OVERVIEW
Assessing and treating patients with delirium presents unique challenges for healthcare professionals. Delirium can contribute to patient complications including increased hospital length of stay, short and long term functional decline, and decreased quality of life. Research and experience has demonstrated that both the rehabilitation and medical teams are poised to provide preventive and skilled intervention to reduce both the occurrence of delirium and its negative long term outcomes. This introductory level course will provide professionals with the knowledge needed to properly evaluate and treat patients with delirium. Course participants will also gain insight into the role of the interprofessional team when managing the patient with delirium, and when it is appropriate to refer a patient to another care provider. Content will be presented via didactic lectures, panel discussion, case presentations and Q&A sessions.

TARGET AUDIENCE
This activity is targeted to nurses, physical therapists, physical therapist assistants, occupational therapists, occupational therapist assistants, speech language pathologists, psychologists*, and physicians*.

*This activity is not approved for CME credits or psychology credits. Applications have been submitted for CEUs for additional clinical disciplines. Please check registration website for details.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES
At the completion of this course, the participant should be able to:
• Describe the main risk factors for the development of delirium across settings including acute care, inpatient rehabilitation, skilled nursing facilities, home care and outpatient settings
• Identify conditions and diagnoses associated with delirium
• Differentiate between dementia, depression and delirium
• Identify delirium through use of the CAM (Confusion Assessment Method), CAM-ICU and the 3D-CAM
• Apply evidenced-based techniques to prevent delirium among vulnerable populations
• Apply evidence based interventions to reduce the intensity and duration of delirium when identified
• Describe the consequences and impact of delirium when left untreated
• Provide education to patients and families for a safe discharge to home with successful reintegration into activities of daily living
• Determine 3 objective measures / targets for use when developing a program to address delirium

ACCREDITATION AND CREDIT DESIGNATION
NYU Langone Medical Center is a New York State Education Department approved provider for physical therapy and physical therapist assistant continuing education. This course is approved for a maximum of 7.0 physical therapy/physical therapist assistant contact hours. This activity is pending approval in NJ. The following states require continuing education units (CEUs) with no state-specific approval: CT, IA, ID, MO, ND, and WA.

NYU Langone Medical Center is an American Occupational Therapy Association (AOTA) approved provider for occupational therapy and occupational therapist assistant continuing education. This course is approved for a maximum of 7.0 occupational therapy/occupational therapist assistant contact hours. This course meets the AOTA classification code of Occupational Therapy Process-Outcomes. The assignment of AOTA CEUs does not imply endorsement of specific course content, products, or clinical procedures by AOTA.

A minimum passing score of 70% is required on the course post-test in order to receive PT/PTA/OT/COTA CEU credits.

This course is offered for .70 ASHA CEUs (Introductory level, Professional area).
DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

In order to resolve any identified conflicts of interest, disclosure information is provided during the planning process to ensure resolution of any identified conflicts. Disclosure of faculty and commercial relationships, as well as the discussion of unlabeled or unapproved use of any drug, device or procedure by the faculty, will be fully noted at the meeting.

SPECIAL NEEDS

Rusk Rehabilitation at NYU Langone Medical Center, in compliance with the legal requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act, requests that any participant of this educational activity who is in need of accommodation submit a written request to Ray Celona at Ray.Celona@nyumc.org at least one month prior to the course start date.

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Registration fees include breakfast, access to handouts, and credits.

**Early Bird Pricing:**
- NYU Langone Affiliates: $150
- All Others: $225

**Regular Pricing:**
- NYU Langone Affiliates: $175
- All Others: $250

After 12 pm on October 12, 2016, only onsite registration is available, provided the course has not reached capacity. Onsite registration fee is $275 and participant will receive a receipt via e-mail in 1-2 weeks. We cannot accept telephone or email registration. Registration is non-transferable.
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