

PRACTICAL PAEDIATRICS
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Date: 24th & 25th April 2010

A weekend course for Osteopaths covering the practical approach to treating children.

The course will run from 9AM - 5PM Saturday & Sunday.

Susan will draw on her 30 years experience and research into various modalities which have helped her build a library of information on how to treat difficult cases.

The course will include:

Patient / Practitioner Awareness

Developmental Assessment and Osteopathic approaches to treatment of children.

Palpation Skills; Observing the space from which to treat; relevant in Autism, Cerebral Palsy and Learning Difficulties, amongst others.

The Emotional component and the effects of Shock

Cost \$500.00 includes lunch and refreshments.

Limited Space available.

The course is suitable for Osteopaths comfortable in working with the IVM, an interest in the biodynamic approach to treatment would be useful.

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The course will be held at Pacific Health Centre, 168 Annette St. Toronto ON
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Course Outline

This course is intended to help you improve your skills in treating children, each person will explore their own relationship with the IVM and how to expand this to facilitate treatment.

Initially we will explore patient/practitioner awareness, i.e. where you are coming from and how to understand the five phenomena and the interfaces between them. The main aim for treatment is for the patient to achieve a Neutral and result in automatic shifting towards Health so we will explore ways of facilitating the achievement of the neutral.

We will look at Primitive reflexes and their retention and the resultant dysfunction; including how to assess if such reflexes are retained and relevant treatment. Here we will look at some of the embryological development, time frames, and how to work with the plasticity of the CNS.

We will move on to the emotional / intuitive in treatment, including Shock and its effects.

Finally through case histories we will look at some of the more specific incidences of Developmental Delay, Autism, ADHD, Cerebral Palsy, and appropriate treatment.

Susan Allen D.O. M.S.C.C

A graduate of the 1977 British school of Osteopathy.

Early post grad training was with the SCTF faculty, including, Rollin Becker, Alan Becker, Harold Magoun, Anne Wales and James Jealous.

She is a founding member and lecturer of the Sutherland Cranial College, the post graduate school in the UK.

She is a former Foundation for Paediatric Osteopathy Consultant, the M.Sc Paediatric Osteopathy program in the UK.

This course is a distillation of her approach combining 35 years of Osteopathic experience in both clinical and teaching situations.