

BECKMAN ORAL MOTOR ASSESSMENT AND INTERVENTION® COURSE

12TH - 13TH APRIL 2023 (WED & THUR)

by

Mr. Stephen Chan

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About the Workshop

Oral motor impairment presents a variety of challenges for both the individual affected, and for the care team providing intervention. Often the individual experiencing oral motor difficulties is not able to follow commands. The person may not be eating or taking fluids orally, which reduces the opportunities for observation of oral movement patterns. The majority of baseline protocols currently available require at least minimal direction-following skills. **The protocol developed by Beckman uses mechanical muscle responses, which are not mediated cognitively, to baseline the response to pressure and movement, including range of movement, variety of movement, strength of movement and control of movement for the lips, cheeks, jaw and tongue.**



In this two-day course, participants will actively participate in **hands-on practice** for compensatory handling techniques for the following concerns: **tonic bite, tonic bite on an utensil, slow oral transit, tongue thrust, cough, gag and vomit**. The **participants will complete an oral motor protocol with each other, analyze the results, and discuss data tracking. Participants will also complete hands-on practice for specific oral motor interventions to address deficit areas discovered** during baseline assessment.

About the Speaker

Mr. Stephen Chan is an Occupational Therapist whose experience in learning the Beckman Oral Motor Protocol was started by staying two weeks at Debra Beckman's Clinic at Florida, US in 2005. In the same year, he learnt the protocol formally from the 2-days Beckman Oral Motor Assessment and Intervention Course in San Jose of US. After that, Stephen completed his Master dissertation with Beckman Oral Motor Protocol on treating drooling in students with severe intellectual disability. Stephen Chan also completed a project funded by Quality Education Fund (project no.: 2004/0140) on educating parents for oral motor intervention with multimedia.



Mr. Stephen Chan had worked in a special school and applied the Beckman Oral Motor Protocol to children with severe intellectual disability and cerebral palsy. He is also experienced in using this protocol in clinic for people with feeding problems and developmental disabilities (e.g. autism, developmental delay, etc.).

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Course Objectives

Participants will:

- Demonstrate assessment battery for determining oro-facial movement patterns using the Beckman protocol.
- Demonstrate compensatory handling techniques.
- Demonstrate oral motor interventions and treatment techniques

Language

Mainly in Cantonese, supplemented with English

***Course materials are available in English only**

Date, Time & *Venue

12th – 13th Apr, 2023 (Wed & Thur)

9:30am – 5:00pm (Lunch will not be provided)

CREST Child Rehabilitation & Education Service Team

Room 706, Peninsula Tower, No. 538 Castle Peak Road, Kowloon, HONG KONG.

(About 5 mins walk from MTR Lai Chi Kok Station, Exit B1)

*Venue is subject to change. In case if onsite teaching is not preferred due to COVID-19, the teaching format will be changed to online live meeting. CREST Child Rehabilitation and Education Service Team reserves the right on final decision.

Target Participants

Hong Kong Licensed Occupational Therapists AND Speech and Language Pathologists/Speech Therapists Only

Seat Availability

24 seats

Link for Registration

<https://cresthk.typeform.com/to/TVEUTTnX>



SCAN TO REGISTER

Course Fee & Deadlines


Early Bird registration by 8th Mar, 2023: **HK\$4,900** (including course materials)

Standard registration by 29th Mar, 2023: HK\$5,500 (including course materials)

Certification

Upon 100% attendance, participants are awarded the Certificate of Completion by Beckman & Associates, Inc. After the completion of the course, participants' name can be listed (optional) on the website <http://www.beckmanoralmotor.com>.

Remarks

- Participants will be working with the fragile tissues of the oral area; for safety reasons, **therapeutic nail length** is a must.
- To learn more about the course, please visit the website: <http://www.beckmanoralmotor.com>
- The website for downloading the application form: www.crest.hk/beckman
- The Apps for filling up the form with your mobile: "Adobe Fill & Sign" 
- For any enquiries, please feel free to contact Miss. Charlie Lee or Mr. Stephen Chan at (852) 3628 3443 or info@crest.hk.

