
MIKE CRICCHIO, MBA, OT/L, CHT
Certified Hand Therapist

CURRICULUM VITAE

OUTPATIENT HAND and UPPER EXTREMITY CLINIC:

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PROFESSIONAL LICENSES/CERTIFICATIONS:

Florida Board of Occupational Therapy License, #OT10281 (Expires Feb 28th, 2017)

Hand Therapy Certification, #1011100508 (Obtained November 3rd, 2001/Expires December 31st, 2016)

EDUCATION:

- 1998-2000 Master of Business Administration-Graduated August, 2000
 Brenau University 4.0 G.P.A.
 Gainesville, Georgia
- 1995 Fellowship in Upper Extremity Injuries
 Stanford University Hospital
 Palo Alto, California
- 1994-1996 Bachelors of Science with Major in Occupational Therapy
 Graduated June, 1996
 Loma Linda University
 Loma Linda, California
- 1989-1993 Exercise Science/Exercise Physiology
 Brigham Young University
 Provo, Utah

LEADERSHIP:

- Site Manager UFHealth Hand and Upper Extremity Center, 2014-present.
- Journal of Hand Therapy Manuscript Reviewer, 2012-present.
- Ecclesiastical leader of congregation of approximately 400 individuals, October 2011-present.
- Hitting Coach of two elite junior tennis players, 2009-present.
- Co-chairman of the Teton Hand and Upper Extremity Conference, Jackson, Wyoming, 2004-present.
- UFHealth Internal Continuing Education Coordinator, 2006-present.

- Founder of Cricchio Consulting: Professional Continuing Education of the Upper Extremity, 2004-present.
- Clinical Coordinator UFHealth Hand and Upper Extremity Center, 2001-2014.
- Chairperson of 36th Annual American Society of Hand Therapy Conference, October, 2013 (Chicago).
- Vice-Chairperson of 35th Annual American Society of Hand Therapy Conference, September, 2012 (San Diego).
- Director of the American Society of Hand Therapist's Website Committee 2010-2011.
- 2010 Director of the American Society of Hand Therapist's Practice Management and Reimbursement Division.
- 2009 Vice-Chairman of the American Society of Hand Therapist's Practice Management and Reimbursement Division.
- Clinical coordinator for Shands Rehab Conference Series, 2007-2011.
- Chairperson of 31st Annual American Society of Hand Therapy Conference, October, 2008 (Boston).
- Vice-Chairperson of 30th Annual American Society of Hand Therapy Conference, September, 2007 (Phoenix).
- Member of Board of Directors and Treasurer of Congenital Hand Camp, Inc., 2002-2004.
- Trustee of the University of Florida Hand Fellows Alumni Association 2002-2004.
- Co-director of the Hands-to-Love golf tournament 2003 & 2004.
- American Society of Hand Therapists Vendor Sponsor October, 2003.
- Two year mission Seattle, Washington, 1991-1993.

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS/CONTRIBUTIONS:

- "The Hand". 12th Annual Teton Hand and Upper Extremity Conference (4 hour lecture). Orlando, Florida June, 2015.
- "The Wrist". 12th Annual Teton Hand and Upper Extremity Conference (4 hour lecture). Orlando, Florida June, 2015.
- "The Elbow/Forearm". 12th Annual Teton Hand and Upper Extremity Conference (4 hour lecture). Orlando, Florida June, 2015.
- "The Shoulder". 12th Annual Teton Hand and Upper Extremity Conference (4 hour lecture). Orlando, Florida June, 2015.

- Developer of UE | Applications: A resource application for the study of the upper extremity (2014-present). Presently, under review for development and deployment with the University of Florida Department of Licensing and Technology.
- “Orthopaedic Study and Cases of the Hand, Wrist, Forearm, and Elbow.” The University of Florida Occupational Therapy Program (4, 4-5 hour lectures) October, 2015.
- “Orthopaedic Study and Cases of the Hand and Wrist.” The University of Florida Physical Therapy Program (2, 4 hour lectures) November, 2015.
- “The Athletic Wrist.” The University of Florida Masters of Athletic Training Program (3 hour lecture), April, 2015.
- “Soft Tissue Mobilization of the Upper Extremity.” UFHealth Internal Continuing Education Series (2 hour lecture). January, 2015.
- “Management in Occupational Therapy.” The University of Florida Masters of Occupational Therapy Program (1 hour lecture), 2014.
- “The Practice of Hand and Upper Extremity.” The University of Florida Masters of Occupational Therapy Program (1 hour lecture), 2013.
- “Scapulothoracic and Scapulohumeral Exercises Based on Electromyographic Studies” American Society of Hand Therapy Webinar Series.
- “Therapeutic Exercises of the Shoulder: 10 Key Exercises and Considerations.” Teton Hand and Upper Extremity Conference, February, 2010.
- “Therapeutic Exercises of the Elbow: 10 Key Exercises and Considerations.” Teton Hand and Upper Extremity Conference, February, 2010.
- “Therapeutic Exercises of the Wrist: 10 Key Exercises and Considerations.” Teton Hand and Upper Extremity Conference, February, 2010.
- “Outcome Scores: What Do They All Really Mean? What are the Benefits of Routine Clinical Use.” Advances in Hand Therapy: Surgeon’s and Therapists Working Together. May, 2009.
- “Practice Management.” Advances in Hand Therapy: Surgeon’s and Therapists Working Together. May, 2009.
- “Building a Hand Therapy Practice within an Organization.” Teton hand and Upper Extremity Conference, January, 2009.
- “Operations Management: Software Tools to Employ Tomorrow.” Teton Hand and Upper Extremity Conference, January, 2009.
- “Salient Anatomy.” Electives in Hand Surgery, February, 2008.
- “Shoulder Impingement.” Electives in Hand Surgery, February, 2006.
- “Do It Yourself Documentation.” American Society of Hand Therapist Annual Meeting, 2006.
- “Management Beyond the Numbers.” Combined American Society of Hand Therapist Annual Meeting, 2005.

