

Pediatric Foot & Ankle Deformity Management with Serial Casting: Why & How



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October 26-31, 2020 (1 SEAT LEFT) • OR • November 2-7, 2020 (4 SEATS LEFT)

A PRIVATE TUTORIAL FOR SIX - LOCATED IN SENSATIONAL TELLURIDE, COLORADO



Who Should Attend: Physical therapists, certified orthotists, physicians in physical medicine & rehabilitation, & pediatric orthopedists. (Sorry, no PTAs or orthopedic techs.)

Maximum Enrollment: 6

Location: Telluride, Colorado • www.visittelluride.com

39.25 contact hours! Inquire about CEUs at admin@gaitways.com

Tuition: Early Registration: \$1650

After October 18, 2020: \$1800

Team Discount: \$150 each from same facility

Shared condo lodging for 7 nights: See details below.

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Your Registration includes the following:

- A comfortable and supportive learning environment – 6 attendees, 1 instructor.
- Complimentary access to two webinars for pre-course review: *Legs & Feet: A Review of Musculoskeletal Assessments* (revised 2015) and *Foot Talk* (2009) – supplemented with the use of a loaner flexible foot bone model.
- A 5-piece assessment tool kit
- An illustrated handout of lecture slides in color and supplemental readings: >400 pages in a ring binder
- An illustrated handout of assessment procedures, posting instructions, and cast fabrication procedures
- A USB thumb drive loaded with relevant, topic-specific reference lists and readings
- Supplies for casting and posting labs
- Food & beverages: breakfast & 2 breaks/day + 2 'working' dinners on premises.
- A museum of below-knee casts and orthoses
- An option to become certified as a TheraTogs Fitter at Level I at no extra cost
- On-site attendee discounts on purchase of posting supplies to take home and get started.

Lodging: We have arranged for attendees to stay together as a group during this course. It is an intense learning experience, and the companionship of colleagues to both study and play during the off-hours is always a bonus. Attendees will stay in one of two condo units at The River Club (www.theriverclub.com): the "residential only" unit (\$600), or the "course condo" unit (\$500), where the course takes place in the great room (and the kitchen). The lodging fee covers your housing for 7 nights:

Session 1: arrive Sunday, October 25, 2020 | depart Sunday morning, November 1, 2020

Session 2: arrive Sunday, November 1, 2020 | depart Sunday morning, November 8, 2020

Travel: We recommend that you fly into Montrose, Colorado (MTJ), a scenic 90-minute drive from Telluride. A rental car is not advised: parking is very limited at The River Club, and at a mere 8 by 12 blocks, the town of Telluride is completely walkable, and there is a free in-town shuttle loop. We recommend you reserve a seat on the Telluride Express shuttle to and from Telluride in advance. Given the potential for travel changes, we strongly recommend that you purchase refundable or changeable tickets – just in case. Progressive GaitWays is not liable or responsible for travel and transportation costs.

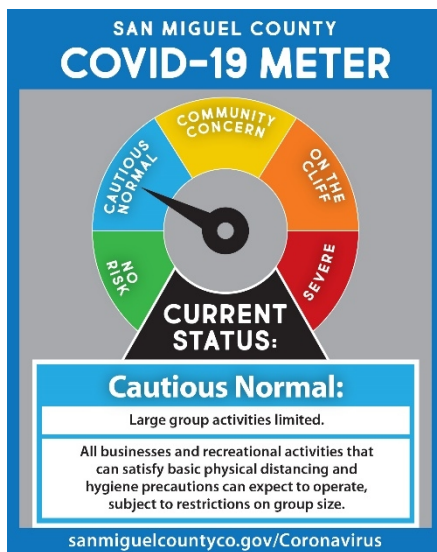
COVID-19 • PANDEMIC CONSIDERATIONS

Here are the factors we're working with:

When the April 2020 courses had to be cancelled, we selected course dates in late October and early November – Telluride's off-season - to keep your housing costs low. Off season is a time of peacefulness in Telluride – no summer crowds, no ski crowds... no crowds, period. All of which reduces the risk of COVID exposure from the community, or from the lower numbers of visitors from out of town.

We reserve 2 spacious condos – each with 3 bedrooms, and each bedroom with its own bathroom. Due to the off-season scheduling, the River Club facility is typically nearly vacant during our courses; we don't expect it to be any different this fall.

We hold the course in the largest condo in the facility, and can arrange seating to keep attendees apart. We know we cannot separate you during foot assessment and casting labs, but we will provide face masks and gloves, keep the space well-ventilated, and practice careful vigilance and cleaning protocols.



Telluride is located in San Miguel County – 8,000 residents spread over a 1,289 square miles region. The county's public health team does an excellent job of reporting on COVID-19 test results, cases, and trends, and has been on top of things since February. The state, as well as the town of Telluride itself, is strict about wearing face masks, and even with the resumption of limited tourism our incidence of positive test results has dropped to zero in 2 of the last 3 weeks. Today's status, for example, is "Cautious Normal":

Please do have a look at the 2 links on this government website: <https://covid-19-sanmiguelco.hub.arcgis.com/> - the meter and the dashboard – so you can assess your risks regarding attending the course this fall.

To state the obvious, we honor all directives regarding protection, social distancing, and meeting practices.

If we can provide any further information regarding the public health situation here in San Miguel County, please feel free to contact us:

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