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Registration & Payment

For Local Applications:

- By Cheque:

Payable to “**CREST Child Rehabilitation and Education Service Team**”

*Please **put down YOUR FULL NAME and COURSE NAME on the back of the cheque:**

“To: CREST Child Rehabilitation and Education Service Team

Room 706, Peninsula Tower, No. 538 Castle Peak Road,

Lai Chi Kok, Kowloon, Hong Kong (SAR)”

- By Automatic Teller Machine (ATM) / Online Transfer:

Bank / Account No.: **HSBC / 634-388821-838**

Bank Account Name: **TSRCL T/A CCR&EST**

FPS ID: **8919052**

*Please **put down YOUR FULL NAME and COURSE NAME on the bank advice slip or transaction screenshot and upload it to your online registration form.**

Terms & Conditions

(i) Notification:

Notification will be sent individually through email **within a week** once your application and payment are received.

(ii) Confirmation:

The confirmation will be sent individually through email by **22nd Mar, 2023** for early-bird registration and **6th Apr, 2023** for standard registration.

(iii) Teaching Format:

In case if there are any changes to the current COVID-19 situation, CREST Child Rehabilitation and Education Service Team reserves the right to switch the teaching format to virtual live streaming through online platform. Notification will be sent to participants 2 weeks before the course dates and the course materials will be sent to participants by post in that case and free delivery of materials is provided. The official certificate will be sent by email in this circumstance.

(iv) Receipt:

- Official receipt will be distributed on the first day of the course; if there is a change to the teaching format, the receipt will be sent along with the course materials packet;
- HK\$500 administrative fee will be needed if:
 - a. re-issuing receipt with returning of original receipt, or
 - b. certified true copy of receipt is requested.

(v) Re-issuing Certificate:

- For re-issuing certificate, HK\$150 administrative fee will be requested for each certificate.

(vi) Withdrawal Policy:

- No transfer of the fee to other courses or another person upon confirmation of enrollment;
- HK\$500 administrative fee will be requested if written request for cancellation is received on or before **29th Mar, 2023**. Refund will NOT be arranged after that day.

(vii) CREST Child Rehabilitation and Education Service Team reserves the right on final decision on enrollment, changing time, venue and contents and cancellation of the course due to unforeseeable circumstances.

(viii) If the course has to be cancelled or postponed due to unforeseeable circumstances, participants will be put on the name list of the next Beckman Oral Motor Course.

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Feedbacks from Previous Course Participants

The demonstration is clearly illustrated and explained. The compensatory feeding techniques and case studies discussion was very useful.

ST (Aug, 2021 Class) (Onsite Presentation)

The course was well-organised. The course materials were comprehensive and informative (both printed materials and videos). Course instructor delivered information and explained clearly.

OT (Aug, 2020 Class) (Virtual Presentation)

Techniques were clearly demonstrated and explained. Also enjoyed how speaker played videos of his own children to show us some of the techniques.

ST (Aug, 2020 Class) (Virtual Presentation)

The practical session provides me the opportunity to practice oral motor technique and get more familiar with the skills.

OT (Aug, 2022 Class) (Onsite Presentation)

Feel satisfied with live demonstration, provision of tools and hands on practice with immediate feedback from instructor.

OT (Aug, 2021 Class) (Onsite Presentation)

The speaker is very knowledgeable and would share some basic OT concepts, which is useful for a ST. Overall a great course. The speaker was enthusiastic about teaching. Interesting content was added (e.g. speaker's personal experiences).

ST (Aug, 2020 Class) (Virtual Presentation)

Recruitment of Lab Assistant (12th – 13th Apr, 2023 Class)

All **previous participants** who **SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED** Beckman Oral Motor Assessment & Intervention Training Course are **eligible to serve as a lab assistant** in this course.

- A lab assistant:
- attends this course for free;
 - receives a set of course material for free;
 - provides assistance to participants in the hands-on part of the course.

If you are interested in being a lab assistant in this class, please **fill in the following information clearly**, and **send this slip together with your Beckman Oral Motor Assessment & Intervention Training Certificate in soft copy** by post (Room 706, Peninsula Tower, 538 Castle Peak Road, Kowloon), fax (852-3628 5143) or email to Miss. Charlie Lee (charlie@crest.hk).

Title: Dr. Mr. Ms.

Surname: _____

Given Name: _____

Profession: OT ST

Phone No.: _____

E-mail*: _____

***Please state clearly for receiving our confirmation.**