

CURRICULUM VITAE

Melissa Cole
Azusa Pacific University

Education

Doctor of Physical Therapy
Azusa Pacific University
Physical Therapy
12/2006

Bachelor of Arts
Hope international University
Pre-Physical Therapy, Christian Leadership
12/2002

Licensure Information

State and Registration Number: CA PT 33159

Certifications (e.g., ABPTS)

Board Certified Clinical Specialist, Pediatrics

Employment and Positions Held (from most recent to earliest)

Assistant Professor
Azusa Pacific University
Azusa, CA
08/2017 to Present

Physical Therapist
The Children's Therapy Center
Garden Grove, CA
07/2016 to Present

Adjunct Faculty
Cal Baptist University
Online & Professional Studies
Riverside, CA
07/2016 to Present

Adjunct Faculty
Sage College
Moreno Valley, CA
04/2014 to 12/2016

Adjunct Faculty
Azusa Pacific University
Azusa, CA
08/2008—8/2017

Physical Therapist
Apple Tree Early Intervention Center

Cypress, CA
04/2007 to 08/2015

Peer-Reviewed Publications

Petrofsky JS, Stewart B, Patterson C, Cole M, Al Maly A, Lee S. Cardiovascular Responses and Endurance During Isometric Exercise in Patients with Type 2 Diabetes Compared to Control Subjects. *Medical Science Monitor*. 2005;11(10): CR470-477.

Petrofsky JS, Lee S, Patterson C, Cole M, Stewart B. Sweat Production During Global Heating and During Isometric Exercise in People with Diabetes. *Medical Science Monitor*. 2005;11(11): CR515-521

Peer-Reviewed Scientific and Professional Presentations (from most recent to earliest)

Melissa Cole, Christopher Patterson, Bryan Stewart
Observation of Autonomic Cardiovascular Responses During Isometric Exercise in Patients with Diabetes Compared to Age Matched Control Subjects.
Poster Presentation
Combined Sections Meeting of the American Physical Therapy Association. February 2006

Melissa Cole, Christopher Patterson, Bryan Stewart
Sweat Response on Non-Glabrous Skin During Exercise in Patients with Diabetes Compared to Age Matched Controls.
Poster Presentation
American Diabetes Association's 65th Scientific Session. June 2005.

Membership in Scientific/Professional Organizations

American Physical Therapy Association
2004 to Present
Academy of Pediatric Physical Therapy member

Continuing Education Attended

Linking Muscle and Bone Structure to Function in People with Cerebral Palsy: Implications for Exercise (2016)

Complex Issues: Concept of Workload and Determination of Frequency & Intensity of Services APTA (2016)

SoPAC Conference (2013)

The PT as a Life Span Practitioner: Movement System Impairment Syndromes of the Low Back

Goal Directed, activity-focused therapy for children with cerebral palsy

Update on Physical Therapy Intervention for Orthopedic Conditions

The Good, The Bad and The Necessity of Standardized Testing

Introduction to the Harris Infant Neuromotor Test

Pediatric and Adolescent Sports Injuries

Current Teaching Responsibilities

PT 502 – Professional Relationships

PT 760 – PTDDT VIII: Pediatrics

PT 774 – Capstone I (Faculty-Mentor)

PT 776 – Capstone II (Faculty-Mentor)