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Grand Valley will be offering free...did you hear that... **FREE** continuing education topics Friday, Oct. 7th from 3-5:30 pm.

Barb Hoogenboom will be presenting
“Current PT Practice-Evidence for
Physical Agents-into the Future!”

Cathy Harro will be presenting
“Issues in Community Mobility-
Beyond the FIM”



Professor Harro is a full-time Affiliate Faculty at GVSU and has been teaching courses in the neurological curriculum since 1990. She received her B.S. in Physical Therapy from the Univ. of Illinois, and her advanced M.S. from the Univ. of North Carolina-Chapel Hill with a graduate study focus on motor control and neuromuscular PT. She has more than 20 years of clinical experience in neurologic PT in a wide range of practice settings and currently contracts with Worth Rehabilitation: Spectrum Health. Cathy is a board certified Neurologic Clinical Specialist since 1992 and currently serves on the Neurology Specialty Council for the American Board of Physical Therapy Specialties, as item writer coordinator for the Specialization Exam in Neurology. She has published several papers, conducted clinical research, and presented nationally in the area of stroke rehabilitation, particularly on exercise and strength training concerns, and in the area of balance and gait evaluation and intervention in the elderly and individuals with TBI. She serves as clinical research liaison for the Pediatric and Neurologic Fellowships at Mary Free Bed and GVSU. Recently, Professor Harro attended the III Step Summer Institute entitled *Linking Movement Science and Intervention*, sponsored by the Neurology and Pediatric Sections of APTA, and is excited to share current research and practice implications with clinicians.



Ms. Hoogenboom is an Assistant Professor in the Physical Therapy Program at GVSU. She graduated from Calvin College in Grand Rapids where she received her B.S. in Biology in 1983. She then earned a Certification in Physical Therapy from Cleveland

State University in 1985. The American Board of Physical Therapy Specialties originally certified her as a Sports Specialist, and re-certified her in 2003. Barb completed a Master's degree in Health Science, with a study cognate in Adult Education, in 1997 at Grand Valley State University. Currently, she is pursuing a doctorate in Educational Leadership (ABD) with a cognate in curriculum, through Eastern Michigan University. She maintains a clinical practice in Sports Physical Therapy through RehabPros at their GRSports Clinic and through service in GVSU PT Program pro-bono clinics in the area. She also serves the APTA Sports Physical Therapy Section on the Executive Committee as Secretary. Ms. Hoogenboom has contributed to the literature by articles, research/case reports. She is a frequent presenter locally, nationally, and has presented internationally.

Dinner (\$15 fee) and roundtable discussions will be available immediately following. Topics may include DPT Curriculum, current legislative issues in MI, POPTS, and any other of your choice.

This is an opportunity you don't want to miss! To reserve your spot contact www.gvsu.edu/pt for more details, email **Susan Allaben** at allabens@gvsu.edu or **Carol Rappley** at rappleyc@gvsu.edu, or call 616-331-3356.