Description of the Course

The potential applications of Osteopathy in the Cranial Field to pediatric care are myriad, from obvious structural problems such as torticollis, plagiocephaly and nursemaid’s elbow, to systemic issues such as recurrent otitis media and gastro-esophageal reflux, to more challenging problems such as cerebral palsy and autism spectrum.

The aim of this course is to excite physicians in the opportunities inherent in treating children and to offer them tools to assist in expanding their own practices in the osteopathic treatment of children. It will include a brief review of embryology; pediatric anatomy and normal developmental tasks of newborns and children; a discussion of normal and troubled pregnancies, labor and deliveries; and the risks associated with the developing human.

We will discuss the general support of the well child and the chronically ill child, the unique needs of the pediatric patient and the opportunities that treatment offers to change lives permanently, to allow the individual to reach his/her full potential. There will be an in-depth review of the structure and function of the three body systems most prone to clinical issues in the child - the respiratory system, the gastrointestinal system and the neurological system, as well as discussion of normal structural development and the clinical significance of injuries.

There will be a 1:6 table trainer to student ratio.

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Friday, February 22, 2019
7:30 am Registration
8:00 am Introduction
8:30 am Palpating a Shifting Target, BMT
   Using Direct Action, Vertex Unwinding
9:30 am Embryology, Pediatric Anatomy and
   Normal Developmental Tasks of
   Newborns and Children, Guidelines
   for Warning Signs of Abnormal
   Development
10:15 am Small Group Discussion
10:30 am Birth Trauma – Normal and
   Troubled Pregnancies, Deliveries;
   Factors Contributing to SD;
   Overview of Plagiocephaly,
   Torticollis, Brachial Plexus Injuries,
   Fractured Clavicle
11:15 am Decompression of Condylar Parts,
   Occipital-Alanto
12:00 pm Lunch (provided)
1:00 pm Occipito-Mastoid, Molding, Thoracic
   Inlet, Clavicle
2:00 pm Digestive System: Suck Problems,
   Colic, Reflux, Constipation, Irritable
   Bowel, Food Sensitivities/Allergies
2:45 pm Small Group Discussion
3:00 pm Respiratory Diaphragm, Abdominal
   Fascia, Umbilicus
4:00 pm Movie: Tips on Management; How to
   Explain what OMT Involves to
   Parents
5:00 pm Adjourn

Saturday, February 23, 2019
8:00 am Review
8:15 am Respiratory System Part I: Thorax
   and Lungs: RDS, Pneumonia, Asthma
9:00 am Approaches to Lymph Drainage; BLT
   for Cervical and Thoracic Spines. Ribs
10:00 am Small Group Discussion
10:15 am Respiratory System Part II – Ear;
   Nose and Throat: The Common Cold
   and its Sequelae
11:00 am Venous Sinus Drainage, Temporal
   Bone Treatment, Intraosseous
   Treatments
12:00 pm Lunch (provided)
1:00 pm Neurodevelopmental Conditions
   – Cerebral Palsy, Seizures, Autism
   Spectrum, Down Syndrome, Sensory
   and Learning Disabilities
1:45 pm SBS Decompression; Treatment of
   Parallelogram Head; Various
   Approaches to Pterion
2:45 pm Small Group Discussion
3:00 pm Gait Disturbances and Orthopedic
   Conditions; Scoliosis, Torticollis,
   Nursemaid’s Elbow, Club Feet, Sports
   Injuries, Concussions
3:45 pm Feet, Tibial Torsion, Patellofemoral,
   Hips, Intraosseous Sacrum
4:30 pm Opportunity to Treat Children
5:30 pm Adjourn
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The Osteopathic Cranial Academy has requested that the AOA Council on Continuing Medical Education approve this program for 20.5 hours of 1-A AOA CME. Approval is currently pending.

CA Member    $900.00 (on or before Jan. 10, 2019)
CA Member    $950.00 (on or after Jan. 11, 2019)
Non-member $1,000.00 (on or before Jan. 10, 2019)
Non-member $1,025.00 (on or after Jan. 11, 2019)

Registration Form
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Name (Print)_________________________________________
Address_____________________________________________
City, State, Zip_______________________________________
Phone_________________________ Email ________________
Medical School_______________________________
Year_________     AOA # _____________________________
MC/VISA# ____________________________
Exp. Date _______________ Security Code _____________
Signature___________________________________________
Paid by: Check # ______

All cancellations must be received in writing and are subject to an administrative fee of 15% of the total registration fee if received on or before January 20, 2019. Refunds will not be made for cancellations received after January 21, 2019, or for failure to attend. Meal tickets included with the registration fee are not refundable. There is no discount for persons not wishing to attend food functions. No personal taping is permitted. It is the responsibility of ALL participants to use the information provided within the scope of their professional license.

Sunday, February 24, 2019

8:00 am  Review and Questions
8:15 am  OCF in General Pediatrics. Role in Physical and Behavioral Health Concerns.
9:00 am  Normal Dental Development, Dental Conditions and Orthodontia, TMJ
9:30 am  Intraoral Techniques – Maxillary Spread, Vomer, Pre-Maxilla, TMJ
10:30 am Small Group Discussion
10:45 am Normal Visual Development, Visual Disturbances, Lacrimal Duct Obstruction
11:15 am Orbital Axes, Treatment of the Orbit
12:00 pm Adjourn

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Register online at:
https://cranialacademy.org/events/cme

Prerequisites: One OCA approved Introductory course is required as shown on our website: www.cranialacademy.org/curriculum.html

Accommodations: A block of rooms has been reserved at the Crowne Plaza Astor Hotel at a rate of $129.00 single or double per night. Reservations can be made on our website.

Rooms will be available until January 20, 2019, or until the block is sold whichever occurs first.

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