

1

Complex Wheelchair Prescription Workshop

**10th
Feb**

NEWCASTLE

**11th
Feb**

CENTRAL COAST

**12th
Feb**

SYDNEY

This seminar will provide new graduate Occupational Therapists and anyone involved in seating and wheelchair assessment with the concepts and tools to conduct a thorough MAT evaluation. If you have a client and are unsure where to start when commencing a seating assessment, then this course is a must.

This seminar helps you understand and apply principles and biomechanics to seating posture. It provides skills training and practical tips and tricks to make you much more comfortable conducting an MAT evaluation and prescribing the right seating solution for your client.

This seminar will also help you develop problem-solving skills based on real-world scenarios, develop clinical justification skills to write a successful funding application and integrate knowledge learned into product setup and clinical practice.

This is a fantastic opportunity to build up your confidence by learning from an educator with years of clinical experience and to network with peers new to Occupational Therapy

2

Wheelchair Practical Education Session

**3rd
March**

NEWCASTLE

**4th
March**

CENTRAL COAST

**5th
March**

SYDNEY

Power Wheelchair or Power Add-On? There are differences between these two assistive technologies, and it's easy to become confused about the options. This hands-on, practical education session will help clarify the differences and unique qualities of these assistive technologies.

Learn from seasoned Occupational Therapists and Wheelchair specialists who will take you through everything you need to know about power wheelchairs and power Add-On's so you can come away with a greater understanding of the options available, what they are and how they can assist clients to achieve their goals.

This session will also have you in the wheelchair seat to see, test and feel the differences for yourself so you have the confidence and know-how to operate these assistive technologies and to educate and clinically justify these options to your clients.



REGISTER HERE



3

Pressure Care Mattress + Bed Selection

**8th
April**

CENTRAL COAST

**9th
April**

SYDNEY

Occupational therapy intervention, management, and prevention of pressure injuries play an important role in a client's overall care management, comfort, and mobility. Anytime we lie or sit down in the same position for a period of time, pressure is applied to different parts of the body.

In this insightful and informative seminar, you will learn about the risk factors in both sitting and lying that make an individual more susceptible to developing pressure injuries, changes in skin condition to look out for and how to position individuals to reduce pressure.

This workshop will also explore the latest research methods to combat pressure injuries, the causes and progression of pressure injuries and how they influence your clinical justifications. You will also delve deeper into different pressure care support surfaces and examine how these products provide optimal pressure care and comfort as well as prevention from pressure injury.

4

Manual Handling Solutions

**19th
May**

SYDNEY

**20th
May**

CENTRAL COAST

**21st
May**

NEWCASTLE

Manual handling is often a core component in occupational therapy assessment and treatment, as well as in providing guidance or instruction to caregivers/carers and clients.

Manual handling is any activity in which the body exerts force to lift, lower, push, pull, carry, move, hold, or restrain any object or person. If done incorrectly, manual handling can become hazardous, and if the risks associated with hazardous manual tasks are not eliminated or minimised, they can cause significant and even irreversible injuries or disorders.

In the fourth and final instalment of the OT Cadets Course, we explore the correct procedures for manual handling, the importance of correct manual handling techniques, how to conduct a risk assessment, and how to equip yourself with the skills to identify incorrect techniques.

We also delve into the essentials you need to know to better understand a client's mobility status and how to use the right assistive equipment to suit the client and their carer's manual handling needs.

CPD POINTS PER COURSE

Complex Wheelchair Prescription..	..6 CPD
Wheelchair Practical Education..	..4 CPD
Pressure Care Mattress + Bed Selection..	..3 CPD
Manual Handling Solutions..	..2 CPD

REGISTER HERE

