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A leading provider of  
Continuing Education for the  
Healthcare Professional

# Institutional Membership Program



Western Schools is a nationally accredited and approved, widely recognized leader in continuing education for healthcare professionals, offering expert-authored and peer-reviewed courses. We offer a large library of affordable coursework in hard copy, online, video, and audio formats.

Improving patient care is at the forefront of our partnering institutions minds and providing their staff with courses on topics critical to this mission helps them achieve their goal. Western Schools provides our institutional partners with thousands of hours of current and engaging content on need to know topics.

Nurses  
(RNs, LPNs/LVNs, and APNs)

Psychiatric Technicians

Nursing Home Administrators

Pharmacists

Dentists, Dental Hygienists,  
and Dental Assistants

Physical Therapists and  
Physical Therapist Assistants

Occupational Therapists  
and Occupational  
Therapist Assistants

Respiratory Therapists

Speech-Language Therapists

Registered Dietitians

Social Workers

Counselors (Mental Health  
and Addictions)

Marriage and Family Therapists

Psychologists

# 61%

of employees who  
received some kind  
of continuing education  
stayed with their  
current employers  
for at least 5 years.

— Spherion Atlantic  
Enterprises, LLC

Profession	Number of Courses	Total Hours	Average Course Hours
Nursing	155	1,200	8
Occupational Therapy	55	175	3
Physical Therapy	53	167	3
Behavioral Therapy	51	171	3
Dental	123	322	3
Pharmacy	35	115	3
Respiratory Therapy	66	147	2
Speech Language	16	30	2
Dietetics	16	38	2



“The program has been enthusiastically received across our system by both users and managers. It has filled a need (the required CEUs); provided a means to focus continuing education on the state's goals and; importantly, has been perceived as a valuable benefit by our nursing staff.”

– ADMINISTRATOR, CA DEPT. OF STATE HOSPITALS



## At the core of our programs are the following features

### ▶ Manageable

Design your educational programs based upon learning outcomes you desire. Add or remove courses and track progress through the curriculum. Easily view progress reports on line download reports that can be customized to your needs.

### ▶ Accreditation

We safeguard our high quality standards by maintaining accreditations with the most reputable national bodies supporting each of the professions we serve. We are one of the few providers to achieve **ANCC Accreditation with Distinction** in recognition of our commitment to demonstrating quality, excellence, and innovation in curriculum design and the delivery of continuing nursing education.

### ▶ In-depth

Many CE providers offer only short courses – Western Schools offers hundreds of courses that are between 15 and 30 hours long. The result is in-depth topic coverage that leads to more meaningful learning.

### ▶ Customizable

While our core curriculum is extensive we are constantly expanding our offerings and many of our institutional partners select courses to create a custom curriculum that supports their organization's mission. Additionally, our skilled editorial teams are available to work with your own content to incorporate specific topics with existing courses.

## About our courses

Western Schools' courses are designed to provide healthcare professionals with the educational information they need to enhance their career development and work collaboratively on improving patient care. The information provided within our courses is the result of research and consultation with prominent healthcare authorities. Courses are reviewed and revised on a three year schedule to ensure that the content is current and accurate.

## Personalized access to our Learning Management System

When your clinical staff log onto the unique URL for their CE program it will have a look and feel with your company branding. You can pick the courses that they have access to in order to help promote your mission.

#	Course Title	Hours	Action
	Opioids and Pain	4	Take
	Health Issues in Older Adult Women	3	Take
N1920	Special Topics in Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder	6	Take
N1939	Prevention, Assessment, and Treatment of Substance Use Disorders	5	Take
N1940	Commonly Misused Substances	15	Take



## Choose from more than 1,200 continuing education contact hours tailored to over 25 different nurse specialties.

Courses are written and peer-reviewed by highly credentialed subject matter experts, and focus on current evidence-based practice to address the current roles, competencies and emerging trends nurses face. Below is a list of some of our most popular courses:

