Injury Prevention Specialist Certification Course

Who Should Attend

Physical Therapists
Physical Therapist Assistants
Occupational Therapists
Occupational Therapist Assistants
Athletic Trainers
Exercise Physiologists
Chiropractors
Medical Doctors
Kinesiologists
Physicians
Allied Health Professionals

Contact Hours/CEUs

On Demand: 4.5 PT/AT (.4 OT) CEUs
Live: 5.5 PT/AT (.5 OT) CEUs

Training

$250 – On Demand
$300 – Live In Person
$300 – Live Webcast

Education Level

Introductory
No prerequisites required

Content Domain

Category 2: OT Process – Prevention

Course Approval

This course is approved throughout the US for physical therapists (see back for more information)

Course Description

This course is designed for professionals who are interested in implementing or expanding their knowledge in on-site injury prevention/early intervention. A significant portion of this class examines OSHA First Aid Guidelines and includes an on-site video evaluating a step-by-step process of providing a standard OSHA First Aid treatment session. This course concludes with analyzing keys to implementing and maintaining an injury prevention program.

Satisfactory course completion as an assessment of learned outcomes includes:

- Participation in the full one day of training
- Completion of course quiz with a score of 80% or better

Learning Outcomes

- Understand the types of on-site injury prevention services and injury prevention specialist responsibilities
- Understand concepts for gaining leads, attending conferences/safety events, landing a customer meeting, and creating a proposal of services
- Apply concepts associated with performing walk through ergonomics after a near miss and when to dive deeper into an ergonomic evaluation
- Analyze keys to maintaining customer contracts, data/statistics to capture, how to demonstrate value and determine a return on investment

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Course Instructors

Approved for Physical Therapists

For your convenience, we have obtained physical therapy approval in many of the 50 states. Please contact us for a full and current list of courses approved in your state!

Approved for Occupational Therapists

OccuPro is an AOTA Approved Provider of professional development. Course approval ID# 6012. This Live In Person, Live Webcast, and On Demand format is offered at .4 CEUs and is an introductory education level course in the OT Domain of Prevention. The assignment of AOTA CEUs does not imply endorsement of specific course content, products, or clinical procedures by AOTA.

Approved for Athletic Trainers

We are recognized by the Board of Certification, Inc. to offer training courses to certified athletic trainers. Every course we offer is approved for continuing education units (CEUs) as defined by the BOC for certified athletic trainers. Our BOC approved provider number is P3880.

Any employee or agent of OccuPro is obligated to disclose any known potential conflicts of interest or financial gain when teaching OccuPro courses.

Jim Mecham, MSIE, OTR/L, CPE, CFCE

Jim has performed on-site injury prevention throughout the Midwest since 1997 and has saved companies millions of dollars in work related injuries. Jim's degrees in Occupational Therapy and Industrial Engineering offer a perfect fit to provide organizations with high level early intervention services. Jim is a board certified ergonomist and has been awarded the certification of a Certified Professional Ergonomist through the Board of Certification in Professional Ergonomics. Jim's extensive experience in the field of industrial ergonomics, occupational therapy, and on-site injury prevention combined with his dynamic presentation style is why professionals throughout the US have trained with Jim over the last 20 years of providing continuing education courses.

Thomas Rothery MS, OTR/L, CFCE

Tom received his master's degree in Occupational Therapy from Rush University in Chicago, IL, and has focused his practice on industrial rehab, work hardening, and outpatient orthopedics. He has extensive knowledge and training regarding On-Site Injury Prevention Programs. His expertise includes treatment of Work-Related Injuries, Non-Work-Related Injuries, OSHA First Aid, Industrial Ergonomics, Pre-Shift Stretching Programs, Post-Offer Employment Testing, Wellness Programs, and Job Demands Analysis. A few of the corporate clients Tom has performed these services for include: United Parcel Service, General Electric, RockTenn, United Natural Foods, Colbert Packaging, Specialty Cheese, EMCO Chemical, and Vantage Specialty Chemicals. Tom enjoys teaching other health care professionals on the wide variety of injury prevention services and how to effectively implement successful On-Site Injury Prevention Programs.

Steve Ziccarelli, Business Development Manager

Steve has been in and around the Physical Therapy profession since 2000 and has a passion for helping people and companies stay healthy and save money. Throughout the last several years, he has worked with clinicians to private practice owners to establish and enhance their injury prevention programs. Steve looks forward to sharing his experiences of having spent time pulling on doors and meeting with safety professionals to help find injury reduction solutions.

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