

## SoPAC 2011 Schedule at a Glance

### Wednesday, August 31

- 7:00 am to 6:00 pm Registration
- 12:30 to 6:00 pm Exhibit Hall Open
- 7:00 to 8:30 am SoPAC Attendee Breakfast: Meet & Greet (*breakfast buffet provided*)
- 8:30 to 9:45 am General Session: APTA Section on Pediatrics Welcome and Disney's Approach to Leadership Excellence
- 9:45 to 10:45 am General Session: Health Disparity for Children in Our Backyard
- 10:45 to 11:00 am Break
- 11:00 am to 12:30 pm Concurrent Educational Sessions (1 of 6):
- Platform Presentations: Preparing Pediatric PTs--What's New That You Should Know?
  - What About Children? Family-Centered Care for Children with Developmental Disabilities
  - Identifying Critical Factors Associated with Positive Outcomes for Families with Young Children Using Assistive Technology
  - Lessons from a Longitudinal Study of Infants with Perinatal White Matter Injury, Part 1: Early Intervention and Development on the AIMS from 2-12 Months--Lessons for Clinicians and Advocates
  - Pediatric Screening for Medical Referral, Part 1
  - Go Baby Go! The Science, Technology & Training of Power Mobility for Young Children
- 12:30 to 2:30 pm Exhibit Hall Opens (unopposed) / Poster Presentations and Practice Fair in Exhibit Hall
- 2:30 to 4:00 pm Concurrent Educational Sessions (1 of 6):
- Innovative Approaches to Including Children in Teaching Entry-Level PT Education Courses
  - Autism: Past, Present & Future
  - Facilitating Young Children's Involvement in Routines/Activities Using Assistive Technology
  - Lessons from a Longitudinal Study of Infants with Perinatal White Matter Injury, Part II: Clinical Trial Protocol--Lessons for Researchers and Educators
  - Pediatric Screening for Medical Referral, Part 2

- Social Mobility: Assisting Children and Families in Maximizing Power Mobility

4:00 to 6:00 pm Exhibit Hall (unopposed) / Poster Presentations in Exhibit Hall  
(*snack provided*)

6:00 to 7:30 pm Concurrent Activities (optional):

- SoPAC Movie Night (sponsored by Adults with Developmental Disabilities SIG)
- *Pediatric Physical Therapy* Journal Information Night

### **Thursday, September 1**

7:00 am to 5:30 pm Registration

9:00 am to 1:00 pm Exhibit Hall Open

8:00 to 9:30 am Roundtables (*breakfast will be served*)

- Activity-focused Interventions to Address Functional Motor Behavior Within Early Intervention Settings
- Family Perspectives/Lifespan Panel
- School-based Issues: Workload, Frequency & Intensity
- Nuts & Bolts: How-to Session on Database Searches, Article Analysis & Application to Clinical Practice
- The Future of Pediatric Preparation

9:30 to 10:30 am Exhibit Hall (unopposed) / Poster Presentations in Exhibit Hall

10:30 to Noon Concurrent General Sessions (1 of 2):

- A Life-Course Approach to Development: Principles to Practice
- Variability in Postural Control During Infancy: Implications for Development, Assessment & Intervention

Noon to 1:00 pm Exhibit Hall (unopposed) / Poster Presentations Exhibit Hall  
(*snack/dessert provided*)

1:00 to 2:30 pm Concurrent Educational Sessions (1 of 6):

- Blending Recovery & Compensation in a Life-Stage Approach to Developmental Skill Acquisition
- Applying the NICU Practice Guidelines to Cases, Part 1
- Engaging Parents in Promoting Children's Health and Well-Being: "Learn the Signs, Act Early" Campaign

- Tips & Tools: Techniques to Assist Pediatric Clinical Instructors
- The Role of Special Olympics and Healthy Athletes FUNfitness in Assessing, Promoting, and Providing Opportunities for Physical Activity in Community-based Settings
- Revolutionary PT Practices, Part 1: Ensuring Young Children Live Real Lives

2:45 to 4:15                      Concurrent Educational Sessions (1 of 6):

- Clinical Education in Pediatrics: Models & Methods
- Applying the NICU Practice Guidelines to Cases, Part 2
- Use Your Clinical Reasoning to Embed Interventions Within Natural Environments
- United States Olympic Committee: US Paralympics Division
- A Guide for School-Based Practice: Integrating the Occupational Therapy Practice Framework (OTPF) and the International Classification of Function (ICF) to Support Service Decisions under IDEA
- Revolutionary PT Practices, Part 2: What's Really Important

4:30 to 5:30 pm                General Session: Great Pediatric Debate--Is Evidence-based Practice Realistic for Pediatric Physical Therapists?

7:00 to 11:00 pm              Evening Event at Disneyland® - Buffet Dinner and Fireworks Display

**Friday, September 2**

7:00 am to 3:00 pm          Registration

8:00 to 9:30 am                Concurrent General Session (1 of 2):

- Natural Environment Panel: What Are Natural Environments & Where Can We Find Them?
- Landing in Holland: Supporting Critically Ill Children and Their Families

9:30 to 10:00 am              Break

10:00 to 11:30 pm            Concurrent Educational Sessions (1 of 6):

- Gross Motor Function Measure: Updates on Administration and Interpretation
- Living with the Dark Side: Dealing with the Heaviness of Critically Ill Children
- Evidence-based Practice: What We Know from Current Research Regarding Intervention for Young Children
- Transitions, Part 1: A Life-long Process and Everyone's Responsibility
- Motivating Kids to Love Physical Activity
- Power to Go: Using Power Mobility to Support the Development of Young Children with Severe Motor Impairments

11:45 am to 1:15 pm Roundtables (*boxed lunch will be served*)

- Health Care Transitions
- Making the Leap from Clinical Practice to Academia: Benefits and Challenges
- Dealing with "Sticky Situations" in Pediatrics: Ethics and Core Values
- Hot Topics in Neonatology
- Reimbursement of Complex Rehab Technology

1:30 to 3:00 pm Concurrent Educational Sessions (1 of 6):

- Supporting Play and Motor FUNCTION Together: Influencing Participation for Young Children with Disabilities
- Establishing Relationships with the Critical Care Unit Staff at All Levels
- Critical Transitions: Impacting the Future of the Young Child and Family
- Transitions, Part 2: A Life-long Process and Everyone's Responsibility
- Balance/Auditory/Vision Exercises for Brain & Brain-Body Integration
- Assistive Technology: Tools to Promote Participation Across Environments

### **Saturday, September 3**

7:00 to 8:00 am Registration

8:00 am to 4:30 pm Post-Conference Courses (1 of 3):

- Complex Seating & Mobility Solutions Across the Lifespan (*hands-on lab & lecture; registration capped at 50*)

- Physical Therapists as Members of the Transition Team: Promoting Successful Student Movement from School to Postsecondary Environments Through Evidence-based Evaluation and Intervention
- Scoliosis and Spinal Deformities: Introduction to the Schroth Method of Exercises for Adolescent Idiopathic Scoliosis