

Course Syllabus

Prosthetic Interventions for the Individual with Partial Hand Loss

Course Date:	Location:
Time:	Presenter/Credentials:

Course Summary

This one hour intermediate level course for PT/PTA, OT/OTA, RN, Case Managers will discuss the number of options for individuals with partial hand loss which has increased in the past decade. This presentation provides occupational and physical therapist treating patients with partial hand loss a detailed overview of the prosthetic options available to them. The focus will be on identifying the advantages and features of these options, and more importantly, identifying which patients will most benefit from these devices.

Objectives

Upon completion of this presentation, the participant will be able to: 1) describe the etiology and incidence of partial hand amputation in the United States; 2) discuss steps the rehabilitation team can take to assist the individual with partial hand loss achieve successful outcomes; and 3) compare and contrast the prosthetic options available for the patient with partial hand loss.

Continuing Education Requirements

In-Person Sessions: All attendees are required to attend the entire session, sign-in at the beginning and at the end of the course. **Webinar Sessions:** All attendees are required to attend the entire session, and complete a credit request form and evaluation following the session. Throughout the presentation learning outcomes will be assessed through instructor interaction and attendee's participation through Q & A.

Detailed Course Outline Sign In/Log-In Pre Test (if required) 60 Minutes – Lecture

- Introduction
 - Etiology, Incidence, Terminology & Amputation Levels
- Prosthetic Design
 - o Setting the patient up for success, patient evaluation and goals of prosthetic management
- Prosthetic Options
 - Silicone restoration, opposition prosthesis, body powered, externally powered and activity specific
- Questions and Answers

Post Test (if required)

Course Evaluation/Sign-Out/Log Out

Special Requests

Hanger Clinic strives to make our learning environments fully accessible and want to provide our guests with an opportunity to identify special needs in advance of the course. Please contact your course coordinator.