Your Instructor:
Beverly H. Moskowitz, DOT MS OTR/L FAOTA is the author of multiple publications, and she strives to teach other therapists how to implement AOTA best practices, time-saving strategies, and progressive IDEA ideals while ‘keeping the fun going’. In 2015, she was inducted as a Fellow into the American Occupational Therapy Association.

Dates & Locations ›
- Monday, May 11, 2020
  NYC – Hotel Pennsylvania
- Tuesday, May 12, 2020
  Cedarhurst, NY YILC

Target Audience
Introductory Level School-based OTs, OTAs, teachers, assistants, parents or providers working on writing skills.

Educational Credits
6 contact hours
Approved for 6 contact hours by NYSED’s State Board for PT.
Approved NYSED CTLE provider. Sponsor ID #23746
Application has been made to NJBPTE for CE credit approval.

COURSE DESCRIPTION REGISTRATION IS LIMITED.
The Size Matters Handwriting Program is an embeddable, effective, measurable & proven way to teach printing. Learn the Key Concepts & implementation options to build teacher buy-in & student carryover across all content areas. Discover how to use SMHP for push-in collaboration, pullout therapy, stand-alone curriculum, Center, Home Program, Handwriting Club, & Response to Intervention. Accommodate students with learning differences.
As a concept-driven approach to teaching and remediating handwriting, SMHP requires minimal to no materials. Using vocabulary from grade-level texts, SMHP students write language that is meaningful & authentic. Additionally, children are empowered to self-monitor & peer mentor. SMHP focuses on letter sizes versus letterforms. When students correct errors in letter size, an immediate difference is made in the consistency & readability of the page. In fact, in the largest research study done on handwriting, students in the SMHP intervention groups showed change scores at a .001 level of significance. And in a comparison of 9 curriculum-based handwriting programs, SMHP was concluded best for classrooms for which the primary goal is legibility. Registration is limited.

COURSE OBJECTIVES
At the conclusion of the course, participants should be able to:
- Cite handwriting research and SMHP evidence
- Identify & explain Key Concepts
- Describe strategies to implement SMHP in various settings and treatment models
- Identify and list supportive SMHP therapy materials
- Discuss data collection, including Screening, Assessment, goal writing and Progress Monitoring
- Identify concepts and strategies to accommodate different learners

COURSE SCHEDULE
8:00-9:45  Introduction, Research on Handwriting
         SMHP Evidence!
          8 Key Concepts
9:45-10:00  Break
10:00-11:30 Implementation Options: Push-in Collaboration, Pullout Therapeutic Intervention,
            Stand Alone Curriculum
            Accommodations
11:30-12:15  Lunch
12:15-1:45  Implementation Options (continued):
            Centers with Lab
            Home Program, Handwriting Clubs
            Strategies Before, During and After
            Response to Intervention
1:45-2:00  Break
2:00-3:15  Data - POVS, Intake, Progress Monitoring
            Interpretation & Goal Writing
            Questions and Answers

REGISTRATION INFORMATION
Cost: ______$305.00* Early Discount | ______$330.00 • Location (Circle one): NY | LI
*Early registration must be received 21 prior to seminar
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Address: ___________________________________________ City: __________ ST: ______ Zip: ______
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