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An Overview of Emergency Response in Adaptive Sports

This 1-day course is intended for athletic trainers, physical therapists, physicians, other rehabilitation professionals, educators, and students. Featured speakers from various levels of competition in adaptive sports will discuss similarities and differences in incidence, injury, evaluation, and care of athletes. Lab time will include hands-on training in acute injury and illness, equipment removal, spine boarding and allow students to become more familiar with the equipment.



Wednesday, February 14, 2024 — 7:30am-4:45pm
Mass General Brigham Headquarters in Assembly Row
399 Revolution Dr, Somerville, MA 02145

Registration and Fees

Physicians: \$395
AT/OT/PT/RN/Physician Residents: \$295
Other Rehab Specialists: \$195
Recreation Therapists, Adaptive PE
Teachers, Coaches, and Community
Advocates: \$95
Students: \$55

Information for parking can be found [here](#)

**Register by scanning
the QR code or
by visiting:**

www.cogentsteps.net



**Deadline for registration is
January 31, 2024**

Agenda

7:30am	Check In
8:00am	Welcome
8:05am	Keynote Speaker
8:35am	Communication Considerations
9:00am	Primary Assessment & Lab
10:00am	Secondary Assessment & Lab
11:00am	Integumentary System & Lab
12:00pm	Lunch on your own
12:45pm	MSK Considerations & Lab
1:45pm	Head Trauma & Concussion
2:45pm	Equipment Familiarization & Spine Boarding Lab
4:00pm	Final Panel Q&A
4:25pm	Closing Remarks

*Please join us afterward for a casual
networking, location TBD*

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Agenda & Scheduled Presenters

- 7:30am Check In: Light refreshments provided by Mike's Pastry
- 8:00am Welcome: Shelly Weinstein, PT, EdD, ATC
- 8:05am Keynote Speaker: Cheri Blauwet, MD
- 8:35am Communication Considerations for Athletes with Intellectual Disability/ Impairments: Katie Lucas, PT, PhD
- 9:00am Primary Assessment & Lab: Jess Tidswell, PT, ATC
- 10:00am Secondary Assessment & Lab: Mike Uihlein, MD
- 11:00am Integumentary System & Lab: Jim Murdock, ATC
- 12:00pm Lunch on your own: see link below
- 12:45pm MSK Considerations & Lab: Amber Donaldson, PT
- 1:45pm Head Trauma & Concussion: Kelcie Wittman, PT
- 2:45pm Equipment Familiarization & Spine Boarding Lab: Leads: MeMe Earnest-Stanley, PT, ATC & William Stewart, ATC w/ lab assistants
- 4:00pm Final Panel Q&A
- 4:25pm Closing Remarks, William Stewart, Northeast Passage
- 4:40pm Informal Networking: TBD

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Thank you to Bill Stewart and the Team at Northeast Passage (<https://www.nepassage.org/>) for the adaptive equipment used today

For those PTs attending CSM, recommend group Uber or mass transit via the Boston system will take between 38-45 minutes from the Convention Center to Assembly Row: [CSM Convention Center to Assembly Row](#)



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