

Outline

DAY 1
(8 AM – 4:30 PM)

TAI CHI: WHAT IT IS AND WHAT IT IS NOT

BENEFITS OF TAI CHI FOR YOUR CLIENTS

- Increase muscle strength and cardiovascular system
- Increase stamina
- Increase flexibility
- Improve balance, thereby reducing falls
- Improve posture/memory/relaxation
- Reduce stress and anxiety
- Decrease chronic pain

HOW TO INCORPORATE INTO YOUR PRACTICE

- Motivate your clients to start the road to recovery using:
 - Choice theory
 - Positive psychology

Lab

- Warm-up exercises
- GROUP THERAPY PROGRAM LAB (Yang, Sun, and Chen Style)
- Introduction of TCR Eight Forms sequence
- Cooling-down exercises

Objectives

- ◆ Examine the evidence behind Tai Chi and how it benefits your clients.
- ◆ Utilize safety precautions for Tai Chi when teaching others.
- ◆ Apply the Stepwise Progressive Teaching Method during treatment.
- ◆ Teach the movement, body, and internal principles of Tai Chi for effective progress.
- ◆ Incorporate mindfulness in Tai Chi practice to enhance health and well-being benefits.
- ◆ Practice the dan tien breathing method to promote relaxation.
- ◆ Utilize weight transference techniques to improve balance.
- ◆ Apply situational focus in Tai Chi practice, encouraging mental alertness.
- ◆ Demonstrate the Chen, Yang, and Sun style of Tai Chi with application of lab.
- ◆ Teach modifications for participants of different movement abilities.
- ◆ Define the international fall reduction statistics directly related to Tai Chi programs.
- ◆ Independently apply the basic styles of Chen, Yang, and Sun style of Tai Chi by the end of the course to strengthen clients' flexibility, core, and balance.
- ◆ Demonstrate the various Tai Chi movements into a seated position to be used for non-ambulatory patients.
- ◆ Develop practices of incorporating Tai Chi into real life situations for fall prevention.

Who Should Attend

- ◆ Physical Therapist
- ◆ Physical Therapist Assistants
- ◆ Occupational Therapists
- ◆ Occupational Therapy Assistants
- ◆ Athletic Trainers
- ◆ Massage Therapists
- ◆ Exercise Physiologists
- ◆ Nursing Home Administrators
- ◆ Social Workers
- ◆ Counselors
- ◆ Activity Professionals

DAY 2
(8 AM – 3:30 PM)

TAI CHI: TEACHING SAFELY

- Why safety is important

Lab

- Warm-up exercise
- Review TCR Eight Forms sequence
- Seated Tai Chi for the non-ambulatory client
- Cooling-down exercise

HOW TO TEACH EFFECTIVELY

- Overview
- Role play the Stepwise Progressing teaching method
- Precautions and modifications
- Taking it to the street – community classes

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– Catherine



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– Peter



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– Michael

- **Become certified as a Tai Chi for Health & Wellness instructor** through the Tai Chi for Health Institute using the TCR program
- **Evidence-based treatments** to improve flexibility and balance, thereby preventing falls; decrease stress and anxiety; enhance memory and relaxation; strengthen muscles and the cardiovascular system; recover from injuries or surgeries faster
- **Easily adaptable exercises** for the specific needs of your clients
- **Join a growing, global community** of certified instructors with the Tai Chi for Health Institute

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- Improve flexibility and balance to prevent falls
- Reduce stress and anxiety
- Strengthen cardiovascular system
- Decrease chronic pain
- Recover from injuries and surgeries faster

In addition, the evidence behind Tai Chi offers you justification for using this ancient form in your client's rehabilitation.

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Speaker

RALPH DEHNER, COTA, CPT, is the director and program coordinator of the Mighty Vine Wellness Club, a nonprofit wellness center serving the mental health community. As a Certified Occupational Therapy Assistant (COTA) and a Certified Personal Trainer (CPT), his clinical experience includes rehabilitation and injury prevention through behavior modification, exercise, work simplification, and functional activity. Mr. Dehner started studying internal martial arts in the early 1970s and is a Certified Master/Trainer for Dr. Paul Lam's Tai Chi for health programs in the USA. In addition, he is certified as an instructor for such courses as Tai Chi for Arthritis and Fall Prevention, Tai Chi for Diabetes, Tai Chi for Osteoporosis, Tai Chi for Back Pain, and Tai Chi for Balance. Mr. Dehner has taught both Qi Gong and Tai Chi in hospitals, cancer centers, nursing homes, senior centers, integrative medicine centers, and mental health facilities. In conjunction with his vast experience, he has presented several conferences, such as the National Autism Conference, Ehlers-Danlos Syndrome Conference, the Inaugural International Tai Chi for Health Conference (Seoul, So. Korea). Mr. Dehner is also an experienced program developer who has produced and presented training courses on such topics as fall prevention, Tai Chi for OTs, and integrative medicine in mental health. He received his BS in holistic studies with a concentration in wellness management from Union Institute and University. Mr. Dehner is a member of the American Occupational Therapy Association, American Council on Exercise, International Association of Reiki, and Tai Chi for Health Community of America.

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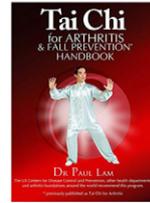


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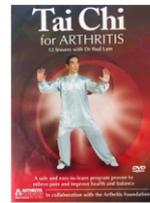
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