

"Wheelchair Service Training Package (WSTP) – Basic level" Date: November 28th, 29th and 30th of November 2018 Timing : 8:30 am – 2:30 pm Speaker : Marie Barhouche Abou Saab Language : English/Arabic

Fees: \$ 300 for 3 days

Course description

The person with reduced mobility may have a lack of postural control. His posture is often unstable, asymmetrical and can, in the long term, cause irreversible and painful orthopedic deformities, pressure ulcers, breathing problems, and feeding problems. Mobility is reduced and the accomplishment of the different activities of daily living is often difficult.

The wheelchair is one of the most commonly used assistive devices for enhancing personal mobility. For many people with disability, an appropriate, well-designed and well fitted wheelchair can be the first step towards inclusion and participation in society

The basic course delivers theory in practice needed to prescribe an appropriate seating system for wheelchair users. This includes postural problems, clinical evaluation, prescription, fitting, user training, maintenance, and follow-up.

Course goal

The course will allow participants to develop their skills in postural management analysis, interpret results in order to prescribe an appropriate wheelchair following the eight steps of wheelchair service, according to the international guidelines defined by the World Health Organization.

Audience

This course is intended for therapists and technicians who want to improve their knowledge in the field of posture management and the provision of wheelchairs.

Certification

A certificate of "Wheelchair Service Training Package WSTP - basic level will be issued at the completion of the course.

Registration

Please confirm your registration before November 19, 2018, to Mrs Latifa Charbine at the following numbers: 09 233940 - 09 233942 or by email: pt@sesobel.org

Fees should be settled before November 28, 2018, at all branchs of Bank AUDI. Account number: 071753 461 002 012 39 US \$

The bank should give you a notice stating the reason for the payment "Wheelchair Service Training Package (WSTP) - Basic Level - 28, 29 and 30 November SESOBEL" Be sure to show the bank notice the first day of training.

Program content: Course I : Basic Level

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Timing	Content	
8:30 am - 8:45 am	Introduction	
8:45 am – 9:00 am	Wheelchair users	
9:00 am - 9:15 am	Wheelchair services	
9:15 am – 9:45 am	Wheelchair mobility	
9:45 am – 10:30 am	Sitting upright	
10:30 am – 10:45 am: Break		
10:45 am – 11:30 am	Pressure sores	
11:30 am – 1:00 pm	Appropriate wheelchair	
1:00 pm- 1:30 pm : Break		
	Test 1	
1:30 pm – 2:30 pm	Questions of the day	
	Session evaluation	

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Timing	Content	
8:30 am - 9:45 am	Cushions	
9:45 am – 10:15 am	Transfers	
10:15 am - 10:30 am	Wheelchair service steps	
10:30 am – 10:45 am - Break		
10:45 am – 11:15 am	Assessment interview	
11:15 am – 12:30 pm	Physical assessment	
12:30 pm – 1:00 pm	Prescription	
1:00 pm – 1:30 pm - Break		
	Test 2	
1:30 pm – 2:30 pm	Questions of the day	
	Session evaluation	

Timing	Content	
8:30 am – 9:15 am	Prescription	
09:15 am – 9:30 am	Funding and ordering	
09:30 am – 10:00 am	Product preparation	
10:00 am - 10:30 am	Cushion confection	
10:30 am- 10:45 am - Break		
10:45 am – 11:15 am	Fitting	
11:15 am – 11:45 am	User training	
11:45 am – 12:15 am	Maintenance, repairs and follow up	
12:15 pm – 13:00 pm	Problem solving	
1:00 pm – 1:30 pm- Break		
	Test 3	
	Questions of the day	
1:30 pm – 2:30 pm	Session evaluation	
	Certificate of completion from WSTP-Basic level	
	Closing	

30th of November 2018

Biography

Name: Abou Saab Surname: Marie Profession: Physiotherapist Professional title: Head of Technical Aids Unit at SESOBEL Institution: SESOBEL Country: Lebanon Email: aidestechniques@sesobel.org - mimiasaab@gmail.com Phone: +961-3-731323

Main line of activities, years of experience, publications...:

Marie Abou Saab is a Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT) – Saint Joseph University (2016).

She has 26 years of experience in the field of seating, Mobility, and assistive technology in persons with disability.

She is a trainer in the field of seating and positioning; she is a certified trainer from WHO for the Wheelchair Service Training Package (WSTP) Basic and Intermediate level.

Member of International Society of Wheelchair Professional (ISWP - USA). Member of Posture and Mobility Group (PMG - UK).