Burn Rehabilitation: Upper Extremity

Numbers are limited! Registration for ANZBA members only until 10/8/12

Burn rehabilitation: Comprehensive management of the upper extremity is a one day workshop designed for allied health personnel with an interest in burn care.

The workshop offers a combination of didactic and hands-on experience on managing the burn upper extremity along the continuum of care.

The workshop consists of four sessions including:
1) Dynamic splinting – learn how to fabricate the “Super Splint” combination flexion / extension dynamic hand splint.
2) Casting – participants will learn about the use of casting in burn rehabilitation and will fabricate a hand cast designed to correct flexion contractures of the hand.
3) Upper Extremity Scar Management – experience fabrication of hand web space inserts, fabrication of a Coban™ glove and practice scar massage to manage upper extremity scars.
4) Positioning and Exercise of the Burn Upper Extremity – learn new positioning and exercise techniques for preventing upper extremity contracture.

The workshop is open to allied health personnel, with particular relevance for Occupational Therapists and Physiotherapists.

Please Note - PRIOR to the workshop, participants will be required to make the splint base for the dynamic splint described to bring along to the workshop. Instructions and pattern will be provided prior to the course.

About the Presenter: Michael Serghiou OTR, MBA received his BS in Occupational Therapy from the University of Kansas, USA. He has over 20 years’ experience as a clinician, researcher and educator in burns rehabilitation. He has worked for 11 years in the Texas Medical Center in Houston (Memorial Hermann Hospital) in the area of Burns/Orthopedics/Hands and 12 years at the Shriners Burns Hospital in Galveston. Michael has published several articles and book chapters related to burns rehabilitation. He is a current board member of the American Burns Association and chairman of the Rehabilitation Committee for the International Society for Burns Injuries. Michael has volunteered at burns camps and on Physicians for Peace burn rehabilitation missions.

REGISTRATION FORM – Allied Health Pre-conference workshop

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COURSE FEE: ANZBA Members -
Early Bird* AU$110.00
Members AU$130.00
Non-Members -
Early Bird* AU$200.00
Non-Members AU$220.00

*Early Bird: Payment must be received before 4 weeks prior to course.

CANCELLATION FEES apply – please contact the Secretariat Office for policy details

ENQUIRIES: Secretariat Office, Australian & New Zealand Burn Assn
Tel: (07) 3325 1030
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TIME & LOCATION: Monday 8th October Workshop - 8.30a.m.
Conclusion – 5.00 p.m.

The workshop will be held in the Education building, Campbell St, Royal Hobart Hosp.
A detailed location map will be provided prior to workshop date.

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