



Are you tired of using the same old manual therapy techniques or home exercise programs for your patients and still not seeing better results? Looking to infuse your practice with something new, yet evidence-based and reimbursable? Look no further than the ancient art form of Tai Chi.

Tai Chi combines gentle and adaptable exercises you can easily use with your clients for a variety of benefits, such as:

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

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

With pre-workshop study and showing competency at the end of 3 days, you are eligible for certification as a Tai Chi for Arthritis and Fall Prevention instructor through the Tai Chi for Health Institute. Your course presenter has trained extensively with Dr. Paul Lam and risen to Master Trainer status, providing you the research, benefits and most importantly, movements of Tai Chi to incorporate into any patient’s treatment plans. Adding this reimbursable therapy to your toolbox will immediately enable you to provide an additional modality to enhance patients’ stability, flexibility, posture, balance and coordination.

No experience with Tai Chi is required, as your instructor will teach you the movements step-by-step to ensure you can safely and properly teach others.

In addition, these 3-days will bring an inner calmness to your life, restoring you mentally and physically so that you can be the best therapist your patients need.

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Speaker

**JOCELYN SIMPSON** is a Master Trainer and Board-Certified Instructor for the Dr. Paul Lam Tai Chi for Health Institute (TCHI), a nonprofit corporation based in Sydney, Australia. Ms. Simpson also serves as Secretary of the TCHI governing board. Currently, she offers instructor qualification workshops in 6 TCHI programs, including Tai Chi for Arthritis, Tai Chi for Arthritis for Fall Prevention, Tai Chi for Diabetes and Seated Tai Chi for Arthritis, and is Board-Certified in 9 programs including Tai Chi for Back Pain, Tai Chi for Rehabilitation, and Tai Chi for Osteoporosis. She is a certified Pilates instructor with over 1000 hours of formal training with a specialty certificate in pre/postnatal Pilates (trained personally with Carolyne Anthony). She has taught Tai Chi for Health programs in a variety of settings including physical therapy clinics, assisted living facilities, community centers, senior centers, specialized rehab/fitness centers, and Pilates studios. Ms. Simpson has served on the Programs Committee and Walk for a Cure Committee with the Arthritis Foundation and has presented in various capacities for that organization as well as the Fall Prevention Coalition and State of Georgia Department of Human Services, Division of Aging Services. She works closely with the latter in bringing evidence-based Tai Chi programs to all counties of the state of Georgia, working with regional Area Agencies on Aging and other organizations.

**Speaker Disclosures:**  
Financial: Jocelyn Simpson is a master trainer for the Tai Chi for Health Institute. She receives a speaking honorarium from PESI, Inc.  
Non-financial: Jocelyn Simpson is a member of the Tai Chi for Health Institute.

Objectives

**TO BE CERTIFIED BY THE TAI CHI FOR HEALTH INSTITUTE BOARD, YOU MUST DEMONSTRATE SAFE AND INDEPENDENT PERFORMANCE OF THE ROUTINE BY THE END OF THE WORKSHOP**

1. Analyze the history of Tai Chi principles and practices.
2. Explain the relevancy of Tai Chi in the rehab clinical setting.
3. Articulate the link between chronic arthritis pain and fall risk.
4. Utilize safety precautions for Tai Chi in rehab.
5. Apply the Stepwise Progressive Teaching Method during treatment.
6. Teach the movement, body, and internal principles of Tai Chi for effective progress.
7. Incorporate mindfulness in Tai Chi practice to enhance health and well-being benefits.
8. Practice the dan tien breathing method to promote relaxation.
9. Utilize weight transference techniques to improve balance.
10. Apply situational focus in Tai Chi practice, encouraging mental alertness.
11. Demonstrate Sun style of Tai Chi with application of lab.
12. Teach modifications for participants of different movement abilities.
13. Practice Tai Chi adaptations specific for fall prevention.
14. Define the international fall reduction statistics directly related to Tai Chi programs.
15. Independently apply the basic styles of Sun style of Tai Chi by the end of the course to strengthen clients’ flexibility, core, and balance.
16. Demonstrate the various Tai Chi movements into a seated position to be used for non-ambulatory patients.
17. Discuss how to implement a community-wide program teaching others Tai Chi.
18. Develop practices of incorporating Tai Chi into real-life situations for fall prevention.

