

Course Overview

This is a two-day, hands-on intensive workshop. Participants will learn compensatory hands-on techniques for tonic bite, slow oral transit, tongue thrust, and gag. The participants will practice over 50 specific intervention strategies for improving facial muscle function for eating and speech. Additional topics of discussion may include: goal writing, diet texture progression, tube to oral issues, adaptive mealtime utensils, oral hygiene issues, medication administration issues, oral function for individuals with trachs, facilitating improved articulation through oral motor techniques, research issues, videofluoroscopy issues for motorically involved individuals, and additional topics of importance as determined by the participants.

Course Objectives:

Upon completion Participants will be able to:

- 1) Demonstrate assessment battery for determining orofacial movement patterns using the Beckman protocol.
- 2) Demonstrate compensatory handling techniques.
- 3) Demonstrate oral motor interventions and treatment techniques.
- 4) Recognize how to screen for potential referral candidates.
- 5) Identify the results of the techniques discussed.

Preparation:

For safety reasons, since we work with the fragile tissues of the oral area, therapeutic nail length is a must. Attendees are asked to bring a large handheld mirror. A DVD of a case study is welcomed for discussion.

Registration Fee

\$450 – Early Registration: 30 days or more in advance.

\$475 – Group Registration: Per person rate. Two (2) or more therapists from the same facility registering at the same time on the same check, money order, or credit card, less than 30 days in advance.

\$500 – Standard Registration: One (1) therapist registering less than 30 days in advance.

There is a \$30 processing fee for any cancellation more than 14 days prior to the conference date. No refunds will be given for cancellations within 14 days of the conference date. Registration can be moved to a future conference free of charge.

How do I register?

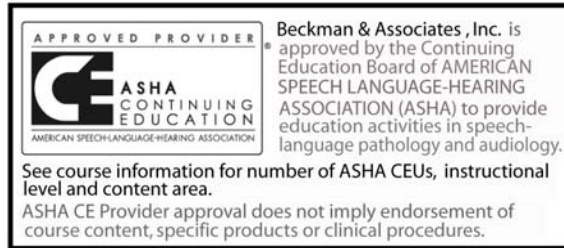
By phone: Call (407) 590-4852 or fax a completed registration form to (843) 824-8537.

By Mail: Complete the registration form and mail it to **Beckman & Associates, 620 N Wymore Rd STE 230, Maitland, FL 32751-4253.**

By Email: Email the requested information to info@beckmanoralmotor.com

On Line: Visit www.beckmanoralmotor.com

CEU Hours: This program is offered for 1.6 ASHA CEUs (Intermediate level; Professional area).



The approved assignment of 1.6 AOTA CEUs does not imply

endorsement of specific course content, products, or clinical procedures by AOTA.

Day One

8:00am-10:00am	Course Overview, Mealtime Myths, Neuroanatomy, Impact of Sensory System, Impact of Gravity on Function, Oral Patterns
10:00am-10:15am	Break (refreshments provided)
10:15am-12:00am	Case Studies-Mealtime Job Aides—Position, Texture, Temperature, Consistency, Utensils
12:00pm-1:00pm	Lunch
1:00pm-3:00pm	Compensatory Techniques—Tonic Bite, Coughing, Gagging/Vomiting (hands on practice)
3:00pm-3:15pm	Break (refreshments provided)
3:15pm-4:15pm	Loss of Food/Fluid, Delayed Oral Transit
4:15pm-5:30pm	Assessment & Intervention Videos—Infant and Adult

Day Two

8:00am-10:00am	Assessment & Intervention Techniques for Oral Structures-Lips, Gums, Tongue (hands on practice)
10:00am-10:15am	Break (refreshments provided)
10:15am-12:00pm	Assessment & Intervention Techniques—Cheeks, Jaw (hands on practice)
12:00pm-1:00pm	Lunch
1:00pm-3:00pm	Assessment & Intervention Techniques—Tongue, Hard Palette, Soft Palette (hands on practice)
3:00pm-3:15pm	Break (refreshments provided)
3:15pm-4:00pm	Continued Assessment & Intervention Techniques and Documentation (hands on practice)
4:00pm-5:30pm	Home program, Maintenance, Tube to Oral Transition, Discussion, Post Test

