# BI-STATE STROKE CONFERENCE presented by Ability KC

Join Ability KC and our team of experts for one of Kansas City's leading conferences dedicated to innovations in treatment, evidence-based solutions designed to inspire real life clinical practices, and cutting-edge technologies for providing care to individuals who have experienced a stroke. This FREE conference is presented in collaboration with the Bi–State Stroke Education Consortium to enhance the educational opportunities for providers of stroke care across the continuum. Participants will receive a completion certificate at the end of the conference to self–submit for 4 hours of continuing education.

Thursday, April 4, 2024 8:00 AM – 12:30 PM Kauffman Foundation Conference Center 4801 Rockhill Rd., Kansas City, MO 64110 Audience: Professionals

#### 8:00 AM Check-In

- 8:15 AM Executive Capacities in Neuro Rehab: A Group Based Pilot Program presented by Siera Burley, OTD, OTR/L, CBIS, Becky Glover, OTD, OTR/L, CBIS, LSVT–BIG, and Collin Shelton, M.S. CCC–SLP, CBIS Objectives:
  - 1. Define executive skills/functions and summarize these for a patient
  - 2. Identify strategies to informally assess executive function and standardized assessment tools
  - 3. Implement treatment techniques to improve metacognition, self-monitoring and self-awareness
  - 4. Describe the benefit of structured group-based interventions for executive and problem-solving deficits

#### 9:45 AM Break

# **10:00AM** Motivational Interviewing in Principle and Practice presented by Jordan Fuller, Ph.D. Objectives

- 1. Participants will learn about the spirit and core principles of motivational interviewing
- 2. Participants will be introduced to core techniques of motivational interviewing
- 3. Participants will practice motivational interviewing techniques in simulated rehabilitation contexts

# **11:00 AM** The Intersection of Cognition and Affect in a Driving Evaluation presented by Terrie Price, Ph.D., ABPP (Rp) and Annette Lewer, MOT, OTR/L, CDRS

Objectives:

- 1. Participants will identify specific cognitive skills as they relate to the driving and evaluation task demands
- 2. Participants will recognize the impact of mood states on cognitive skills
- 3. Participants will tie knowledge of cognitive skills with behavioral approaches to assist the driving evaluation candidate



### **ABOUT ABILITY KC**

Ability KC builds brighter futures for children and adults with disabilities through comprehensive medical, educational, vocational and therapeutic services. Our work is woven into the story of our city, as we've touched countless lives since 1947. Throughout our rich 75+ year history Ability KC has been at the cutting edge, leading the way in the delivery of holistic, individualized care while using evidence-based best practices and innovative approaches. The dedication of our experts and the support of our community converge to enable our work to not only continue but to grow in effectiveness and influence. We continue to make Kansas City stronger by ensuring people with disabilities have the support they need to fully participate in the community and we measure success by the unique goals those we serve set and achieve.

# **ABOUT THE CONSORTIUM**

The Bi–State Stroke Education Consortium is composed of twenty–nine health organizations and the American Stroke Association. These organizations have agreed to collaborate to enhance the educational opportunities for providers of stroke care across the continuum. Continuing nursing education credit will be provided by each sponsoring agency

The goal of this consortium is to provide evidence-based education emphasizing best nursing practices and patient outcomes adhering to the Brain Attack Coalition Guidelines or Evidence-Based Practice.

1. Each organization in the consortium will provide one four-hour nursing continuing education offering each year to all members of the consortium and EMS staff free of charge. A fee may be charged for non-hospital or non-consortium members. This fee is determined by the offering provider.

2. See your institution's representatives six weeks prior to the program for monthly brochures. Please wait to contact the representative until the brochure has been released.

3. Pre-registration is required in writing and space may be limited by the provider on a first come first serve and/or space-available basis. All cancellations require 48-hour notice prior to the program.

At the program offerings, the provision of refreshments is optional and not required of the participating organizations. Please plan accordingly.

#### Ability KC

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## **INDUSTRY LEADING EXPERTISE**

About the Speakers

#### SIERA BURLEY, OTD, OTR/L, CBIS

Siera Burley is an occupational therapist at Ability KC. She graduated from Creighton University with a Doctorate in Occupational Therapy in 2020 and has been working at Ability KC since. Siera works with the adult population and is a Certified Brain Injury Specialist, and primarily works with the stroke and brain injury population. She helps with specialized programming at Ability KC, including the pediatric Constraint Induced Movement Therapy Programs, aquatic therapy program and the MILES (Mastering Independent Living and Everyday Skills) program for adolescents and adults.