### NURSING TOPICS

- Adult Health
- Cardiovascular
- Clinical Practice
- Critical Care / Emergency
- Diabetes
- Documentation
- End of Life
- Geriatrics
- Holistic-Integrative Nursing
- Home Health
- Infectious Disease
- Leadership and Nursing Practice
- Maternal Child Health
- Mental Health
- Oncology
- Pain Management
- Perioperative
- Pharmacology
- Women's Health

COURSE NAME	HOURS	COURSE NAME	HOURS
Death, Dying & Bereavement	30	Infection Prevention for Healthcare	4
Human Trafficking	2	Nursing Assessment of the Trauma Patient	15
Nursing Management of Patients	15	Glucosamine, Chondroitin, Melatonin, Coenzyme	2
Caring for Patients	30	Antidepressants, 2nd Edition	3
Alzheimer's Disease	20	Cardiovascular Pharmacology, 3rd Edition	5
Healthy Aging	10	Fibromyalgia in Women, 2nd Edition	5
Documentation for Nurses	15	Bipolar & Related Disorders, 2nd Edition	3
Cancer in Women	30	Diabetes Management: Pharmacotherapy	3
Cardiovascular Nursing	30	Documentation For Nurses: Legalities	5
Leadership & Management for Every Nurse	30	MRSA: A Healthcare and Community Issue	1
Wound Management	30	Documentation for Nurses	3
Nursing Law and Rules	1	Special Populations at Risk for Substance Abuse	3
Recognizing & Reporting Impairment	2	Ambulatory Surgery	10
Pain & Addiction	2	Reproductive Organ Cancers in Women	10
Nonproductive Organ Cancers	15	Probiotics	2
Nursing Jurisprudence & Ethics	2	Compact Clinical Guide to Arrhythmia	8
Pain Management Essentials	1	Clinical Care of The Diabetic Foot	10
Alzheimer's Disease: Challenges	10	Geriatric Assessment	12
Geriatric Care	2	Central Vascular Access Devices	5
Pediatric Health & Physical Assessment	15	Pain Management Therapies	5
Protecting Patient Safety	2	Dietary Supplements and Complementary Therapies	3
Laws and Rules Governing Practice Nursing	2	Fish Oil & Omega-3 Fatty Acid Supplementation	3
Asthma in Children & Adults	30	Peripheral Venous Access Devices	5
Pediatric Nursing	25	Managing Asthma In Children	2
Helping the Obese Patient Find Success	20	Childhood Trauma: Types, Effects, & Treatments	2
Child Abuse Reporting	2	Mental Health Assessment of the Pediatric Patient	3
Essentials of Trauma Nursing	30	Anxiolytics and Traditional Mood Stabilizers	5
Womens Health	24	Obstructive Sleep Apnea & Other Sleep Disorders	3
Substance Abuse	30	Child and Adolescent Psychopharmacology	9
Orthopedic Nursing	25	Diagnosing Alzheimer's Disease	5
Nurse Bullying	5	The Menstrual Cycle & A Woman's	6
Infusion Therapy	20	Bioterrorism & the Nurses Response	5
Ambulatory Surgical Care	20	Ostomy Management	5
Ambulatory Surgical Nursing	15	Breast Cancer in Women	4
Prescription Drug Abuse	2	Diabetes in Children	20
Home Health Nursing	25	Skin Cancer	3
Women & Cardiovascular Disease	10	Special Considerations in Trauma Nursing	13
Understanding the Significance of Suicide	5	ADHD Throughout the Lifespan	20
Acute Cardiovascular Conditions	10	HIV/AIDS: A 2 Hour Overview	2
Human Trafficking: Identification	5	Palliative Care and Hospice Care	1
Anticoagulant, Antiplatelet, Thrombolytic Therapies	10	Pediatric Immunizations	2
Nursing Psychopharmacology	10	Initial Physical Assessment of the Newborn	6
Chronic Cardiovascular Conditions	10	Burn and Cold Trauma	1
Seizures, 2nd Edition	5	Review of Immunization Practice	3
Understanding Ptsd	3	Alternative Therapies For Asthma	2
Fast Facts for the School Nurse	10	ECG Interpretation	5
Nurses' Guide to Dietary Supplements	20	Bioterrorism	5
Intimate Partner Violence	2	Topical Wound Care	6
Promoting Healthy Aging	5	A Woman's Genetic Risk for Developing Cancer	3
Maternal Newborn Nursing	25	Moderate Sedation	5
Understanding Hypertension	5	HIV/AIDS: A 1 Hour Overview	1
Rotator Cuff Injury	5	Fundamentals of Cardiovascular Nursing	5
Self-Care Strategies	5	Home Health Nursing: Code of Ethics and Standards	6
Approaches to Geriatric Pharmacology	4	The Alzheimer's Disease Caregiver	2
Common Chronic Health Conditions	3	Managing Asthma in Adults	2



