



To: CME Coordinator
From: The Office of Harvey Barnett, Ph.D.

Re: Pediatric Grand Rounds Presentation

Attached please find the stated objectives for the Pediatric Grand Rounds presentation titled, *A Behavioral Approach to Pediatric Drowning Prevention*. More information on this presentation can be found by visiting <http://www.infantswim.com> or by ordering an informational DVD through the Seal Store tab on the infantswim.com website.

Also attached is a copy of the curriculum vitae for Dr. Barnett.

Upon your review, should you wish to schedule a presentation, please contact us at schedulecme@infantswim.com

A Behavioral Approach To Pediatric Drowning Prevention

Educational Objectives

1. To recognize that drowning and near drowning represents a very significant tragedy in the United States.
2. To gain a perspective as to why the past and current strategies have not been effective.
3. To learn the components of an effective and comprehensive drowning prevention strategy.
4. To understand what an active role a pediatrician can assume in drowning prevention.

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Personal

Married, 2 children Austin, 24 years, Ashleigh 28 years

Education

1978 Ph.D. University of Florida (Psychological Foundations)
1973 M. S. University of Florida (Psychology)
1971 B.A. University of Florida (Psychology with Honors)
1967 A.A. Brevard Community College (Academic & College Honors)

Employment

1999-2008

Consultant Safe Start USA

Recipient of generous grant from Dr. P. Phillips Foundation to implement community wide drowning prevention program throughout the Central Florida YMCAs.

1966-Present

Founder, Infant Swimming Resource

Infant Swimming Resource is a behavioral approach to pediatric drowning prevention for infants and young children. It involves the application of operant conditioning principles together with relevant psychological/medical protocols to affect aquatic survival behaviors in infants and young children. The ISR technique has taught over 170,000 infants and young children lifesaving aquatic skills. Over 750 ISR students have used their skills to save themselves from a definite drowning situation. ISR also offers a comprehensive instructor training program.

1972- 2007 Founder and Director, Infant Swimming Research

Infant Swimming Research is the adaptation of the Infant Swimming Resource technique to accommodate infants and young children with Special Needs. Over 2,500 children have participated in the program since 1972. Infant Swimming Research has also developed and tested a comprehensive instructor training program.

2002-2004 Adjunct Professor, University of Central Florida
Learning Theory

1980-1981 Adjunct Professor, University of North Florida
Special Education Aquatic Physical Therapy for Infants and Young Children

1978-1980 Assistant Professor, Cleveland State University
Curriculum and Foundations, Special Education

1975-1978 Graduate Research Assistant, University of Florida
Institute for the Development of Human Resources
Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of Florida
Principles of Behaviorism, Learning Theory, Child Psychology, Human Growth and Development

1974-1975 Instructor, East Tennessee State University
Psychology Department
President, Precise Behavior Analysis, Inc
Director, Precise Learning Laboratory

Presentations (medical)

Care of the Sick Child Conference - Faculty- College of Medicine
Florida State University, Arnold Palmer Medical Center Foundation
Orlando, Florida, 2008

Pediatric Grand Rounds- Atlanticare Regional Hospital
Atlantic City, New Jersey, 2008

Pediatric Grand Rounds- Arnold Palmer Hospital for Children
Orlando, Florida, 2007

Pediatric Grand Rounds- Wolfson Children's Hospital
Jacksonville, Florida, 2007

Pediatric Grand Rounds- Northwest Oro Valley Medical Center

Tucson, Arizona 2007
Pediatric Grand Rounds- St. Mary's Children's Hospital,
Tucson, Arizona, 2007
Pediatric Grand Rounds- University of Arizona,
Tucson Medical Center, Tucson, Arizona 2007
Pediatric Grand Rounds- Shands Hospital, University of Florida,
Gainesville, Florida, 2006
Pediatric Grand Rounds- University of Miami Medical School,
Miami, Florida 2005
Pediatric Grand Rounds- Shands Hospital, University of Florida
Gainesville, Florida 2001
Pediatric Grand Rounds- Phoenix Children's Hospital,
Phoenix, Arizona 1998
Pediatric Grand Rounds- Denver Children's Hospital,
Denver Colorado 1996
Pediatric Grand Rounds- Holmes Regional Medical Center,
Melbourne, Florida 1996
Pediatric Grand Rounds- San Diego Children's Hospital,
San Diego, California 1995
Pediatric Grand Rounds- Arnold Palmer Hospital,
Orlando, Florida 1992
Pediatric Grand Rounds- Orlando Regional Medical Center,
Orlando, Florida 1991
Pediatric Grand Rounds- Wolfson Children's Memorial,
Jacksonville, Florida 1990
Pediatric Presentation- American Academy of Pediatrics Conference
Orlando, Florida 1990
Pediatric Grand Rounds- Orlando Regional Medical Center,
Orlando, Florida 1989
Pediatric Grand Rounds- All Children's Hospital,
St. Petersburg, Florida 1985
Pediatric Grand Rounds- Good Samaritan Hospital,
West Palm Beach, Florida 1982
Pediatric Grand Rounds- Orlando Regional Medical Center,
Orlando, Florida 1982
Pediatric Grand Rounds- Baptist General Hospital,
Jacksonville Florida 1980

World Congress on Disabilities,
Speaker, " Infant Swimming Research, 1972-2003 "

TASH, The Association for the Severely Handicapped,
National Conference, Speaker, “ A Longitudinal Study The Benefits
of Aquatic Exercise for the Child With Special Needs ” 1980.

United Nations International Year of the Disabled Person- 1980