Please tell us more about yourself:

- PT
- OT
- SLP
- NURSING
- SOCIAL WORK
- PHYSICIAN
- OTHER

What setting do you currently work in? (check all that apply)

- OUTPATIENT
- INPATIENT ACUTE REHABILITATION
- INPATIENT ACUTE
- HOMECARE
- SKILLED NURSING FACILITY
- LONG TERM CARE FACILITY
- ASSISTED LIVING FACILITY
- OTHER

Cancellation Policy:
Cancellations prior to April 8th will be refunded in full. Cancellations after April 8th and before April 22nd will be refunded minus a $50 processing fee. Cancellations after April 22nd will not be refunded.
Course Curriculum (Day 1)

May 6, 2011 • 8:00am-4:00pm

- Parkinsonism: Differential Diagnosis, Clinical Features, Etiology and Pathology
- Pharmacological and Surgical Management of Parkinson’s disease; Relevance to Rehabilitation
- Assessment and Management of Non-Motor Manifestations
- Evidence Supporting Rehabilitation: Is Exercise Neuroprotective for People with Parkinson’s disease?
- Communication and Swallowing Challenges: Implications for all Rehabilitation Professionals

Course Curriculum (Day 2)

May 7, 2011 • 8:00am-4:00pm

- Management of Parkinson’s disease to Optimize Participation: Implications for all Rehabilitation Professionals
- Rehabilitation: Practical Application of Treatment Approaches to Optimize Outcomes
- Complex Case: Interdisciplinary Panel Discussion with Patient and Family
- Community Wellness Program: Components and Structure
- Guide to Implementation
- Returning to Your Healthcare Setting: How to Make the Most of this Course

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For more information about course content, directions, and speaker bios, visit our website at http://www.bu.edu/neurorehab/pdseminar/

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The Parkinson’s Disease and Movement Disorders Center and the Center for Neurorehabilitation clinicians and researchers have developed a comprehensive interdisciplinary course in the management of people with Parkinson’s disease. Current evidence based concepts in the field will be shared with participants with the goal of enhancing the care of people with Parkinson’s disease in the 21st century.

COURSE HIGHLIGHTS

We are pleased to present the Fourth Annual Parkinson’s Disease Seminar for Healthcare Professionals at Boston University. For 2011, we have brought back many of our speakers from previous years and invited some additional experts to participate. This unique course continues to provide a cutting-edge, evidenced-based update on the medical and rehabilitative management of patients with Parkinson’s disease. Movement disorder experts from Boston University have partnered with the American Parkinson Disease Association (APDA) to bring the latest developments in the field to healthcare professionals invested in providing high quality care to people with Parkinson’s disease.

Participants will be provided the tools to become resource clinicians in their practice settings in order to optimize the delivery of care to people with Parkinson’s disease and their families.

COURSE INFORMATION

COST:
$ 295 (registration before April 22nd)
$ 325 (registration after April 22nd)
$ 250 if 3 or more people from your facility attend

We are able to offer this valuable course at a reasonable cost due to generous support from the APDA and other educational grants.