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#### Awarded ANCC Accreditation with Distinction!

Western Schools is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.



Select courses have been pre-approved by the Commission for Case Manager Certification. Courses are identified with an approval statement in the course description.

**NURSING** boards in all states requiring continuing education and numerous national certifying organizations accept courses offered by ANCC accredited providers. As an ANCC accredited provider, the following organizations recognize CE offered by Western Schools: **Nursing Academy of Nurse Practitioners, AACN Certification Corporation (all courses Category A), Competency and Credentialing Institute, Forensic Nursing Certification Board, National Certification Board for Diabetes Educators, National Certification Corporation, Oncology Nursing Certification Corporation, Pediatric Nursing Certification Board**





## Choose from more than 300 continuing education contact hours tailored to 17 different Dentistry specialties.

Courses are written and peer-reviewed by highly credentialed subject matter experts, and focus on current evidence-based practice to address current roles, competencies and emerging trends dentists, dental hygienists and dental assistants face. Below is a list of some of our most popular courses:

### DENTISTRY TOPICS

Anesthesia and Pain Control

Basic Science

Dental Practice Considerations

Emergency Training

Endodontics

Ethics, Jurisprudence, & Malpractice

Infectious Diseases & Infection Control

Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery

Orthodontics/Pediatric Dentistry

Pain Management & Pharmacology

Periodontics

Radiology

Restorative Dentistry

Special Patient Care

Substance Abuse

The Oral-Systemic Link

Trauma Management and Forensics



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#### COURSE NAME

California Dental Practice Act, 4th Edition  
Indiana Law & Ethics For Dental 3rd Edition  
Protecting Patient Safety in the Dental Office  
Infection Control Standards for California  
Osha & Cdc Infection Control Standards 2nd Edition  
Management of Medical Emergencies 2nd Edition  
Family Violence: Implications for Dental Patients  
Chemical Dependency and Substance Abuse  
A Review ff HIV/AIDS for Dental Professional  
HPV and Oral Cancer  
Erosion-Related Tooth Wear 2nd Edition  
Three Drug Classes Every Dental Professional  
Infection Control and Prevention in the Dental Practice  
Caries-Prone Patients  
Bonded Systems for Dentin in Adhesive Dentistry  
Managing Dry Mouth  
Dentin Hypersensitivity  
Contemporary Management of Dental Injuries  
Infection Control: 2nd Edition  
Dental Ethics and the Digital Age  
Benign Jaw Lesions  
Complete Dentures  
Oral Soft Tissue Lesions  
Dental Implants  
Complications Associated with Oral Surgery  
Nitrous Oxide-Oxygen Inhalation Sedation  
Lasers in Dentistry  
Obstructive Sleep Apnea  
Diabetes: Dental Management and Links  
Recurrent Aphthous Ulceration  
Premedication for Dental Procedures 2nd Edition  
CDC & The Practice of Dental Hygiene  
Virus Infections  
Three Drug Classes Every Dentist Should Know  
Prescription Drug Abuse Among Dental  
Methamphetamine Abuse  
Allergic Reactions To Metals in the Mouth  
Malador: Detection and Treatment  
Herbal-Drug Interactions Important in Dentistry  
Dental Unit Waterline Contamination  
Fluoride & Fluoridation: 2nd Edition  
Dental Erosion: Causes and Preventive Practices  
Denture Cleaning 2nd Edition  
Infection Control, Cross Contamination  
Dental Radiation Health  
Periodontal Disease 2nd Edition  
Ethical Decision Making in Dental Practice, 2nd Edition  
Dental Sealants  
Pharmalogical Agents Commonly used in Dental  
Probiotics and Oral Cavity  
Maintaining Dental Implants  
Working with Fearful & Anxious Dental Patients  
Simplifying Endodontics For Greater Predictability  
Pros and Cons of Amalgam  
Versus Composite Restoration  
Medication-Related Damage to Oral Hard  
and Soft Tissues

