

Workshop Participants

This workshop is intended for

- Survivors
- Family Members
- Educators
(Resource & Classroom Teachers, EA's)
- Social Workers
- Physiotherapists
- Occupational Therapists
- Speech Therapists
- Case Managers
- Case Coordinators
- Registered Nurses
- Mental Health Workers
- Early Child Educators

*and all others
who are working with clients
with an acquired brain injury (ABI).*

This is an introductory course offering valuable information about the origins, effects, long-term outcomes and strategies to work with clients with ABI.

Course Outline



Day 1: Thursday, November 4, 2010

- 8:00 am Registration & Continental Breakfast
- 8:30 am Brain - Evidence, Incidence, Prevalence
- 9:15 am Understanding Cognitive Behaviour
- 10:15 am Coffee Break
- 10:30 am Assessment of the Client & their Environment
- 11:45 am Lunch Break
- 1:00 pm Physical Recovery & Neuroplasticity
- 1:45 pm Psychological Effects of ABI
- 2:45 pm Coffee Break
- 3:00 pm Video / Case Study Presentation
- 3:45 pm Discussion

Day 2 - Friday, November 5, 2010

- 8:30 am Intervention Strategies for school, work & home
- 10:00 am Coffee Break
- 10:15 am Managing Behaviours for the Client with ABI
- 11:45 am Lunch Break
- 1:00 pm Social & Community Reintegration. Issues, Barriers & Solutions
- 2:30 pm Coffee Break
- 2:45 pm Panel – Survivor & Family
- 3:45 pm Discussion & Evaluation

About the Presenter:

Nicole Beauchesne is a Manitoba Occupational Therapist who has specialized her area of practice towards persons with neurological disabilities, including Acquired Brain Injury and Spinal Cord Injury.

Nicole has a passion for working with survivors of brain injuries and their families. She assists clients with hospital discharge planning, community assessment, reintegration and ongoing education and consultation to multidisciplinary teams.

Guest Speakers will include specialists in the area of Physiotherapy, Neuropsychology and Social Work who are all working in the area of acquired brain injury.

Registration

**** Please note: Online Registration also available at www.blockbuilding.ca**

Name _____

Address (street) _____

(city) _____ (prov/state) _____

Postal Code (zip) _____

Phone (_____) _____

Email * _____

* required for confirmation

Profession _____

Organization _____

Professional:

Early Bird (October 1, 2010) \$290.00

Regular (after October 1, 2010) \$325.00

Survivor/Family/Students \$225.00

Total: _____

**Please Note: Cancellation Deadline
October 22, 2010**

Send registration and cheque payable to:

**Block Building Therapies
P.O. Box 53060, RPO South St. Vital
Winnipeg, MB R2N 3X2
Canada**

Registrations, Confirmation & Receipts

Payment can be made by cheque via mail. Participants are not considered registered until payment is received.

For those who register by the regular deadline, confirmation will be emailed by October 22, 2010. Receipts will be provided at the workshop.

Refund / Cancellation Policy

Cancellation must be requested in writing to: info@blockbuilding.ca and will be accepted only until October 22, 2010 after which no refunds will be provided. \$50.00 administration fee will be charged for all cancellations.

Hotel Information:

Victoria Inn Hotel & Convention Centre
1808 Wellington Ave., Winnipeg, MB
Tel: (204) 786-4801

www.vicinn.com/Winnipeg/

Group rate: \$135 double occ. available until October 14, 2010. Please inform the hotel that you are part of Block Building Therapies Acquired Brain Injury Workshop to take advantage of this rate.

If you have any questions please contact us at:

Email: info@blockbuilding.ca

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Understanding and Working with Children & Adults with Acquired Brain Injury

*A workshop that will teach the keys
to successful reintegration into school,
work and the community.*



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& Friday, November 5, 2010
8:30 am - 4:30 pm**

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