

## **Tuition and Refund Policy:**

**Fee: \$85.00 APTA Members**  
**\$175.00 Non-APTA Members**

*All enrollment must take place before August 21, 2008 in order to obtain necessary course materials. Enrollment is limited, so please register early.*

Fee includes APTA credentialing fee, course materials, continental breakfast and refreshments each day.

## **Registration Form:**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Phone: (h)** \_\_\_\_\_

**(w)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Facility Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks payable to:  
Onondaga Community College

Mail check, registration form,  
a copy of your current PT License, and a  
copy of your APTA membership card to:

**Cindy Warner, Chairperson PTA Program**  
**Onondaga Community College, F-148**  
**4585 West Seneca Turnpike**  
**Syracuse, New York 13215**

We reserve the right to cancel this course before August 21, 2008 with full refund to those registered. A full refund will be made if a cancellation notice is received by August 20, 2008.

SUNY Upstate Physical Therapy Education Department  
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Syracuse, NY 13210

# **APTA Advanced Credentialed Clinical Instructor Program**

*Course Instructors:*

**Jennifer Collins, PT, MPA, EdD**  
**Martha Macht Sliwinski, PT, Ph.D.**

**Friday and Saturday**  
***September 12 and 13, 2008***

*Sponsored by*  
**Onondaga Community College**  
**PTA Program**

**and**  
**SUNY Upstate Medical University**  
**Physical Therapy Education Program**

*Continuing education units*  
*(16.75 contact hours/1.675 CEUs).*

### **Target Audience:**

This voluntary program is designed for physical therapists who are APTA-Credentialed Clinical Instructors (CIs) and have supervised and mentored at least one student.

### **Program Description:**

The Advanced CIECP brings two constructs together in one professional development program that advances both clinical teaching and best practice when providing student clinical education. Using a case-based and interactive approach to education, this program will provide participants with the essential knowledge and skill to more effectively teach and mentor students in the context of a doctoring profession, across core areas of contemporary professional education and clinical practice that foster best clinical teaching and best practice in patient/client management. The program's unique philosophy and design will enable clinical educators to achieve the best outcomes for student learning by concurrently advancing concepts of clinical teaching and clinical practice.

The program is divided into three distinct parts:

1. Pre-course assignments (3-5 hours) that include reading three articles and completing three of the online Professionalism Modules;
2. Advanced clinical instructor education via an interactive didactic course format that is appropriate to all physical therapist clinical educators; and
3. Assessment (credentialing) of curricula outcomes through an Assessment Center to apply information from the Advanced CIECP.

These components are used together to first provide, and then assess, the knowledge and skill identified as essential for Advanced CIs.

### **Program Schedule\***

\*tentative time frames provided; these may be altered to meet learning needs of the group

#### **Friday September 12**

8:00 – 8:30	Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:30 – 12:30	Sections I and II Professionalism in Practice and Clinical Reasoning
12:30 – 1:30	Lunch (on campus)
1:30 – 5:30	Section III Pt/Client Management Model and Documentation <i>and</i> Assessment Center
5:30	Adjourn

#### **Saturday, September 13**

8:00 – 8:30	Check-in and Continental Breakfast
8:30 – 12:30	Sections IV and V EBP and Advanced Clinical Teaching
12:30 – 1:30	Lunch (on campus)
1:30 – 3:30	Section VI Guide to PT Practice: The Facts and Only the Facts
2:30 – 4:30	Assessment Center
4:30 – 5:30	Debriefing, Scoring, and Assessment Center
5:30	Adjourn

*All participants must attend each session in its entirety and complete the assessment center to be eligible for credentialing.*

### **About the Speakers:**

**Jennifer Collins, PT, MPA, EdD** is Director and Professor of Health Science and Physical Therapy at Nazareth College of Rochester. She has thirty years of experience as a physical therapist, with more than 15 years in physical therapist education. Dr. Collins completed her doctoral dissertation with a qualitative study of physical therapy faculty workload. She teaches in the areas of professional issues, research, and pediatrics. She has been an APTA Trainer since 1997 for its Clinical Instructor and Credentialing Course.

**Martha Macht Sliwinski, PT, Ph.D.** has been a practicing physical therapist for 29 years and was an ACCE for 15 years. Martha's extensive background has prepared her to be an effective and interesting national trainer for the APTA Clinical Instructor Education and Credentialing Program, which she has done for 11 years. She is currently an Assistant Professor in the Program in Physical Therapy at Columbia University in a full-time teaching position.

### **Course Location:**

The course will be held at Onondaga Community College in Syracuse, New York. Parking is free. Directions and follow-up activities will be mailed with confirmation letter. Information about overnight accommodations can be provided upon request.

### **For More Information:**

Please contact Cindy Warner, Chairperson PTA Program at 315-498-2188 or [warnerc@sunyocc.edu](mailto:warnerc@sunyocc.edu)