#### HOURS

#### COURSE NAME

2 Fluoride Use in Modern Dental Practice  
2 Temporomandibular Joint Disorders  
2 Vitamins,Minerals, and the Oral Cavity  
3 Chronic Pain Management  
3 Infection Control Standards  
2 For California Dental Health Care  
3 Dental Radiation Health  
3 Tobacco Cessation: The Dental Health  
2 Professional's Role  
5 Third Molar Surgery 2nd Edition  
4 Dental Radiation: Safety, Risk Reduction  
4 Implant-Related Nerve Injuries  
4 Tooth Polishing 2nd Edition  
3 Concepts In Vital Tooth Whitening  
2 Reducing Patient Stress  
3 Three Drug Classes Every Dentist Should Know  
3 Nutrition for the Dental Patient  
3 Oral Effects & Dental Mgmt  
2 Periodontal Ligament Injections: A Review  
3 Infection Control, 2nd Edition  
4 New York Infection Control & Prevention: 2nd Edition  
3 The Influence Of Periodontal Treatment  
3 On Systemic Disease  
2 The Impact of Vascular and Cardiovascular  
4 Oral Health Care During Pregnancy  
2 Dental Ethics and the Digital Age  
3 Managing the Adult Dental Phobic Patient  
3 Oral Manifestations Associated with  
3 Gastrointestinal Disorders  
2 Child Abuse Recog & Reporting, 2nd Edition  
5 Developmental Disorders Affecting Jaws  
2 Dental Radiography, 2nd Edition  
3 Aesthetic Inlays and Onlays  
3 Pediatric Oral Health  
3 Permanent Dental Cements  
1 Three Drug Classes: Module Ii- Analgesics  
2 MRSA Detection And Prevention, 2nd Edition  
3 Managing Malocclusions in the Developing Dentition  
3 Posttraumatic Stress Disorder, 2nd Edition  
2 Prescription Drug Abuse Among Dental Patients  
2 Geriatric Dentistry  
2 Dental Radiology: Controlling Infection  
1 Reduction of Bioaerosol in the Dental Office  
2 Radiation Health, Safety, and Protection  
2 Oral Piercing: 2nd Edition  
3 Caries Management By Risk Assessment: Cambra  
3 Risk Factors In Periodontal Disease, 2nd Edition  
2 The Care of Removable Prosthetic Devices, 2nd Edition  
3 Applications & Removal of Dental Dams, 2nd Edition  
3 Inhalant Abuse, 2nd Edition  
2 The Hypertensive Patient  
3 Osteoporosis: Implications for the Oral Healthcare  
2 Family Violence: Implications for Dental Patients  
2 Key Systemic and Environmental Risk  
2 Factors for Implant Failure  
2 Oral Health Issues For The Female Patient  
3 Improving Oral Health Care For Patients

#### HOURS



**PACE**  
ACADEMY OF  
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PROGRAM APPROVAL  
FOR CONTINUING  
EDUCATION

