



Evaluation of Social Interaction training course (ESI)

Royal College of Occupational Therapists, London
Tuesday 24 – Thursday 26 April 2018

OUTLINE OF ESI



The ESI is an evaluation tool used by occupational

therapists to assess a person's social interaction performance within the context of everyday occupations that involve social interaction.

ESI is based on similar principles to the AMPS and School AMPS, but the person is observed in two tasks that involve social interaction. The range of things you can observe are nearly unlimited - chatting over a meal or coffee, playing with others, talking with sales personnel. It all depends on the types of social interactions that are relevant and, ideally, identified as "problematic". It can be used with children in schools, clients with a wide range of disabilities, and well older adults.

The Event

Organised by AMPS UK and Ireland, Evaluation of Social Interaction (ESI) training comprises of a three-day course. It is uniquely an Occupational Therapy Assessment:

- Focus on what the person wants and needs to do
- Observation during occupational performance
- Interaction within the real context of social occupation
- Observation of the person and his/her typical social partners

Who is the event for?

It is suitable for occupational therapists working in all fields including children, adult physical rehabilitation, neurology, mental health, learning disabilities and challenging behaviours. Find out more on the ESI website:

www.innovativeotsolutions.com/tools/esi

Learning outcomes:

At the end of the 3-day training course, participants will:

- Have a theoretical foundation for using the ESI to promote client-centered and occupation-based practice
- Know the process for administering the ESI with clients 2 years old through to adulthood
- Explain how social interaction supports engagement in all areas of occupation and is relevant for occupational therapy
- Administer, score, and interpret the ESI in a reliable manner
- Use the ESI methodology to assess a person's functional ability
- Use the ESI to plan and guide occupational therapy intervention (direct and consultative)

Registration fees

BAOT member £650.00

Non-member £850.00

- Please see the application form overleaf for details of how to secure and pay for your place
- Registration fee includes a delegate pack, lunch and refreshments
- Should you require more information before applying call 0207 450 2337 or email Events&Exhibitions.Officer@rcot.co.uk
- Please note that all applications and payments must be received by Monday 9 April 2018

Following the course delegates need to achieve rater reliability and calibration which involves follow up testing of 10 people and submitting for approval. It should be noted that if rater reliability is not achieved another 10 cases may then be submitted. If a delegate is still not successful they will need to take the course again. More than 95% of delegates achieve rater reliability.

CLOSING DATE FOR BOOKINGS: MONDAY 9 APRIL 2018



This event can help you to meet the HCPC standards for CPD

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