

Driving and Community Mobility: An IADL in the Occupational Therapy Process



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9:00AM-5:00PM

Location

University of Utah
Division of Occupational Therapy
520 Wakara Way
Salt Lake City, UT 84108



Presented by:

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**Registration Deadline:
February 22, 2010**

Cost

\$60 members
\$100 non-members
\$20 students

This workshop will :

- Describe the CarFit program and the DriveWell program as ways to improve safe senior mobility
- Review the major components of an optimal program of senior mobility.
- Present the driving-related sections of the *Occupational Therapy Practice Framework*
- Review an algorithm for occupational therapists that will meet the driving and community mobility needs of clients.
- Describe how driver rehabilitation specialists fit within the scope of occupational therapy practice
- Review the inter-relationships of evaluation, intervention, referral, and training from general practice to the specialized practice.
- Occupational therapy research and evidence-based practice will be used to reinforce the concepts presented.
- Research on tools used for driving evaluation will also be highlighted.

Dr. Anne Dickerson has been an occupational therapist for over 25 primarily teaching at universities and colleges. She has been at East Carolina University since 1993. Dr. Dickerson graduated summa cum laude from Temple University with a degree in occupational therapy, has a master's degree in allied health education/health administration, and a master's degree and PhD in developmental psychology from Florida International University. Her area of research has been primarily in aging and assessment of functional performance. She is editor of *Occupational Therapy in Health Care* and recognized nationally as a leader in education. She was awarded a fellow in the American Occupational Therapy Association and holds other honors from her professional organizations and university. Dr. Dickerson has been selected as a delegate to the 2005 White House Conference on Aging.

Anne Dickerson attended the North Carolina Driver Instructor Training program and will be licensed as a Driving Rehabilitation Specialist under Driver Rehabilitation Services, in North Carolina. Currently Dr. Dickerson is a member of the North Carolina Older Driver Safety Coalition, participated as a facilitator in the North American License Policies Workshop, instructor in the educational program CarFit, and Coordinator of the AOTA's *Headlights Newsletter*.

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