**WORKSHOP REGISTRATION FORM**

This workshop is open to all.

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| **ASSESSOR DETAILS:** | | | | | | | | |
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| **Email:** |  | | | | **A/Hrs Phone:** | |  | |
| **Employer:** | |  | | | **Position:** OT  PT  Other: | | |  |
| **Workplace Address:** | | | | | | | | |
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| **Te Whatu Ora**  (if applicable): | | | |  | **Disability Support Services (DSS) funded service:** Yes  No | | | |
| **5 DAY LEVEL 2 WHEELED MOBILITY & POSTURAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME:**  This may be completed as a 5 day programme, or as individual modules.  Costs exclude gst. Morning & afternoon teas and course materials are provided.  **DATE: 31 March to 04 April 2025**  **VENUE: Seating To Go -No 23 West Street, Frankton, Hamilton**  **TIME: 9.00am – 4.30pm, daily**  **Please bring an exercise mat & tool box for Complex Seating & manual wheelchair workshop** | | | | | | | | |
| **Please indicate relevant cost below:**  **Complex Seating (2 days) – 31 March -01 April 2025**   * DSS assessor - works 75% with DSS funded clients :   –  $220 (employed) or  $440 (subcontractor)   * Education therapists works 75% within education :   –  $320 (employed) or  $440 (subcontractor)   * ACC /private service/suppliers –  $550   **Specialised Manual Wheelchairs (1 day) – 02 April 2025**   * DSS assessor - works 75% with DSS funded clients :   –  $220 (employed) or  $440 (subcontractor)   * Education therapists works 75% within education :   –  $320 (employed) or  $440 (subcontractor)   * ACC /private service/suppliers –  $550   **Powered Mobility (2 days) – 03 -04 April 2025**   * DSS assessor - works 75% with DSS funded clients :   –  $220 (employed) or  $440 (subcontractor)   * Education therapists works 75% within education :   –  $320 (employed) or  $440 (subcontractor)   * ACC /private service/suppliers –  $550 | | | | | | | | |
| **Registration and payment:** | | | | | | | | |
| * All registrations must be received within 7 days of the workshop * Spaces are limited so make sure to register early. * A tax invoice/confirmation will be emailed once your registration has been processed. * Payment is required prior to the workshop. | | | | | | | | |
| **Email for invoice:** | | |  | | | | | |
| **Purchase order #:** | | |  | | | | | |
| *Registrations cancelled up to 7 days prior to the date of the workshop will be eligible for a full refund. In other cases a 50% cancellation fee will be charged. All cancellations must be advised via email.*  **Email registration form to: training@seatingtogo.co.nz** | | | | | | | | |

**COMPLEX SEATING**2 day workshop module which meets the Level 2 Wheeled Mobility & Postural Management credential requirements for EMS assessors.

**“Managing posture, promoting function & participation for people with complex seating needs”**

**Objectives:**

Therapists completing this workshop will be able to:

* Apply theoretical principles and biomechanics of seating to clinical practice.
* Understand the importance of thorough assessment and ongoing review.
* Utilise appropriate outcome measures for intervention.
* Undertake a mat evaluation in lying and sitting.
* Provide seating solutions which promote motor development and function.
* Identify potential risks of secondary complications and prescribe seating to reduce these risks as appropriate.
* Differentiate between the need to correct, accommodate or inhibit postural asymmetry.
* Identify parameters for equipment to meet positioning and functional needs.
* Adjust modular seating to meet positioning needs
* Identify indicators for custom seating.

**Programme:** The content of our programmes are continuously updated to reflect evidence informed practice. You can expect to have a mixture of theory and practice within the workshop including hands-on physical assessment practice, assessing the adjustable components of modular seating, and working in small groups with clients.

Workshops are limited to 20 to ensure everyone has a good opportunity to access the facilitator during the practical sessions.

**SPECIALISED MANUAL WHEELCHAIRS**  
1 day workshop module as part of the Level 2 Wheeled Mobility & Postural Management credential requirements.

**“Get Down and Get Dirty” – assessing and prescribing specialised manual wheelchairs to optimize function and prevent injury.**

**Objectives:**

Therapists completing this workshop will demonstrate an ability to:

* Understand how wheelchair configuration can impact on user’s functional abilities and safety.
* Identify key wheelchair components and scripting options.
* Understand the need to refer to manufacturer prescription forms.
* Utilise appropriate outcome measures for intervention.
* Assess the adaptive capabilities of manual wheelchairs.
* Configure and prescribe manual wheelchairs to minimize secondary complications such as shoulder injury and fatigue.
* Problem-solve seating issues using scripted wheelchair options.
* Provide basic wheelchair skills training.

**Programme:**

The content of our programmes are continuously updated to reflect evidence informed practice. You can expect to have a mixture of theory and practice within the workshop including hands-on manual wheelchair configuration and wheelchair skills training.

Workshops are limited to 20 to ensure everyone has a good opportunity to access the facilitator during the practical sessions.

**COMPLEX POWER MOBILITY[[1]](#footnote-2)**  
2 day workshop module as part of the Level 2 Wheeled Mobility & Postural Management credential requirements.

**“The Power of Knowledge” – assessing for complex powered mobility & control options.**

**Objectives:**

By the end of the workshop, participants will:

* Be able to identify who would benefit from access to power mobility.
* Understand the interrelationship between mobility and cognitive development.
* Understand how a power wheelchair works.
* Utilise appropriate outcome measures of intervention.
* Understand access and proportional vs switched options and their clinical application.
* Recognise how performance parameters of various power bases and specialty controls enhance a users’ ability to utilise powered mobility.
* Be able to use a hand held programmer.
* Recognise indicators for power seating options.
* Be able to implement appropriate training strategies to support the development of self-initiated mobility via power mobility devices for very young children and people with learning difficulties.

**Programme:**

The content of our programmes are continuously updated to reflect evidence informed practice. You can expect to have a mixture of theory and practice within the workshop including hands-on programming, driving using specialty controls and wheelchair skills training. Workshops are limited to 20 to ensure everyone has a good opportunity to access the facilitator during the practical sessions.

1. Complex Power Mobility refers to those people who require an alternative control method to a standard joystick due to a movement disorder or degenerative condition, or the person requires individualised training strategies due to age or cognitive ability, or the person requires power seating functions due to weakness, medical issues or functional requirements. [↑](#footnote-ref-2)