Part II	2107	Scheduled	2.5	Debbie West- Green	Mar 5 - Apr 30, 2012	\$300	Dec 1, 2011 - March 1, 2012

\*NOTE: You must pre-register for scheduled courses during the registration window and complete them within the session dates window. You can register for and complete on demand courses any time during the registration window.

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- 3. Click Next Step
- 4. Input your Personal Information
- 5. Click Continue to Step 2

7. Click on the dropdown box to select a granting institution

6. Click on the dropdown box to pick a course

- 8. Click Add
- 9. Click Confirm and Proceed
- 10. Select whether you choose to pay online or pay on campus

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