

# Facilitating Community Reentry with IM after TBI



## Course Description:

Community Re-integration and independence are ultimate goals in the process of recovery from TBI. Clients who experience a TBI go through many transitional stages. Some recuperate to the state of being able to return to work, school, volunteer in the community or to be independent in the home. This course is designed to address the effectiveness of Interactive Metronome with the higher level TBI client and how it is being used with traditional therapies to enhance the functional outcome of independence. Best practices will be shared in this presentation along with video demonstrations.

**\*Contact hours are offered pending successful completion of a written exam at the end of the course.**

## Target Audience:

This course welcomes the following professionals who have completed the Interactive Metronome Certification Course.

- Speech and Language Pathologist
- Speech and Language Pathology Asst
- Audiologist
- Occupational Therapist
- Certified Occupational Therapy Asst
- Physical Therapist
- Physical Therapy Asst
- Athletic Trainer
- Licensed Medical, Rehabilitation or Mental Health Professional
- Music Therapist

## Instructional Level:

Advanced

## Learning Outcomes:

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

- Determine which TBI patients are appropriate candidates for successful community reintegration;
- Utilize best clinical practices to effectively incorporate Interactive Metronome into the treatment of cognitive (i.e., executive functions) and motor deficits resulting from TBI for increased functional independence in the community;

**\*Note: This course covers information that pertains to licensed therapists and therapy assistants. COTA and PTA professionals must practice IM under the supervision of a licensed OT or PT.**

## Specific Learning Outcomes for Speech-Language Pathologists & Audiologists:

- Determine which TBI patients are appropriate candidates for successful community reintegration;
- Utilize best clinical practices to effectively incorporate Interactive Metronome into the treatment of cognitive (i.e., executive functions) resulting from TBI for increased functional independence in the community;

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## Instructor:

**Lisa Poe, OTR/L** graduated with a Bachelor's degree in Occupational Therapy from the University of Mississippi Medical Center in 1999. She is currently working for Methodist Rehabilitation Center Quest Program which is a Community Re-Entry Program for TBI and CVA clients. She also has experience working with SCI and numerous neurological diagnoses and orthopedic upper extremity injuries. She is trained in multiple treatment approaches for neurological adolescent and adult population. In addition to using the Interactive Metronome with the majority of her patients, Lisa also specializes in Constraint Induced Therapy and has combined these two programs creating an individual treatment protocol for each client.

**CEUs Offered for:**

0.1 ASHA (SLP/SLPAs)

0.1 AOTA (OT/COTAs)

1.0 BOC (ATs)

\*PTs & PTAs may submit paperwork to your state board for CEUs



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