Western Schools is designated as an Approved PACE Program Provider by the Academy of General Dentistry. The formal continuing education programs of this program provider are accepted by the AGD for Fellowship/Mastership and membership maintenance credit. Approval does not imply acceptance by a state or provincial board of dentistry or AGD endorsement. The current term of approval extends from 1/1/2018 to 12/31/2021. Provider ID# 217536

**ADA C.E.R.P.®** | Continuing Education Recognition Program

Western Schools is an ADA CERP Recognized Provider. ADA CERP is a service of the American Dental Association to assist dental professionals in identifying quality providers of continuing dental education. ADA CERP does not approve or endorse individual courses or instructors, nor does it imply acceptance of credit hours by boards of dentistry.



## Choose from more than 80 continuing education contact hours tailored to 10 different Pharmacy specialties.

Courses are written and peer-reviewed by highly credentialed subject matter experts, and focus on current evidence-based practice to address current roles, competencies and emerging trends pharmacists face. Below is a list of some of our most popular courses:

### PHARMACY TOPICS

- Cardiology
- Diabetes
- Endocrinology
- Geriatrics
- Hematology
- Infectious Disease/Control
- OTC/Herbal and Dietary Supplements
- Pain Management
- Pediatrics
- Psychiatric & Mental Health

Continuing education is a critical factor in a pharmacist's ability to provide quality patient care. In a field that is flooded with contact hour modules that have been funded by special interest groups, we stand apart; we fund our own course development. This allows us the freedom to create courses on a wide variety of topics and cover areas that are important to you and your practice.

Whether you're looking for a basic review of specific medication classes or a program on complex disease state management, we've got what you need. With increasing involvement in direct patient care and disease management, pharmacists require skills that go beyond clinical knowledge. To help meet this need, we've planned courses devoted to improving geriatric care, using the latest immunization guidelines, and employing dietary supplements to help patients achieve their health goals.

No matter your practice setting, you will find value in the courses offered by Western Schools. We engage leading content experts from around the country who discuss the most recent evidence-based medicine and information. Our courses are always up-to-date with information provided by experienced and skilled instructors, with content tied to the world of practice through case studies, vignettes, and sample problems.

You and your practice are worth investing in. We know that you will find value in our continuing education courses and encourage your feedback on topics that you would like to see. We are dedicated to becoming your source for courses that are worth paying for.

COURSE NAME	HOURS
Antidepressants, 2nd Edition	3
Antiplatelet Therapy: Implications for Patient Management	4
Anxiolytics and Traditional Mood Stabilizers	5
Approaches to Geriatric Pharmacology for Pharmacists: A Primer	5
Cardiovascular Pharmacology, 3rd Edition	5
Diabetes Management: Insulin Pharmacotherapy Options	2
Diabetes Management: Non-Insulin Pharmacotherapy Options	2
Diabetes Management: Pharmacotherapy Options for Diabetes Mellitus	3
Dietary Supplement Bundle	10
Differentiating Antipsychotics: An Overview of Properties Impacting Drug Selection	4
Echinacea and Garlic Supplementation	2
Fish Oil and Omega-3 Fatty Acid Supplementation	3
Ginkgo Supplementation: Uses, Effectiveness, and Safety	2
Ginseng Supplementation	2
Glucosamine, Chondroitin, Melatonin, Coenzyme Q10 and Cranberry Supplementation	2
Immunization Bundle	5
Introduction to Dietary Supplements and Alternative Practices	3
Managing Obesity as a Chronic Disease State	3
Oral Anticoagulant Therapy: Implications for Patient Management	4
Pain Management Essentials	1
Pain Management Therapies: Pharmacological and Non-Pharmacological Modalities	5
Parenteral Anticoagulants: Implications for Patient Management	3
Pediatric Immunizations	2
Pennsylvania Child Abuse Recognition and Reporting, 2nd Edition	2
Probiotics: Dietary Sources and Supplements	2
Protecting Patient Safety: Preventing Medical Errors, 2nd Edition	2
Psychiatric Medications Bundle	12
QTc Interval Prolongation: Implications for Patient Management	3
Regulation of Dietary Supplements	2
Review of Immunization Practice	3
Texas Pharmacy Law: Texas State Board of Pharmacy 2017 Updates	1
Thrombolytic Therapy: Implications for Patient Management	3
Understanding Hypertension: Treatment and Management	5



