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Detailed course notes, lunch, morning and afternoon tea included.

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# The Hand: Assessment and Differential Diagnosis

**Presenters:** **Sarah Mee** (Hand Therapist), Clinical Specialist Chelsea and Westminster NHS Trust, London, UK.

**Date:** **27<sup>th</sup> July 2009**

**Time:** 8.30am – 4.30pm

**Venue:** **Comfort Inn Robertson Gardens, 281 Kessels Rd, Robertson**

**Numbers Limited. Please Register early to avoid disappointment.**

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## WORKSHOP OUTLINE

This workshop will help the therapist to gain detailed knowledge of palpation and differential diagnosis of the hand and wrist. We will review the anatomy of the hand. Differential diagnosis will be discussed as well as specific provocative testing for each area of the digits, hand and wrist. This course is suitable for both Physiotherapists and Occupational Therapists working in private practice or community settings treating traumatic hand injuries and common acquired conditions. This course is suitable for therapists of varying experience.

### WORKSHOP CONTENT

#### Morning

The anatomy of the following areas of the hand will be discussed:

- Fingers and thumb
- Palm
- Wrist and forearm

Observation and palpation of the hand - practical session

Practical assessment and discussion with provocative testing will include traumatic and acquired conditions of:

- The PIPJ
- Differential diagnosis within the digits
- The thumb

#### Afternoon

Practical assessment and discussion with provocative testing will include traumatic and acquired conditions of:

- The palmar area
- The wrist and forearm

## FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT:

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#### CANCELLATION POLICY:

N.E.S Hand Therapy Training and Ben Cunningham reserve the right to cancel the workshop if minimum attendance numbers are not achieved. In such an event all monies will be refunded to registrants. No refund will be provided when a registrant withdraws less than 7 days prior to the course. Substitutes are accepted with prior consultation with course organisers.

## ABOUT THE PRESENTER

Since specialising in hand therapy, from a base of OT, 20 years ago, Sarah has worked in 4 regional hand units in the UK. Now a clinical specialist in London, she has an extended scope role running hand practitioner clinics, triaging GP and acute hand trauma patients for conservative or surgical management, as well as carrying a complex clinical caseload. The workload is a mix of plastics and orthopaedics with 80% trauma and 20% being acquired hand conditions. She has worked with the team in developing a generic hand therapy team of 15 OT's and PT's who share skills and work holistically.

Sarah is a partner in a teaching business – N.E.S Hand Therapy Training - which runs regular validated courses for the British Association of Hand Therapists and a variety of one day courses nationally and internationally. (See website for more details – [www.neshands.co.uk](http://www.neshands.co.uk))