

Certified Therapeutic Shoe Fitting Course – “Fitting Facts”
Sponsored By: Texas Podiatric Medical Foundation & Dr. Comfort
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Learn current information on proper therapeutic shoe fitting & proper DME coding.
Classes will be limited to 24 attendees. Classroom hours will be 8:00am – 5:00pm daily.

WHAT DOES COURSE INCLUDE?: Training for proper therapeutic shoe fitting will include: properly providing non-custom therapeutic shoes and non-custom multi-density inserts, patient assessment, formulation of a treatment plan, implementation of the treatment plan, follow-up and practice management. Current DME requirements will also be covered. The course is an excellent tool for podiatric assistants and health care professionals to get quality, hands-on training to dispense and advise on therapeutic shoes and inserts. Proper training improves care of at risk patients to decrease blistering, irritation and amputation.

WHO CAN TAKE THE COURSE? The course is open to all health care professionals. Physicians may attend any portion for overview. No CME is provided. It provides a GREAT overview for general shoe fitting, including coding tips. It also meets the prerequisite for national CFts certification. DPMS may attend FREE with staff.

This 16 hour course is taught by a NCOPE/ABC approved provider and is approved as a prerequisite educational course required prior to taking the CFts certification exam. For details to complete national ABC Certification of Therapeutic Shoe Fitter (CFts) , go to www.abcop.org for criteria detail and exam dates. This course also is eligible for ABC Category II **Continuing Education** criteria for pedorthists, orthotists, CFts and related fields. *CONFIRM shoe fitting requirements with your state or under www.abcop.org guidelines.

- FUTURE COURSES:** * Contact Krista Richter for hotel referral & class directions prior to each class.
- Feb 2- 3, 2012** San Antonio: Well Med 2455 NE Loop 410, Ste. 100, Greenway Plaza Well Med , 78217
 - April 5-6, 2012** Dallas – Garland
 - Sept 27-28, 2012** Edinburg - McAllen
 - Dec. 6-7, 2012** Houston – Woodlands

*A course may be added in any area of Texas if there is a minimum of 10 attendees. Contact TPMF or Dr. Comfort.

*All proceeds are subject to tax deduction. Donations go to TPMF to support medical missions, resident grants, shoe drives and indigent patient care. The TPMF is a 501 C3 Tax ID 74-2952209. Contact TPMF for suggestions on new projects. **Refund Policy: Credit only for future course.**

Thank You for Your Support!

Attendee: _____ DPM office or clinic: _____

Are you a Podiatric Assistant, DPM or other professional: _____

Check Course Attending:

- Aug 11-12 \$295 * 8am-5pm daily. 2 days hands-on. Lunch and course materials provided .
- Dec 1-2 \$295 * 8am-5pm daily. 2 days hands-on. Lunch and course materials provided .

**** If send 3 or more from same office, fee is \$195 per person for all courses.**

** DPMs may observe with staff at no additional charge. Please register as observer.

I can not attend, but would like to make a donation as listed below.

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Mail registration to: TPMF 15577 RR 12 , Wimberley, Tx, 78676 or Fax to : 888-394-1123.

Confirmation and details will be sent via email.

For questions, contact Krista at 512-626-3674 or krista.richter@yahoo.com

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