#### BECKY GLOVER, OTD, OTR/L, CBIS, LSVT-BIG

Becky Glover is an occupational therapist who graduated from Creighton University with her OTD in 2018. After she graduated, she completed a Neurology Fellowship through Creighton University, to specialize in neurorehabilitation. She is a Clinical Assistant Professor at KUMC in the OT Department of Education and completes clinical practice at Ability KC two days/week. Additionally, she serves on the AOTA Work and Industry Special Interest Section committee. She enjoys working with individuals living with stroke and brain injury and is passionate about helping individuals living with a neurological condition return to the workforce. She is a Certified Brain Injury Specialist, LSVT–BIG Certified, and is currently working towards becoming a Certified Neuro Specialist.

#### COLLIN SHELTON, M.S. CCC-SLP, CBIS

Collin Shelton is a speech–language pathologist on the adult medical rehab team at Ability KC. Collin started his career with Ability KC's Employment Services department in 2014 while earning his BS in Communication Disorders from the University of Central Missouri. He earned his MS from UCM in 2018 and has had experience in skilled nursing facilities, schools, home/community–based services and the outpatient day program at Ability KC. Collin is a Certified Brain Injury Specialist and his therapy interests include cognitive–communication skills, acquired language disorders, voice disorders and more.

#### JORDAN FULLER, PH.D.

Jordan Fuller, Ph.D. is a clinical neuropsychologist at Ability KC. He earned his doctorate in clinical psychology from the Illinois Institute of Technology in Chicago, IL. He completed his predoctoral internship at the John D. Dingell VA medical center in Detroit, Michigan, where he worked with veterans to address a wide range of psychological and cognitive concerns. He then attended a two-year postdoctoral residency in rehabilitation neuropsychology at the Rehabilitation Institute of Michigan. It was there that he developed a passion for rehabilitation and a deep admiration for those who are confronting the challenges of recovery. Dr. Fuller has worked extensively with individuals presenting with concussion, traumatic brain injuries, stroke, and spinal cord injuries. He also has experience with a wide range of neurological, psychiatric, and general medical conditions, including epilepsy, dementia, and functional neurological problems.



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#### ANNETTE LEWER, MOT, OTR/L, CDRS

Annette Maggard Lewer, MOT, OTR/L, CDRS, Driving Program Coordinator at Ability KC grew up in Kansas City and attended Rockhurst University earning a B.A. in Philosophy and a master's in occupational therapy. She has worked at Ability KC for 30+ years providing therapy to children and adults. The past 13 years, she has served as the Driving Program coordinator, completing evaluations and training in driver rehabilitation. Annette regularly speaks regarding driving rehabilitation to various groups such as university occupational therapy programs, senior living centers/communities, KC metro hospitals, physician's conferences, educational conferences, as well as interviews with the media. When she isn't at work, she enjoys gardening, cooking, hiking, swimming, and spending time with her husband, daughter, and dogs.

#### TERRIE PRICE, PH.D., ABPP (RP)

Terrie Price, Ph.D., ABPP (Rp) holds a PhD in Counseling Psychology and is ABPP (Rp) (board certified by the American Board of Professional Psychology–Rehabilitation Psychology.) Dr. Price is past Director of Developmental and Behavioral Health Department at Ability KC in Kansas City, Missouri. Current clinical duties include neuropsychological assessment and consultation. Professional leadership roles include chair of the Professional Conference Program Committee of the Brain Injury Association of Kansas, Past Conference Manager on the Board of the Academy of Rehabilitation Psychology and ABRP Inc, past president of the Academy of Spinal Cord Injury Professionals, Brain Injury Association of Kansas, and Brain Injury Association of Missouri. She was a contributing co–author in Practical Psychology in Medical Rehabilitation (2017), contributing author to The Missouri Greenbook: Living with Brain Injury (2009), and Traumatic Head Injury: Cause, Consequence and Challenge (1987).

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# **QUESTIONS?**

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