

The Iowa Clinical Education Collaborative  
Presents

**APTA**  
**CREDENTIALLED CLINICAL INSTRUCTOR PROGRAM**  
**Level 1**

**July 11 and July 12, 2022**

**Des Moines University, Munroe Building**  
**3200 Grand Ave, Des Moines, IA**

**Course Description**

This course addresses planning and implementing clinical education experiences for physical therapy and other health care field students. The program is divided into two parts: (1) clinical instructor education for all participants and (2) credentialing for PT/PTAs in the course through Assessment Centers.

**Objectives**

The CI Program addresses issues of:

- Plan and prepare for physical therapy students during their clinical education experience.
- Support continuing education through questioning and effective feedback.
- Acquire performance evaluation skills.
- Identifying and managing students with exceptional situations.
- Recognize legal implications for clinical educators, including issues presented by ADA legislation.

**Intended Audience**

The CCIP Level 1 is a voluntary program designed primarily for people interested in or involved with clinical education, such as clinical instructors, site coordinators of clinical education, and directors of clinical education. Other health care providers who offer clinical education in a supervisory role to students, including physical therapists and physical therapist assistants, and health care providers from other professions can use this program to enhance their clinical instruction education.

**Credit**

Successful completion by PTs and PTAs can earn 1.6 CEUs (16 contact hours) and the APTA CCIP Level 1 Credential. Other healthcare professionals receive 1.2 CEUs (12 contact hours). They are not awarded the Level 1 CI Credential. APTA will provide the certificates for continuing education credit.

***Note: All participants must attend each session in its entirety and complete the Assessment Centers to be eligible for APTA CI credentialing.***

**Presenters:**

***Kelly Sass, PT, PhD*** is one of the DCEs in the Department of Physical Therapy and Rehabilitation Science at the University of Iowa, and a PRN physical therapist at Mercy Iowa City Rehab Hospital. Kelly served as a Clinical Instructor at St. Luke's Hospital in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and Virginia Gay Hospital in Vinton, IA before joining the University of Iowa faculty in 1997. Kelly has been practicing physical therapy since 1993 and received her doctorate in Educational Psychology in 2016.

***Cindy Utley, PT, DPT, CEEAA*** is the DCE in the DPT Program at Des Moines University. She has been in this position since 2014 and has also served as Assistant DCE since 2009. Cindy served as a clinical instructor at Mercy Medical Center in Des Moines, Iowa, before joining the faculty at Des Moines University. Cindy has been practicing physical therapy since 1991 and continues to practice as a PRN physical therapist at MercyOne Des Moines Medical Center

Both presenters are Credentialed Trainers for the APTA Credentialed Clinical Instructor Program (CCIP) Level 1 and members of the Iowa Clinical Education Collaborative.

## Workshop Schedule

Monday, July 11, 2022

7:45 a.m. Registration

8:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m. Course Program

Tuesday, July 12, 2022

7:45 a.m. Check-in

8:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m. Course Program

Note: This schedule accounts for a 30-minute lunch (provided). Directions, parking, and hotel information will be sent with your confirmation.

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## **Registration Information**

### **Registration Fees:**

- APTA Member (PT/PTA) \$170
- APTA Non-Member (PT/PTA) \$270

Registration includes APTA Level 1 e-manual, Assessment Center, CI credential (PTs and PTAs only), CEU certificate(s), Level 1 CI credential pin, registry in an APTA database, learning materials, and lunch.

### **REGISTRATION Steps:**

- To register, go to: <https://ccip.apta.org>
- Access the CCIP online system, which takes you to the APTA login screen. If you are an APTA member, this will be your APTA login screen. If you are not an APTA member, choose Create a Free Account.
- When you enter the registration fields you will need to select the Des Moines Course offering.
- Complete all the registration fields.
  - You will be prompted to enter an “offering verification code”. The **verification code is: 2022071A082**
- Once you have completed the APTA registration, go to the DMU link <https://cme.dmu.edu/apta-2022> to pay for the course.

### **Items Needed to Complete the Registration:**

- ◆Copy of current professional license
- ◆Credit Card

### **REGISTRATION DEADLINE: June 26, 2022**

Registration will be limited to 40 participants. A nonrefundable administrative fee of \$20 will be charge for all cancellation received 72 hours before the start of the course. If you withdraw within 72 hours of the course start date, you will not receive a refund of the registration fees.

***Please note:*** If you have a voucher from any of the Iowa PT programs that you are hoping to use as part or all of payment, we recommend verifying with that program first. It should then be submitted with your registration. A limited number of vouchers will be accepted.

### **For further information contact:**

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