Western Schools is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education as a provider of continuing pharmacy education Provider #0607

**Pharmacists** - Please be sure to provide us with your NABP e-Profile number as a license number and NABP as the license type so that we can transmit your course completion records through CPE Monitor and to the NABP within 1-2 business days of completion



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## Choose from more than 400 continuing education contact hours tailored to 18 different Rehabilitation specialties.

Courses are written and peer-reviewed by highly credentialed subject matter experts, and focus on current evidence-based practice to address current roles, competencies and emerging trends physical and occupational therapists, and speech-language pathologists face. Below is a list of some of our most popular courses:

### PHYSICAL AND OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY, AND SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY TOPICS

- Assessment
- Cognition
- Environmental/Home Modification
- Ethics
- Geriatric
- Hand Therapy
- Home Health
- Intervention
- Medical Conditions
- Mental Health
- Modalities
- Neuro-rehabilitation
- Orthopedics & Rehabilitation
- Pediatric & Neonatal
- Physical Disability
- Professional Issues
- Wellness/Health Promotion
- Work



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COURSE NAME	HOURS	COURSE NAME	HOURS
Applied Ethics	2	Heart Failure: Implications for Diagnosis	4
Ethics Issues & Decision Making	3	Home Health Therapy: Using Oasis	3
Supporting Aging In Place	2	Assessing Pain	2
An Introduction to Low Vision Rehabilitation	3	Cerebral Palsy Across the Lifespan	3
Total Knee Arthroplasty	3	Heart Failure	4
Therapeutic Exercise	4	Lateral And Medial Elbow Epicondylitis	3
Evidence-Based Mgmt of Knee Osteoarthritis	3	Multidimensional Assessment of the Older Adult	3
Alzheimers Disease and Other Dementias	3	Traumatic Brain Injury	3
Exam & Treat of Peripheral Vestibular Disorders	4	Lateral and Medial Epicondylitis	3
Concussion Management	4	Myofascial Pain Syndrome	3
Total Hip Arthroplasty	3	Bipolar & Related Disorders	3
Documentation In OT Practice	2	Breast Cancer	4
Common Chronic Health Conditions	3	Depression in Older Adults	3
Associated with Aging	3	Therapeutic Exercise and the Older Adult	4
Healthy Aging	10	Posttraumatic Stress Disorder	3
Intro to Wheelchair Seating and Positioning	3	Fibromyalgia in Women	3
Sensory Processing Differences in Children With Autism	3	Biopsychosocial Treatments for Chronic Pain	2
Spectrum Disorders	5	Ethical Issues and Decision Making	3
Examination & Mgmt of the Client with Parkinsons	4	Intro to Wheeled Mobility	3
Chronic Illness & Depression	2	Myofascial Pain Syndrome-Diagnosis & Treatment	3
Intervention For Clients With MS	6	Occupation-Based Intervention as an Integrative	3
Depression And Anxiety Disorders In Older Adults	3	Posttraumatic Stress Disorder	3
Patellofemoral Pain Syndrome	3	Lower Limb Amputation	3
Rotator Cuff Injuries & Interventions	4	Diagnosis, Treatment and Management of Fibromyalgia	3
Common Chronic Health Conditions	3	Ethical Practices with Older Adults	2
Associated With Aging	3	Ethical Issues in Childrens Health Care	3
Lumbar Spinal Stenosis	2	Introduction to Pain:prevalence and Impact	2
Adhesive Capsulitis	3	Multidimensional Functional	3
Conservative Mgmt of Rotator Cuff Injury	3	Assessment of the Older Adult	4
Alzheimers Disease and Related Disorders	3	Screening for Medical Conditions and Adverse Drug	3
Assistive Technology and Environmental Intervention	3	Dysphagia In Older Adults	4
Healthy Aging	10	HIV/AIDS	1
Carpal Tunnel Syndrome	3	ACL Injury, Surgery, And Rehabilitation:	3
Home Safety Assessment	1	A Science-Based And Evidence-Informed Approach	4
Nonarthritic Hip Pain	4	Ethics & Jurisprudence for TN PTS & PTAS	4
Promoting Healthy Aging for the Older Adult	5	Leadership Practices In Health Professions	2
Kick It Up A Notch: Evidence Based Physical Therapy	4	Protecting Patient Safety	2
Wound Healing Fundamentals	5	Ethics & Jurisprudence	4
Adhd Disorder and The Role of OT	3	Understanding PTSD	3
High Functioning Autism Spectrum Disorder	4	Osteoarthritic Hand and Wrist	3
Pain Assessment and Management	3	A Clinician's Guide To DSM-5	3
Conservative & Surgical Mgmt Osteoarthritic Hand	4	Approaches to Nosocomial Infection	3
Breast Cancer: The Role of OTS	3	H1N1 Flu: Implications for Healthcare Professionals	1
Human Trafficking	2	Exercise Prescription Management of the Older	3
Osteoarthritis of the Hip	3	Osteoarthritis of the Knee	3
Rheumatoid Arthritis	3	H1N1 Flu	1
Neurocognitive Disorders in Aging	3	Intimate Partner Violence	3
Current Concepts In ACL Injury,Surgery,	4	Pennsylvania Child Abuse Recog & Reporting	2

