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OPAF Courses approved for Continuing Ed Credits for PTs

June 29, 2017 – Charlotte, North Carolina – OPAF's First Stride and First Things First Trainings and Clinics have been approved for five continuing education credits for physical therapists in 36 states. The approval came through Pro Cert. First Stride is an educational and hands on experience for all therapists to learn more about an introduction to gait for lower limb amputees. First Things First offers classroom and clinical experience in falls and recovery. Both clinics are offered by OPAF & The First Clinics exclusively under the direction of Chris Doerger, PT, CP.

To see if your state is included in the approved locations, please call the OPAF office. For more information on how you can host a First Stride or First Things First Training and Clinic for your referral sources and for your patients, call 980-819-9404. OPAF continues to seek out ways to bring together members of the rehab team to benefit those with physical or mobility challenges.



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About OPAF: Serving as the philanthropic arm of the US orthotic and prosthetic community, the Orthotic & Prosthetic Activities Foundation (OPAF), develops, implements, partners and hosts adaptive recreational clinics for those with physical challenges. The First Clinics are recognized as leaders in adaptive recreation. Whether this is the first time a participant is trying an activity after illness, injury or episode or the first time they are ever trying, First Clinics offer top notch adaptive instruction specifically for them. Founded in 1995 to support the Paralympic Games in Atlanta, OPAF & The First Clinics have moved forward to offer introductory level adaptive recreation opportunities to everyone, not just the elite athlete. For more information on OPAF and The First Clinics, visit www.opafonline.org.