Equilibrium Throughout the Life Span: New Horizons for Audiology

INTRODUCTION

The evaluation and non-medical management of balance disorders in children and adults is an exciting and growing opportunity for audiologists to participate in this important aspect of health care services. This presentation highlights the most common conditions throughout the life span from neonate to geriatric and includes an evidence-based clinical pathway model of gold-standard evaluation protocols and management strategies.

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LEARNING OUTCOMES

You will be able to:

- identify common balance disorders affecting individuals throughout the life span
- identify evidence-based diagnostic protocols for balance assessments of rotation testing, VEMP, vHIT, and postural stability
- describe non-medical management for balance disorders within the scope of practice of audiologists (e.g., canalith repositioning, vestibular rehabilitation therapy, etc.)

PROGRAM HISTORY and IMPORTANT INFORMATION

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