

**Registration Form**  
**Deadline: May 27, 2009**

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

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Facility: \_\_\_\_\_  
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APTA#: \_\_\_\_\_

**Registration Fee**

- ⇒ **\$120.00 APTA Members**
- ⇒ **\$210.00 Non-Members**
- ⇒ Include membership number on the above registration.
- ⇒ APTA course refund policy: Individuals must request a refund 72 hours prior to the date of the course beginning.

**To Register**

Please send the following information the address below:

- Registration Form
  - Participant Dossier
  - Copy of current PT license/registration
  - Check payable to **APTA** or complete the attached credit form
- ⇒ **A group discount is available for 5 or more participants from the same employer. Please contact Rachel Schmidt for more information.**

**Please return ALL registration materials to:**

Rachel Schmidt  
Clarkson University  
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PO Box 5880  
Potsdam, NY 13699-5880  
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**APTA**

**Advanced Credentialed  
Clinical Instructor  
Program: Level II**

Friday & Saturday  
June 19 & 20, 2009  
at Clarkson University

Credentialing Instructors:

**Jennifer Collins, PT, MPA, EdD**  
**Jennifer McDonald, PT, DPT, MS**

Sponsored by:

**Clarkson University**  
**Canton-Potsdam Hospital**  
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## COURSE DESCRIPTION

The Advanced Clinical Instructor Credentialing Program 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 provides participants with the essential knowledge and skill to more effectively teach and mentor students in the context of a doctoring profession. Through the program's unique philosophy and design, best outcomes will be achieved 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.

## 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..

## CONTINUING EDUCATION UNITS

Earn 16.75 contact hours/1.675 CEUs through completion of the course and pre-requisite assignments.

## INFORMATION

You can visit the APTA website for additional program information at: [www.apta.org/education](http://www.apta.org/education).

## COURSE FEE

\$120.00 APTA Members ~ \$ 210.00 Non-Members

*Fee includes:* APTA credentialing fee, course documents, continental breakfast & refreshments each day.

- ⇒ Registration will be limited to 40 participants.
- ⇒ APTA course refund policy: Individuals must request a refund 72 hours prior to the date of the course beginning. Refunds after May 27 will be subject to a \$20 administrative fee.

## PROGRAM SCHEDULE

### ***Day One: Friday, June 19***

- 8:00 am Registration & Continental Breakfast
- 8:30 – 12:30 Sections I & II: Professionalism in Practice & Clinical Reasoning
- 12:30 – 1:30 Lunch (on your own)
- 1:30 – 5:30 Section III: Pt/Client Management Model, Documentation, & Assessment Center
- 5:30 Adjourn

### ***Day Two: Saturday, June 20***

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

*\*Tentative time frames provided; these may be altered to meet learning needs of the group. Periodic Breaks will be built into the above schedule. 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.

**Jennifer McDonald, PT, DPT, MS** has a BS in PT from the University of Vermont, MS in Basic Science from Clarkson University, and was awarded her DPT from Simmons College. She has over 20 years experience as a clinician. Jennifer was a CCCE and is currently an ACCE. She has a certificate in Women's Health, which is her area of clinical interest. Jennifer has been a CI trainer for the basic course since 2000 and is now an Advanced CI course trainer.

## COURSE LOCATION

Clarkson University Department of Physical Therapy  
Clarkson Hall — 59 Main Street Potsdam, NY 13699

## ACCOMODATIONS

<b>The Smalling Motel ~South</b>	\$64-\$89/night
7518 Highway 11, Potsdam NY 13676	315-265-0709
<b>Clarkson Inn</b>	\$119/night
1 Market Street, Potsdam NY 13676	315-265-3050
<b>Best Western</b>	\$99/night
90 East Main Street, Canton NY 13617	315-386-8522

## COURSE PREPARATION

Upon registration, participants will be sent a confirmation letter with the pre-course readings and online assignments. Please contact Rachel Schmidt for further details or questions at 315-268-3786 or [rschmidt@clarkson.edu](mailto:rschmidt@clarkson.edu).