- “Productivity: Who Cares! What Every Therapist Needs To Know.” American Society of Hand Therapist Annual Meeting, 2004.
- Co-author of “Adhesive Capsulitis.” American Society of Hand Therapists Assessment of the Shoulder, 2004.
- 2004 Co-recipient of The Burkhalter Award for best presentation, Florida Hand Society Meeting, May, 2004.
- Recipient of the Dr. Paul Brand Award for best therapy presentation, Teton Hand Conference, February, 2004.
- “Functional Outcomes Following Volar Plate Fixation of Distal Radius Fractures.” Forty-five minute platform presentation: Teton Hand Conference, February, 2004.
- “Lateral Epicondylitis: A Therapist’s Perspective.” Thirty minute platform presentation: Teton Hand Conference, February, 2004.
- “Flexor Tendon Injuries.” Platform presentation University of Florida Hand Fellows Meeting, June, 2003.
- “Productivity: Who Cares!” Fifteen minute platform presentation, Florida Hand Society Meeting: May, 2003.
- “The Shoulder.” One hour University of Florida Shands Hospital Continuing Education, February, 2003.
- Successful Completion of Certified Hand Therapist Exam-November, 2001.
- 2000 Georgia Hand Therapy Recipient of VP/Director Employee of the Year Award.
- 1999-2000 Guest Lecturer @ The Tifton Sports Medicine Conference. “TFCC injuries of the Wrist and “Extensor Tendon Injuries of the Hand/Forearm.”
- 1998 Georgia Hand Therapy recipient of the “Master Performer Award.”

FACULTY:

Adjunct Faculty University of Florida Occupational Therapy Program: Applied Kinesiology—January 2016-present.

Guest lecturer @ The University of Florida Masters of Athletic Training Program 2015.

Guest lecturer @ the University of Florida Occupational Therapy Program 2013-present.

Selected for the Item Writer Committee for the Hand Therapy Certification Examination 2006-2008.

Guest lecturer @ The University of Florida Physical Therapy Program. Lecture series on anatomy and pathology of the elbow and wrist 2002-2004.

Guest Lecturer @ The Medical College of Georgia Occupational Therapy Program. “Functional Anatomy and Pathologies of the Upper Extremity; Splinting of the Upper Extremity.” 1997-1998.

WORK EXPERIENCE:

10/2001-Present

Site Manager, UFHealth Hand and Upper Extremity Center, Gainesville, Florida

--Personally responsible for the treatment of a diagnostically diverse caseload of upper quadrant injuries. Responsible for the personnel management of eight therapists, three rehabilitation aides, and two front office representatives. Daily leadership duties include, though are not limited to, the coordination and management of operational flow, capacity and financial analysis, budgeting, and the measurement of performance and production data. Educational obligations include ensuring a clinical standard of excellence and providing clinical education to staff and students as well as didactic lectures at the University of Florida therapy programs. Coordinate local continuing education conferences for Shands Rehab Conference Series.

1/2009-Present

Student Clinical Educator

--Responsible for training Fieldwork Level I and II occupational therapy students.

1997-10/2001

Education Coordinator, Georgia Hand and Upper Extremity Center, Macon, Georgia

--Responsible for hand and upper patient care, student instruction, fieldwork coordination, and a rigorous 12- 30 patient/day caseload. Position also involved annual and periodic professional presentations and supervision of Georgia Hand Therapy clinic in the absence of the Director.

1995-1996

Assistant Director of Wellness, Drayson Center, Loma Linda, California

--Responsible for physical fitness testing and personal weight and fitness training.

TECHNICAL:

- Developer Practice Management software application of hand and upper extremity clinics. Software includes management of: patient scheduling, calendaring, vacation requests, insurance demographics, patient demographics, patient-rated questionnaires, customer satisfaction surveys, daily clinical documentation, discharges, charges, finances, staff meetings, and daily operational data.
- Developer of Shands Hand and Upper Extremity computerized documentation system version 1.0 (written in FileMaker Pro version 5).
- Developer of Shands Hand and Upper Extremity computerized documentation system version 2.0 (written in FileMaker Pro version 7 & 8).
- Proficient in Microsoft Word, Excel, Power Point
- Competent File Maker Pro Databases
- Competent Access Databases
- Competent with relational database

CERTIFICATIONS/SPECIAL TRAINING:

- CPR certification
- Certified Hand Therapist
- Completed Training Course in the Blankenship Functional Capacity Evaluation System
- FileMaker Pro Database trained

REFERENCES:

Available upon request.