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Payable by Check or Credit Card: \$275.00

(Please note on check: Orthotic Fabrication Workshop-
Arlington, VA)

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Please mail completed form and payment to:

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Orthoses for Immobilization:

**Contracture and Tone
Management**

**a Hands- on Orthotic Fabrication
Workshop**



Saturday, February 24, 2018

8 am to 5 pm

**Virginia Hospital Center
601 S. Carlin Springs Road
Arlington, VA 22204**

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Course Outline

(Program begins at 8:00 am and concludes at 5:00 pm)

(Lunch is on your own)

Power Point Presentation: Orthoses for Immobilization

Demonstration and fabrication of the following orthoses:

- Circumferential Elbow Orthosis
- Dorsal Wrist Orthosis
- Resting Hand Orthosis
- Anti- Tone Orthosis
- Short Opponens Orthosis

Educational Credit:

A certificate of attendance will be issued to all participants completing the CEU requirements. One day equals 8.0 contact hours (0.8 CEU's). This splinting workshop meets criteria "A" for hand therapy certification and is accepted by NBCOT and most state OT boards for recertification.

Content Focus: Domain of OT: Performance Skills, Client Factors, Context

Occupational Therapy Process: Intervention

Learning Objectives- Orthotic Fabrication Workshop

Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to:

1. Recognize indications, precautions and contraindications for immobilization orthoses of the upper extremity
2. Analyze mechanical properties required to fabricate low temperature thermoplastic immobilization orthoses for the upper extremity.
3. Identify important anatomical structures and landmarks of the upper extremity.
4. Analyze key characteristics of different types of orthoses and appropriate applications.
6. Learn to critique and assess different characteristics of low temperature thermoplastic materials.



Workshop format: A power point presentation, splinting demonstration, and hands-on fabrication of splints will guarantee achievement of learning objectives.

Instructor

Debby Schwartz, OTD, OTR/L, CHT

Product and Educational Specialist

Physical Rehabilitation

Debby Schwartz is a hand therapist with over 33 years of experience as a practicing clinician. She joined Orfit Industries America to promote product awareness and splinting education. Debby is an active member of ASHT and participates in IFSHT meetings as well. She has presented on a variety of hand therapy topics both at national and international conferences, and has written a number of articles for hand therapy publications, including a clinical research paper on contrast bath use and a systematic review of joint mobilizations recently published in the Journal of Hand Therapy. Debby completed her Doctorate of Occupational Therapy at Rocky Mountain University of Health Professions. She is presently co-authoring a textbook on orthotic fabrication.



This splinting workshop is appropriate for OT's, COTA's, PT's, PTA's and CHT's working with an upper extremity patient caseload and possessing intermediate splinting skills.