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Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy: Current Understanding and Treatment

Build your knowledge with first-of-its kind instruction from an expert in Duchenne muscular dystrophy care at your own pace

The Course Objectives

By the end of the course, the participant will be able to:

- Correctly identify the 4 main medical tests which lead to a diagnosis of Duchenne muscular dystrophy.
- Correctly identify the most common type of genetic mutation which leads to Duchenne.
- Given a patient scenario, correctly identify the current stage of Duchenne the patient is experiencing.
- Correctly identify 3 body systems affected by Duchenne.
- Given a patient scenario which identifies the stage of the disease, correctly choose 2 appropriate treatment interventions.
- Demonstrate correct understanding regarding appropriate exercise prescription for individuals with Duchenne by answering correctly on the related questions of the post-course exam.
- Correctly list 4 other healthcare professionals whose expertise is part of the standard of care for patients with Duchenne.

Online Course Schedule

30 min	Introduction to Duchenne: Incidence, Etiology, Diagnosis, Pathology
30 min	Typical Progression and Client Presentation
30 min	Concurrent Medical Interventions, Comorbidities
15 min	Evaluation
60 min	Intervention
15 min	Exercise and Activity for Duchenne
45 min	Mobility Equipment
30 min	Case Studies
15 min	Post Test and Course Evaluations

About the Presenter

Jennifer Wallace Valdes draws from experience since 2002 in pediatrics and with an emphasis in the muscular dystrophy population. She has been invited to present current treatment topics and advances at Duchenne conferences and has taught continuing education to healthcare professionals since 2009. She is the owner of Duchenne Therapy Network and provides evaluation, treatment and consultations for those with Duchenne and Becker muscular dystrophy.



More information about the course:

- Earn 4.0 5.0 CEUs
- All participants who pass the course exam with at least 70% accuracy will receive credit for the course.
- This course is ideal for PT, PTA, OT, COTA, SLP, PE/APE, RN and others involved in the care of individuals with Duchenne.
- Course registration fee is \$75. Cancellations with full refund are available upon written request within 24 hours of registering and only if the registrant has not viewed the course information.
- This course spans from beginner to intermediate learning.
- No prerequisite learning is required.
- Course qualifies PTs to take CureDuchenne Certified PT track.
- The total course takes about 4 ½ hours.

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TOTAL TIME: 270 min (4 hrs, 30 min)