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- **Evidence-based and reimbursable treatment** you can incorporate the next day
- **Easily adaptable and non-invasive exercises** for the specific needs of your clients
- **Improve patient participation and motivation** throughout rehab
- **Become a Board-Certified instructor** through the Tai Chi for Health Institute
- **Increase your earning potential** by offering Tai Chi classes for your community
- **Be restored, mentally and physically,** during these 3-days to increase your skills and care as a therapist

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Outline

UNLOCK THE POWER OF TAI CHI  
WHO AND HOW TAI CHI BENEFITS

- What is Tai Chi?
- The latest research on Tai Chi
- Recommendation from the CDC and Arthritis Foundations across the globe
- Effective movements you can use immediately to:
  - Prevent falls
  - Build muscle strength, which supports and protects joints
  - Increase stamina
  - Enhance flexibility and balance
  - Optimize mobility and function
  - Reduce arthritis and back pain
  - Improve posture/memory/relaxation
  - Decrease stress and anxiety

ESSENTIAL PRINCIPLES TO REMEMBER

- Improve upper body/lower body coordination
  - Make the movements slow, even and continuous
  - Gentle resistance
- Be mindful of your body/center of gravity awareness to improve balance
  - Be aware of weight transference
  - Importance of upright position, if possible
- Be mindful of your mind
  - Stay focused on each movement so that the internal and external are integrated

TAI CHI: WHY IT IS IMPORTANT TO KEEP SAFETY IN MIND

- What environment is ideal for teaching Tai Chi?
- Realize the limitation of your patient, even if they don't recognize it

INCORPORATE TAI CHI INTO YOUR PRACTICE

- Where to start – assessing your patients' ability to perform certain movements
- Motivate your clients toward recovery with 3 methods:
  - Choice theory
  - Positive psychology
  - Mindfulness
- Affect rehab outcomes positively
- Group exercise – LAB
  - Warm-up exercises
  - Cooling down exercises
- Coding and billing tips to get the most out of reimbursement

TEACH YOUR PATIENTS AND THE COMMUNITY AT LARGE

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

HANDS-ON DEMONSTRATION AND LAB

INTRODUCE THE 12 FORMS SEQUENCE, STEP-BY-STEP

- Warm-up exercises
- Step-by-step instruction of each movement
- 6 basic movements
  - Commencement
  - Open and close
  - Single whip
  - Waving hands
  - Open and close
  - Closing
- 6 advanced movements
  - Brush knees
  - Playing the lute
  - Parry and punch
  - Block and close
  - Push the mountain
  - Open and close
- Cooling-down exercises

GROUP THERAPY PROGRAM (SUN STYLE TAI CHI)

- Adaptations for knee, joint, and balance limitations

SEATED TAI CHI

- How to build strength and flexibility for non-ambulatory patients

POST-TEST FOR CERTIFICATION

DEMONSTRATE SAFE AND INDEPENDENT PERFORMANCE OF THE 12 MOVEMENTS

Who Should Attend

- Physical Therapists
- Physical Therapist Assistants
- Athletic Trainers
- Occupational Therapists
- Occupational Therapy Assistants
- Nurses
- Nurse Practitioners
- Exercise Physiologists
- Nursing Home Administrators
- Restorative Team Members
- Personal Trainers
- Activity Professionals

What to Bring

- Loose, comfortable clothing and flat, supportive shoes suitable for exercise (shoes are required).

Live Workshop Schedule (All 3 Days)

7:30 Registration/Morning Coffee & Tea

8:00 Program begins

11:50-1:00 Lunch (on your own)

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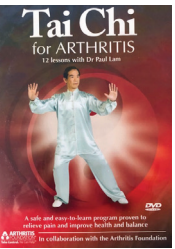
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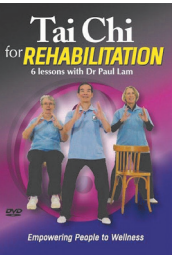
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