

# Neurologic Physical Therapy Professional Education Consortium

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## Consortium Mission

1. Promote the development of Neurologic Physical Therapy professional education throughout the United States by offering a didactic education series that **assists in the preparation for specialty certification in Neurologic Physical Therapy**.
2. Promote the development of Neurologic Physical Therapy Residency Programs by offering the classroom/lab education that **fulfills the didactic component of APTA residency credentialing requirements**.

## Fall 2010 Course: Advanced Neurologic Practice

Our educational approach facilitates **active learning** and provides **hands-on patient experiences**. Our case-based curriculum covers the Neurologic Description of Specialty Practice (DSP). These courses will meet the didactic curriculum requirements for an APTA credentialed Neurologic Residency Program and are also appropriate for individuals who are preparing to take the Neurologic Clinical Specialist (NCS) exam. Courses may be taken individually or as a series for CEU's.

Course Schedule	Content Areas Covered
<b>PART I</b> <b>Diagnosis, Evaluation and Practice Perspectives</b> <b>July 29 - August 1, 2010</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Neurologic Differential Diagnosis</li> <li>• Review of Evaluation and Assessment Tools</li> <li>• Neuroplasticity, Neurorecovery &amp; Motor Skill Acquisition</li> <li>• Framework for Clinical Practice                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• International Classification of Function</li> <li>• Clinical Decision Making</li> <li>• Evidence-Based Practice</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>PART II</b> <b>Intervention, Analysis and Techniques</b> <b>November 11-14, 2010</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Goal-setting and patient collaboration throughout the continuum of neurologic practice</li> <li>• Treatment planning, progression and effective documentation</li> <li>• Gait and movement analysis</li> <li>• Recommendations for Orthotic Assessment, Decision Making and Prescription (Rancho ROADMAP)</li> <li>• Manual facilitation and mobilization techniques</li> <li>• Motor control of posture, locomotion and reach/grasp</li> </ul>

*Courses held in the Los Angeles area. Additional elective courses will be offered in the future.*

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