



5th Annual Training Course for Healthcare Professionals on Vestibular and Balance Disorders in the Pediatric Population

October 14 - 15th, 2014
Learning Tower, Hospital for Sick Children
Toronto, Canada



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Department of Otolaryngology - Head and Neck Surgery

Nemours Biomedical Research, Balance and Vestibular Disorder Laboratory

Center for Pediatric Auditory and Speech Sciences

Moderators:

Sharon L. Cushing MD

Thierry Morlet, PhD

Robert C. O'Reilly, MD

Learning Objectives:

- 1) List three common diagnoses in pediatric patients presenting with balance complaints
- 2) Describe the characteristics of objective vestibular and balance tests
- 3) Discuss the interpretation of vestibular and balance testing in children

Registration:

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For Course Registration please go to

https://events.cepdtoronto.ca/startup/new_recovery/ENT1429

Course Fees:

Professional: \$200

Student: \$100



Program Outline

October 14th, 2014

8:30am Registration/Continental Breakfast

9:00am Welcome/Opening Comments
Sharon Cushing, MD – Pediatric Otolaryngologist, The Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto and Thierry Morlet, PhD – Head, Auditory Physiology and Psychoacoustics Research Laboratory, Nemours/Alfred I. duPont Hospital for Children, Wilmington, DE

9:05am Anatomy and Physiology of the Vestibular System. Characteristics of Balance Disorders in Children
Robert C. O'Reilly, MD – Division Chief, Pediatric Otolaryngology, Nemours/Alfred I. duPont Hospital for Children, Wilmington, DE

9:45am Assessment of the Dizzy Child: Audiology Work-Up
Carolyn Falls B.A. B.H.Sc. Mc.Cl.Sc. (Aud) – Audiologist - Centre for Advanced Hearing and Balance Testing, Toronto General Hospital, University Health Network, Toronto

10:30am Q&A

10:45am B R E A K

11:00am Vestibular Migraine Variants in Children
Jacob R. Brodsky, MD – Co-director of the Balance Program, Boston Children's Hospital, Boston, MA

11:30am Prevalence, Evaluation and Management of Mental Health Symptoms in Children Presenting with Vertigo and Disequilibrium
Gillian Liberman MSW – Social Worker - Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto

12:15pm Q & A

12:30pm L U N C H

1:30-4:30pm Interactive Workshop: Audiologic Testing (VNG, Rotary Chair, VEMP, vHIT, DVA)
Centre for Advanced Hearing and Balance Testing, Toronto General Hospital, University Health Network

October 15, 2014

8:30am Registration/Continental Breakfast

9:00am Post-Concussive Vertigo
Jacob R. Brodsky, MD – Co-director of the Balance Program, Boston Children's Hospital, Boston, MA

9:30am Vestibular Disorders and Sensorineural Hearing Loss
Sharon Cushing, MD – Pediatric Otolaryngologist, The Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto

10:00am Physical Therapy Assessment and Management of the Dizzy Child
Faith R. Kalisperis, MPT, DPT, C/NDT – Pediatric Physical Therapist and Wendy Novick, DPT – Pediatric Physical Therapist, Nemours/Alfred I. duPont Hospital for Children, Wilmington, DE

10:30am Q & A

10:55am B R E A K

11:10am Pearls in the Treatment of Vestibular Disorders
Shaleen Sulway BSc. (Bio), BSc. PT – Certified Vestibular Therapist, Hertz Multidisciplinary Neurotology Clinic, Toronto General Hospital, University Health Network, Toronto

11:40am Approach to Therapy Following Concussion
Faith R. Kalisperis, MPT, DPT, C/NDT – Pediatric Physical Therapist and Wendy Novick, DPT – Pediatric Physical Therapist, Nemours/Alfred I. duPont Hospital for Children, Wilmington, DE

12:20pm Q & A

12:55pm L U N C H

1:45-4:30pm Interactive Workshop: Physical Therapy
Hospital for Sick Children and Toronto Rehabilitation Institute, University Health Network, Toronto

***Agenda and Faculty subject to change**