

Continuing Education

Bridging Together: Spinal Cord Injury Conference

Saturday, May 30, 2015 10:00a.m. - 5:30p.m. (registration 9:00a.m. - 10:00a.m.)

Allina Health, Pettingill Hall, 2925 Chicago Avenue South, Minneapolis, MN 55407

Courage Kenny Rehabilitation Institute and the Courage Kenny Grad School are bringing together people with spinal cord injuries and professionals who care for them. Our goal is to bridge the opportunity for optimal care, health and wellness for people with spinal cord injuries or disorders.

Course Objectives

This target audience for this full-day course includes people with spinal cord injury or disorders, their families and their care providers. Through lectures, panel discussions and exhibits, the day's objectives include:

- Discuss and learn about the many options to become more physically, mentally and socially active.
- Learn tips and strategies about personal safety.
- Create a personalized emergency preparedness plan.
- Discuss and share experiences about abilities or equipment used for tasks such as bowel care, bathing, sexual intimacy and personal care attendants (PCA) management, return to school and return to work.
- Learn about current options for power-assisted mobility.
- Learn about current local, national and international spinal cord injury research.

Agenda

Start time	End time	Presentation	Presenter(s)
9:00	10:00	Registration	
10:00	10:15	Introduction to Conference	Thomas Cloyd
10:15	11:15	Current Power Assist Technologies	Liz Scherer, DPT
11:15	12:00	Exhibit Hall	
12:00	1:30	Authentic Answers to Unspoken Questions Lunch and Learn (Lunch Provided)	Sponsored by MNSCIA
1:30	2:30	Spinal Cord Injury Research Local, National and International	Ann Parr, MD; Rob Wudlick
2:30	3:30	Exhibit Hall	
3:30	4:30	Panel to Share Experiences, Ideas and Solutions to Problems	Joey Carlson; Carrie Johnson; Jill Stigman; Ken Walsh Moderator: Thomas Cloyd
4:30	5:00	SHARE: Sports, Health, Activity, Recreation and Exercise Community Resources	Stacy Shablott, CTRS
5:00	5:30	Personal Safety after Spinal Cord Injury	Susan Hagel; Maria Humphreys

Exhibitors

Beyond Barriers Minneapolis, Forest Lake, MN
 Courage Kenny Rehabilitation Institute - Activity Based Locomotor Exercise: ABLE
 Courage Kenny Rehabilitation Institute - Assistive Technology
 Courage Kenny Rehabilitation Institute - Sports and Recreation
 Coloplast, Minneapolis, MN; Cummings Mobility, Roseville, MN
 Cure Medical, St. Paul, MN; Disability Specialists, Cook, MN
 EasyStand, Morton, MN; Handi Medical, St. Paul, MN
 IMED Mobility, Roseville, MN; Philips Respironics
 Reliable Medical Supply, Brooklyn Park, MN; Restorative Therapies, Baltimore, MD
 Ride Designs, Sheridan, CO; Tamarack Habilitation Technologies, Blaine, MN
 Winkley Orthotics & Prosthetics, Golden Valley, MN

Required registration:

Early registration is recommended. Registration is limited and is first come, first served.

Registration Deadline: May 22, 2015

A light breakfast and lunch is provided.

Tuition (REDUCED RATES):

-General Admission (wheelchair accessible): \$15*

-Care Partner with General Admission ticket paid: \$15*

Limited to one care partner ticket per general admission

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*plus additional processing fee

Tuition/Cancellation Policy

If necessary, you may cancel prior to 5 days of the course at no penalty. If cancelled within 5 days there is no refund*, however you may send an alternate attendee for no change fee. To complete your cancellation or substitution call 612-863-7306.*

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