Registration Form

First Name _____

Last Name _____

Profession (use abbreviations, such as OT, SLP, etc.) _____

Facility _____

Home Address (Street, City & State/Zip Code) _____

Phone _____

IFax _____

Email _____

Conference Date

October 16-17, 2009

Conference Location Spectrum Health Hospital &

Helen Devos Children's Hospital

100 Michigan St. NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49503

Referral Source _____

Payment method

Check

Credit Card

Beckman & Associates does not sell or release personal information to any other entity.

Billing Information (Credit Card Payment Only)

VISA MasterCard Discover Am. Express

Name on Card: _____

Card Number: _____

Expiration Date: _____

Billing Address (Credit Card Payment Only)

Address: _____

City: _____

State/Zip Code: _____

**Learn the Beckman Oral Motor
Assessment and Intervention
Protocol in a 2-day hands-on
intensive workshop**

**October 16-17, 2009
Friday/Saturday**

Conference hosts:

**Spectrum Health Hospital &
Helen DeVos Children's
Hospital**

Location:

**Spectrum Health Hospital
Frederick Meijer Heart Center
Rooms 8801, 8811, 8812
100 Michigan Street, NE
Grand Rapids, MI 49503**

Airport:

**Gerald R. Ford International
Airport (GRR)**

44th St. SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49512
About 13 miles/14 minutes from conference site

Hotels:

Days Hotel - Downtown

310 Pearl St NW (616) 235-7611
Grand Rapids, MI 0.63 miles from conference
*Mention "Beckman Oral Motor Course" to receive
group rate of \$89/night + tax. Group rate good for
reservations made by September 24th.*

Courtyard-Downtown

11 Monroe Ave NW (616) 242-6000
Grand Rapids, MI 0.62 miles from conference

Amway Grand Plaza Hotel

187 Monroe Ave NW (616) 784-1224
Grand Rapids, MI 0.40 miles from conference

Driving Directions:

Visit <http://www.devoschildrens.org> and click the
Patient & Visitor Info tab for map and directions.

Parking:

Complimentary parking is available at the North
Visitors Parking Ramp (Ramp 7) at 221
Michigan Street NE across the street from the
Frederick Meijer Heart Center.

Lunch:

Depending on the pace of the course, we may
need to shorten lunch to 30 minutes; consider
bringing your lunch with you. There are also 3
locations in the building for Friday and only the
Cafeteria on Saturday. If we have an hour for
lunch you may want to dine at one of the several
nearby eateries. A handout will be available for
you at check-in.

Training Enhancement Tips:

- 1) Bring a sweater just in case you find the
conference room too chilly
- 2) Wear comfortable cloths and shoes
- 3) A free standing mirror or large hand mirror is
very helpful for the hands-on training
- 4) Therapeutic nail length is a must for working
with fragile facial tissue
- 5) A case study on DVD is welcomed



**Beckman Oral Motor
Assessment & Intervention
2009 Conferences**

**Wanamassa, NJ
January 17-18**

**Staunton/Waynesboro, VA
January 31-February 1**

**Baton Rouge, LA
February 7-8**

**Wailuku, HI
March 5-6**

**Mansfield, OH
March 27-28**

**St. Cloud, MN
April 24-25**

**Abingdon, VA
June 5-6**

**Everett, WA
June 11-12**

**Colorado Springs, CO
June 25-26**

**Tyler, TX
August 7-8**

**Wheeling, WV
August 13-14**

**Morganton, NC
September 24-25**

**Grand Rapids, MI
October 16-17**

**Roosevelt, NY (Long Island)
October 22-23**

**Orlando, FL
November 6-7**

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