

Vision Therapy Live Interactive Webinar With No Test

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Featuring Dr. Erin Jenewein, Dr. Siva Meiyeppen, Dr. Patrick Quaid and Dr. Jacqueline Theis

Sunday October 24, 2021 | 1:00 pm to 5:15 pm EDT



PROGRAM AT A GLANCE

Traumatic Brain Injury Subtypes, Visual Consequences and Treatment Dr. Siva Meiyeppen, OD, FAAO

This course will explore the prevalence of traumatic brain injury as well as common subtypes within the umbrella term of 'TBI.' This course will delve into the vestibular, ocular, cognitive, migraine, anxiety/mood and cervical subtypes as proposed by Collins et. al (2013) and further discuss the strategies for evaluating patients within the Ocular Subtype. Visual consequences of TBI will be elucidated and common vision therapy techniques for the Ocular Subtype patients, namely accommodative, saccadic and vergence therapies, will be discussed.

COPE ID 74147-FV - 1 Hour

Tips for Amblyopia Diagnosis and Management Dr. Erin Jenewein, OD, MS, FAAO

This course will overview tips on diagnostic testing and management of amblyopia, including diagnosing and managing eccentric fixation, diagnosing and managing relative amblyopia. Penalization therapy and binocular therapy for amblyopia will be overviewed, including the current literature on these topics. Case examples will be used to highlight key points.

COPE ID 74328-FV - 1 Hour

Optometric Diagnosis and Management of Post-Concussion Oculomotor Dysfunction

Dr. Jacqueline Theis, OD, FAAO

The course provides a detailed review of the symptoms, signs and management of post-concussion oculomotor dysfunction. It will cover topics including differentiation of developmental vs acquired dysfunction, active rehabilitation with vision therapy vs passive treatment with glasses and co-management with other providers.

COPE ID 74404-NO - 1 Hour

Learning to See = Seeing to Learn: Vision, Learning and Behaviour in Children Dr. Patrick Quaid, MCOptom, FCOVD, PhD

In this lecture, Dr. Quaid will outline the vital importance of a much more in-depth assessment that a routine eye examination on children with reading and spelling based learning difficulties. He will highlight key visual skills 'other than simple 20/20 acuity' such as tracking skills, visual memory skills and vergence/accommodation functional skills. Research pertaining to reading and vision will be presented (2013, Graefes Archives of Clinical & Experimental Ophthalmology publication) in addition to a model of reading. A discussion of how Optometric Vision Therapy and Speech and Language interventions interleave will be discussed in addition to how issues like ADHD and visual issues overlap. Videos of real-life cases will also be shown.

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Meet Our Faculty

Dr. Erin Jenewein earned her BSc Degree in Biology, Chemistry and Philosophy from St. Norbert College. She completed a Master of Science Degree in Biology at the University of Wisconsin. She graduated with highest honours and professional distinction from Nova Southeastern University College of Optometry. Following graduation, she completed a residency at Nova Southeastern University in Pediatrics and Binocular Vision. Dr. Jenewein joined the faculty at Nova Southeastern University College of Optometry and from 2010-2015, served as an Assistant Professor, Chief of Service of The Eye Care Institute at KID and as part of the faculty of the Master of Science in Clinical Vision Research program. Read more.



Dr. Siva Meiyeppen is a graduate of Illinois College of Optometry. She completed her residency at The Eye Institute at Salus University and earned her Fellowship in the American Academy of Optometry. She currently works in the Pediatric and Binocular Vision Department at Salus University where she oversees clinical care for pediatric and infant patient care including binocular vision dysfunction, visual perceptual examinations, amblyopia and strabismus evaluations and vision therapy. Dr. Meiyeppen sees patients of all ages with traumatic brain injury and concussion. She works at Magee Rehabilitation Hospital where she performs eye exams on acute and severe brain injured patients.



Dr. Patrick Quaid founded VUE Cubed Vision Therapy Clinics out of his passion for visual rehabilitation, having suffered the consequences of a severe traumatic brain injury at age 8, so he knows first-hand what concussion can do to the academic potential of a child. He currently serves at the University of Waterloo School of Optometry as an Adjunct Professor and is in his second year as the current President of the College of Optometrists of Ontario. Dr. Quaid has several peer reviewed scientific publications in both optometric and medical journals on topics ranging from glaucoma and perfusion pressure to the effects of eye teaming issues on reading efficiency in children. Read more.



Dr. Jacqueline Theis completed her optometric and residency-training in neuro-optometry and binocular vision at the UC Berkeley School of Optometry (UCBSO). After residency she became an Assistant Clinical Professor at UCBSO and was the founder and chief of the UC Berkeley Sports Vision and Concussion Clinic, which provides research and clinical care in post-concussion vision problems and sports vision performance. Dr. Theis also worked at Kaiser Permanente in Northern California for five years, treating patients with double vision and vision problems from systemic and neurological disease including diabetes, multiple sclerosis, Parkinson's disease, stroke and traumatic brain injury. Read more.







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