

Course Overview / Syllabus

Course Title: Brain or Strain? Post-injury evaluation of concussion vs cervical whiplash.

Summary: Chiropractic Physicians are often the first-person patients will turn to after a motor vehicle collision or other trauma involving their head or neck. The symptoms of cervical whiplash injury/strain may be similar to presenting complaints of a traumatic brain injury/concussion. This course is designed to offer practicing doctors a window to assess their patients to determine the most accurate differential diagnosis and appropriate course of treatment.

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Hour 1:

Review of anatomical structures involved in cervical injury and mTBI.
Mechanism of injury

Hour 2:

Overview of case history and assessment of an acute patient with cervical and/or head trauma
Examination comparison of cervical strain vs mTBI

Hour 3:

Continue with assessments and physical examination
Discussion of autonomic concomitants of whiplash and brain injury
Q&A