

Webinar Information Sheet

Webinar Title: “The Ankle: The Biomechanical Marvel”

Course Description: "Ever wonder why your client just cannot get their form down in various exercises? Or why they still have knee and hip problems even though you have been working with them for months? It may not be what you think. The ankle is often ignored as a potential cause of biomechanical dysfunction in other areas of the body, and now it is time to rethink this. This amazing workshop will help you learn to identify ankle stability, mobility, and neuromuscular deficiencies and how to correct them leading your client to feel better and move better. A “can’t miss” workshop!

Learning Objectives:

- After viewing this webinar, you will be able to:
 - Analyze the movements of the ankle and assess how it affects motion for other joints of the body
 - Know and address how the significant number of ankle injuries in the general population can lead to numerous injuries and dysfunction
 - Explain the difference and reasons behind certain footwear and whether it is appropriate or not
 - Design an individualized program to help improve the function of the ankle with good neuromuscular control, stability, flexibility, and mobility exercises
 - Understand the importance of combining myofascial release methods with proper stretching to enhance ankle mobility

Target Audience: Fitness Professionals, Strength & Conditioning Specialists, ATs, PTs, PTAs, LMTs.

Schedule and Format: Self-paced recorded webinar.

Registration Fees: \$20.00

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Course Developer Credentials:

Chris Marino, M.S., CSCS

Chris is a strength and conditioning specialist in private practice in the metro Philadelphia area. With almost 10 years experience in all aspects of fitness Chris specializes in training clients with chronic

orthopedic conditions and those who have been released from physical therapy following joint replacement, surgery or injury. Chris is the owner of "Marino's Body Shop," a personal training management company located in southeastern PA specializing in Boot Camps for different fitness levels. Chris is certified by the NSCA, ACSM, and ACE and is experienced in functional training, core conditioning and advanced exercise techniques for athletes and recreational athletes. Chris joined our faculty in 2001.

Course Presenter Credentials:

Laura Abbott, M.S., LMT

Laura Abbott is an NCTMB certified and Georgia licensed massage therapist having graduated from Academy of Somatic Healing Arts in Atlanta, GA. She earned her undergraduate degree in Exercise Science and her Master's Degree in Sports Medicine from Georgia State University, and she interned in the Emory University Cardiac Rehabilitation Department and at the Georgia Institute of Technology Athletic Department. Laura worked with Federal Occupational Health training and educating Federal Law Enforcement officers and traveled around the country presenting continuing education programs for many years. She has been quoted in Ladies Home and was a featured speaker for the Speaking of Women's Health Expo for 2 consecutive years and she has presented at the National American College of Sports Medicine conference. Laura currently teaches in the Kinesiology and Health department at Georgia State University and is a guest speaker at Atlanta area massage schools and at the Georgia State University Physical Therapy department. Since 1991 she has owned and operated Premier Performance, Inc. in Atlanta, specializing in exercise and massage therapy. She is the author of the book, *Massage Therapy Review: Passing the NCETMB and NCETM* published by McGraw-Hill and available on Amazon.com. Laura joined our faculty in 1996.

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