

Visual Dysfunction as an Interference in Motor Control for Children with Cerebral Palsy

About the Speakers

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Course Text (4 hours granted)

Video Clip Part 1: Using Flipper Lenses 69 sec.

Video Clip Part 2: Visual Pursuits..... 45 sec.

Video Clip Part 3: Using Prism Lenses to Assist Organization in
Standing and Stepping.60 sec.

Video Clip Part 4: Example of Visual Midline Shift Syndrome..... 45 sec.

Total Time Granted: 4 Hours/ .4 CEUs