



Course Outline:

Wheelchair Cushions and Pressure Care Principles

Presented by:

Medop cc Occupational Therapists operating as the in-house mobility product
and seating clinicians

Summary:

Dissecting the principles behind wheelchair cushion design and identifying the different ways of application in manufactured cushions. Exploring the different properties in cushion design. Identifying aspects and principles to guide clinical reasoning when selecting a cushion. Pulling together pressure care, functioning and stability when considering wheelchair cushions.

Objectives:

- Cushion properties
- Cushion design and pressure care principles
- Ethical responsibility of health professional
- Financial implications

