

Cognitive Rehabilitation: Techniques and Applications for Persons with Brain Injury



A one-day conference presented by
The Society for Cognitive Rehabilitation and Widener University

Featured Speaker Rick Parente', Ph.D

Friday, October 29, 2010

9:00 AM - 3:00PM

Widener University - Alumni Auditorium
Chester, Pennsylvania

Who Should Attend: SLP, OT, PT, CTRS, MSW, Psychologists, Educators

Registration: 8:30-9:00 AM

Course Description: This workshop summarizes various models of neurorehabilitation along with several treatments with demonstrated efficacy that are appropriate for treating various cognitive disorders secondary to stroke and traumatic brain injury. Specific topics include techniques for improving attention and concentration, memory impairments, disorders of higher order cognition and executive functioning. Methods for retraining social skills and executive functions will also be presented. The presentation includes a summary of various prosthetic aids that obviate problems with memory and other activities of daily living. Additional topics include: Update of efficacy research on cognitive rehabilitation; Lifestyle changes for promoting successful recovery; Biofeedback and EEG techniques for neurotherapy; Problem-solution treatment planning; and Motivating the client to change, and Fostering hope after TBI. The workshop is designed for therapists who want practical suggestions for improving cognition and memory with their clients.

Fees: Non-SCR Member - \$60.00; SCR Member and Widener Faculty - \$45.00; Students and Family and Survivors - \$25.00. *Join SCR for \$65 and get the member rate to attend.*

Lunch will be held in the Widener University cafeteria. Please add \$7.50 per person to your payment.

Directions

Alumni Auditorium is located on Widener's Main campus. Please refer to <http://www.widener.edu/about/location/mapsanddirections> for directions and a campus map. Free street parking is available. Look for signs on campus.

The Society for Cognitive Rehabilitation

The Society for Cognitive Rehabilitation, Inc. was incorporated in 1989 to formalize an international network for Cognitive Rehabilitation Therapists and others interested in the provision of cognitive rehabilitation services to survivors of brain injury and other neurological insults. SCR has aided in defining CRT as a distinct service that can be provided by many different professional disciplines, but standards for training and experiences have been established that pertains to all professionals involved.

Widener University

Widener is an innovative metropolitan university that combines academic quality with career preparation and a commitment to community service. A Widener education connects curricula to societal issues through civic engagement. Dynamic teaching, active scholarship, personal attention, and experiential learning are key components of the Widener experience. A comprehensive doctorate-granting university, Widener offers liberal arts and sciences and professional programs leading to associates, baccalaureate, masters, and doctoral degrees. The university's campuses in Chester, Exton, and Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, and Wilmington, Delaware, serve some 6,500 students.

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Registration Form

Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Organization _____

Home Phone _____

Work Phone _____

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Email _____

Lunch Yes No

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Please print, complete, and then return this form with payment to: 1259 Faun Rd. Wilmington, DE. 19803. Make checks payable to *The Society for Cognitive Rehabilitation (SCR)*. A certificate of attendance will be offered. For additional information contact Anju Vaidya-Thurlow at avrt06@yahoo.com.

Registration Deadline: October 20, 2010