

Stance Control Orthotic Knee [TM] Joint Qualification Courses

Abstract: For many decades, rehabilitation experts have been searching for an orthosis that will safely support a weakened or paralyzed leg without locking the knee and interfering with swing phase function. Horton's Stance Control Orthotic Knee [TM] Joint automatically engages and disengages a lock against flexion, offering the patient both stance phase security and swing phase toe clearance. Preliminary gait studies have demonstrated a substantial reduction in the energy cost of ambulation with the SCOKJ [TM] compared to a locked-knee gait.

This intensive Qualification Course will be taught by John W. Michael, MEd, CPO, FAAOP, FISPO and will include a detailed review of the sagittal plane biomechanics of normal and pathologic gait. The course is geared for the experienced orthotist who is already proficient in the provision of KAFOs. Practical instruction on selection, adjustment, fitting, and troubleshooting the SCOKJ [TM] will be presented in a multimedia format. Fabrication methods will also be discussed.

ABC or CBC Certified and State Licensed practitioners who attend the Qualifying Course and successfully complete the written examination will be Qualified to order the SCOKJ [TM]. Technicians and other interested individuals are also welcome to attend but will not become Qualified. [Those courses held at Horton's Lab will include additional information on fabrication for technician attendees.]

	Date	City / State	Venue	Host	Contact
	January 24, 2003	Toronto, ON - CANADA	SCIL Lecture Room UG76 *	George Brown College	http://www.stancecontrol.com or call 1-866-663-3970
Tentative	February 6, 2003	Atlanta, GA	Crown Plaza Ravinia *	Georgia Society of Orthotists and Prosthetists	http://www.stancecontrol.com or call 1-866-663-3970
Tentative	February 27, 2003	Seattle, WA		Northwest Chapter AAOP	http://www.oandp.org/chapters/nw/index.htm
	March 19, 2003	San Diego, CA	Sheraton San Diego	American Academy of Orthotists & Prosthetists	http://www.oandp.org/educ/semc/academy2003/
	April 19, 2003	Little Rock, AR	Horton's Orthotic Lab, Inc *	Horton Technology, Inc.	www.stancecontrol.com or call 1-866-663-3970
	June 5, 2003	Mt. Pleasant, MI	Soaring Eagle Casino & Resort	Michigan Orthotics & Prosthetics Association	Mary Ellen Kitzman 248-615-0601
	July 19, 2003	Little Rock, AR	Horton's Orthotic Lab, Inc *	Horton Technology, Inc.	www.stancecontrol.com or call 1-866-663-3970
Tentative	September 18 - 20, 2003	Chicago, IL	Academy Advanced Training Seminar	American Academy of Orthotists & Prosthetists	http://www.oandp.org/educ/semc/atc/atc0903.htm
	October 11, 2003	White Plains, NY	Rye Town Hilton	New York State Chapter AAOP	http://www.oandp.org/chapters/ny/index.htm
Tentative	October 21, 2003	Reno, NV	Reno Hilton	American Orthotic & Prosthetic Association	http://www.aopanet.org/meetseminar/assembly/reno.shtml
	December 6, 2003	Little Rock, AR	Horton's Orthotic Lab, Inc *	Horton Technology, Inc.	www.stancecontrol.com or call 1-866-663-3970

* May register for Q Course only, if desired

For Registration information, visit our website at www.stancecontrol.com, or call 1-866-663-3970.

Tuition - Practitioner = \$295.00 Technician = \$100.00

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