



# Cranial Remolding Orthoses: The Research That is Shaping the Future for Our Littlest Patients

## COURSE SYLLABUS

June 3, 2021

COURSE DATE

Live Webinar

LOCATION

12:00 pm CST

TIME

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COURSE PRESENTER & CREDENTIALS

## COURSE SUMMARY

Research translation and dissemination is key to helping support our decision-making process in healthcare, especially when it includes our youngest patient population. Based on published evidence, clinical practice guidelines help clarify considerations related to the diagnosis, severity, initiation of care, and general patient management principles.

This session will provide you with an overview of the current research as it relates to the treatment of cranial asymmetry and other head abnormalities, the impact it has on patient care, and how other specialists in this field are leveraging research to make evidence-based clinical decisions about the care they provide.

**Target Audience:** Physical and Occupational Therapists, Nurses, Case Managers, O&P Clinicians, and others who provide care for this patient population.

**Educational Level:** Intermediate

## OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this program, the participant will be able to:

1. Recall published research articles and the pros and cons within each article as they relate to patient care for this population
2. Analyze the impact published research has on this patient population
3. Describe current clinical practice guidelines being utilized in the field today

## COURSE OUTLINE

1. Sign In
2. Pre-test (if required)
3. Lecture (60 minutes)
  - Panel Discussion
    - Article I: Flannery et al - Evidence-Based Care of the Child with Deformational Plagiocephaly, Part II: Management
    - Article II: Lin et al - Orthotic Management of Deformational Plagiocephaly: Consensus Clinical Standards of Care
    - Article III: van Wijk et al - Helmet therapy in infants with positional skull deformation: randomised controlled trial
    - Article IV: Naidoo et al - Long-term outcomes in treatment of deformational plagiocephaly and brachycephaly using helmet therapy and repositioning: a longitudinal cohort study
  - Research & Impact on the Patient
  - Questions and Answers
4. Post-test (if required)
5. Course Evaluation (online) & Sign Out

## CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

**In-Person Sessions:** All attendees are required to attend the entire session, sign-in at the beginning and at the end of the course.

**Webinar Sessions:** All attendees are required to attend the entire session, and complete a credit request form and evaluation following the session.

Throughout the presentation learning outcomes will be assessed through instructor interaction and attendee's participation through Q & A.

**Credits Available:**

PT, OT, RN, CM: 1.0 contact hours/credits (visit the course page for information on accrediting bodies)

Physicians: None Available; Course Completion Certificate offered only

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