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Physiotherapy in Polytrauma

22, 24, 29 Nov & 6 Dec 2021

Introduction

This four (4) part seminar series will review medical and surgical management for a variety of trauma presentations, as listed in the course outline below. Senior medical / surgical staff will provide advice about trauma management, and the implications for patient recovery and physiotherapy. Senior physiotherapists will discuss the important and challenging role of physiotherapy for patients with these trauma presentations, exploring the evidence for physiotherapy, and using a number of clinical cases to discuss management and problem solving. All presenters are current practicing medical staff / physiotherapists who work in major trauma centre health services in Melbourne, Australia.

Course Objectives

- 1) Understand and explain trauma mgt and its implications for patient recovery and physiotherapy
- 2) State important and challenging role of physiotherapy for patients with trauma presentations
- 3) Suggest ways to manage patients with trauma presentations

Course Outline

Session 1: Traumatic Brain Injury and Spinal Injuries

- Management of TBI, Spinal Fracture and Spinal Cord Injuries

Session 2: Chest and Abdominal Trauma

- Management of Fractured Ribs, Chest Trauma and Abdominal Organ Injuries

Session 3: Major Orthopaedic Trauma

- Management of Pelvic Fractures., Lower Limb Fractures

Session 4: Burns and Plastic

- Acute Burns Management

Target Audience

Physiotherapists

Course Details

Date	: 22, 24, 29 Nov & 6 Dec 2021
Duration	: Total of 12 hours
Time	: 9.00 am – 12.00 pm
Class size	: 25 pax
Device required	: Laptop/ Desktop (with microphone, speaker and webcam)
Platform	: Zoom Cloud Meetings
Fee	: S\$490 (SingHealth staff or SPA member) S\$540 (Regular) (inclusive of 7% GST)

Registration

To register, scan the QR code or click on the web link.

Registration closes on **1 November 2021, Monday**.



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Upon registration, you agree to PGAHI [Terms & Conditions](#).

Any cancellation or replacement request initiated by confirmed registrant/participant must be conveyed to PGAHI in writing. No cancellation fee is applied if request is received on or before 1 Nov 2021. A cancellation fee of 50% of course fee will be charged if cancellation request is received after 1 Nov 2021. PGAHI reserves the right to cancel the course and fully refund the amount of registration fee paid to the participants should unforeseen circumstances necessitate it.

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