- Texas PT Association Approved – Accredited provider #1911021TX
- Illinois Dept. of Professional Regulation – Approved PT CE provider #216000287
- PT courses are generally submitted for approval by the PT association or board of examiners in California, New Jersey, Ohio, Oklahoma, and Pennsylvania.
- Our PT courses are accepted in the following states, which recognize approval by another state's PT association or board of examiners: **Alabama, Alaska, Arizona, Colorado** (all courses are Category II), **Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Hawaii, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Michigan, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, New Hampshire, North Carolina, North Dakota, Oregon, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Virginia** (all courses are Type 1), **Washington, Wisconsin** and **Wyoming**

Western Schools' occupational therapy CE unit, is approved by The American Occupational Therapy Association.



- AOTA Approved Provider #4403 - The assignment of AOTA CEUs does not imply endorsement of specific course content, products, or clinical procedures by AOTA.
- Alabama Board of Occupational Therapy – Provider #50-2165\*
- Florida Board of Occupational Therapy – Provider #50-2165\*
- Western Schools' courses are accepted in the following states:
  - Alabama, Alaska, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Virginia, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin and Wyoming. West Virginia – All courses are Type 1.
- \*Western Schools submits continuing education records to CE BROKER after successful course completion.



Western Schools is an American Speech-Language-Hearing Association approved provider.





## Choose from more than 175 continuing education contact hours tailored to 7 different Respiratory Care specialties.

Course are written and peer-reviewed by highly credentialed subject matter experts, and focus on current evidence-based practice to address current roles, competencies and emerging trends respiratory therapists face. Below is a list of some of our most popular courses:

