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Course Director
JANE YAKEL, MS, CCC-SLP, is a licensed and certified Speech-Language Pathologist with more than 40 years of experience in the care of persons suffering from neuropathology disorders. She completed her undergraduate and graduate degrees at the University of Wyoming, specializing in neuropathology. Ms. Yakel is currently a private contractor and consultant in Virginia and has worked in a variety of settings including acute care, outpatient clinics, home health agencies, skilled nursing homes, independent and assisted living facilities, hospitals, and schools. She has been a regional clinical specialist and a national trainer for rehabilitation program directors and has served as a director of a community re-entry program for traumatic brain injury survivors. Additionally, she has taught at the University of Wyoming, Utah State University, and DeVry University (Phoenix). Her diverse background in both the academic and health care arenas has given her ample opportunities to develop strong clinical skills in patient assessment, evaluation, treatment, and patient/family education.

Ms. Yakel has also shared her expertise as an author, particularly in her comprehensive book Dementia Interventions for Severe Cognitive Impairments, and presenter for national and state board continuing education courses on various topics such as cognitive rehabilitation and dementia, comprehensive assessment of the patient, and cognitive-communication disorders in the neurologically impaired. She is currently a member of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, is a past rep for the People to People Ambassador Program for the American Speech and Hearing Association, and is a prior member of the Wyoming Board of Examiners for Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology.


Evidence-Based Intervention A Multidisciplinary, Hands-on Approach to Evidence-Based Techniques

DEMENTIA INTERVENTION: A MULTIDISCIPLINARY, HANDS-ON APPROACH TO EVIDENCE-BASED TECHNIQUES

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SAFETY FIRST

Check audio CDs and course materials:
- Patient expectations with mobility
- Design individualized, measurable goals and document skilled therapeutic interventions
- Accurately "stage" a patient to ensure selection of appropriate evidence-based intervention strategies and three communication techniques
- Use assessment to justify intervention outcomes

PRICING INFORMATION

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Expiration Dates
- Audio CDs: 1 year
- Course Manuals: 180 days

SUMMARY

Up to 7.2 CE hours available

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**What You Will Learn**

- Successfully “stage” a patient to receive appropriate intervention techniques
- Identify the required steps for successful intervention of Space, Stimulation, and Supervision of that program
- Practice hands-on with the communication techniques of Validation Therapy, Re-Direction, and Reflective Listening
- Generate patient-centered goals and skilful documentation notes on individually identified patients that meet Medicare guidelines
- Identify specific directions for Montessori-Based and Ability-Based intervention techniques and skilful therapeutic activities that build upon the patient’s spared skills and abilities
- Discuss Reminiscence Therapy and the design of individual and group therapy sessions using specific activities, themes, and kits

**Who Should Attend**

- Speech Language Pathologists
- Occupational Therapists
- Physical Therapists
- Physical Therapist Assistants
- Rehab Managers
- Director of Nursing Home Administrations
- Registered Nurses
- Rehabilitation Nurses
- Restorative Nursing Staff
- Certified Nursing Assistants
- Directors of Nursing
- Rehabilitation Nurses
- Occupational Therapists
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**REGISTRATION**

7:30 a.m. Coffee & tea provided.

Seminar Begins: 8:00 a.m.

Lunch Break: 1 hour (on your own)

Seminar Ends: 3:30 p.m.

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