### RESPIRATORY THERAPY TOPICS

Adult Sub-Acute Care

Diagnostic Procedures

Diseases, Infectious Diseases, Disorders, and Conditions

Emerging Cardiac and Respiratory Drugs

Health Care Management

Medical Equipment and Devices

Pediatric and Neonatal Critical and Subacute Care

#### COURSE NAME

Asthma Management in Children and Adults 20  
 Ethical Issues & Decision Making 2  
 Chronic Obstructive Lung Disease 3  
 Nicotine Addiction 3  
 Acute Respiratory Distress Syndrome 3  
 Pulmonary Edema 2  
 Ethical Practices W Older Adults 2  
 Bronchial Hygiene Therapy 1  
 Pneumonia in Adults 3  
 Obstructive Sleep Apnea & Other Sleep Disorders 3  
 Recognition and Mgmt Of Hypoxia 2  
 Physiology of Acid Base Balance 2  
 Protecting Patient Safety: Preventing Medical Error 2  
 Birth Defects Affecting the Respiratory System 3  
 Chest X-Ray Interpretation 2  
 Pulmonary Anatomy & Physiology 2  
 Evaluation of the Pulmonary Patient 2  
 Sleep Apnea & Positive Airway Pressure Therapy 1  
 Assessment of the Pediatric Airway 1  
 Evidence-Based Strategies for Weaning from Mech 2  
 Tracheotomy 1  
 Human Trafficking 2  
 Contemporary Practice in Secretion Clearance 1  
 Infectious Diseases Related to Domestic 2  
 Lung Cancer 2  
 Infection Control for Respiratory Care 1  
 Chest Trauma 2  
 Obstructive Sleep Apnea 2  
 Approaches to Nosocomial Infection 3  
 Bioterrorism: The Biology of Threats 5  
 Pulmonary Function Testing 1  
 Ethical Issues & Decision Making for Rts 3  
 Human Trafficking 2  
 Fetal and Neonatal Drug Exposure 3  
 Disaster & Mass Casualty Incident Planning 2  
 Pulmonary Rehabilitation 3  
 Weaning and Extubation 1  
 Respiratory Diseases in the Newborn 3  
 Antibiotic Resistance & Staphylococci 3  
 Home Health Care 1  
 High-Frequency Ventilation of the Newborn 1  
 Cystic Fibrosis: Diagnosis & Treatment 1  
 Lung Cancer 3  
 Fiberoptic Bronchoscopy 2  
 Clinical Applications of CO2 Monitoring 2

#### HOURS

#### COURSE NAME

Guidelines to Optimizing Patient Care 1  
 Pulmonary Rehabilitation 2  
 Nitric Oxide 2  
 Pneumothorax 1  
 Tuberculosis Across the Lifespan 3  
 Pertussis:diagnosis,Treatment, and Prevention 3  
 Emerging and Reemerging Infectious Diseases 2  
 Virus Infections 2  
 Choices in Ventilator Humidity: When & How 1  
 Genetic and Inherited Disorders 3  
 Anthrax: A Bioterrorist Weapon 3  
 Lung Transplantation 3  
 Ethical Practices with Older Adults 3  
 Development/Implementation of Rcp Education 2  
 Avian (H5N1) Influenza 1  
 Pennsylvania Child Abuse Recog & Reporting 2  
 Asthma 8  
 Continuous Quality Improvement 2  
 H1N1 Flu: Implications for Healthcare Professionals 1  
 Florida Laws And Rules For Respiratory Therapists 2  
 Chemical,Biological, Radiological & Nuclear 1  
 West Nile Virus 1  
 Current Controversies in Asthma Care 1  
 Step-Down of Inhaled Steroids in Controlled 1  
 Nutritional Considerations in Cystic Fibrosis 1  
 The Revenge of the Microbes 2  
 Innovations in Asthma Research And Scholarship 1  
 Quality Improvement in Asthma Care 1  
 Neonatal Respiratory Care 2  
 Weaning From Mechanical Ventilation 6

#### HOURS



**AARC Members** – Please be sure to provide us with your AARC member number as a license number and AARC as the license type so that we can submit your course completion records directly to the AARC within 60 days of completion.

All courses meet National Board for Respiratory Care (NBRC) Continuing Competency Program requirements. NBRC accepts courses approved by the AARC.

Florida Board of Respiratory Care approved provider #50-2165.



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Children, Adolescents, and College Students with ADHD	2	Addictions Theories & Substance Abuse Trends	1
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