## Outline

### PRINCIPLES OF MYOFASCIAL CUPPING

- Movement, mobility, and motor control - Movement Pyramid framework
- · Fascial anatomy/physiology
- Physiological/neurological effects of cupping techniques
- Current literature related to cupping techniques
- Blood flow, fascial gliding, and the nervous system
- · Indications, contraindications, and application safety

## SKIN/FASCIAL SCREENING (60 minutes) 🖖 Hands-On Lab

### FUNDAMENTAL CUPPING TECHNIQUES AND **TREATMENT STRATEGIES**

- Direction and pressure
- Decompression/compression forces
- External/internal glide methods
- Graded exposure techniques
- Sensory-motor retraining Integrating corrective exercise

## 🖐 Hands-On Lab

### **APPLYING CUPPING EFFECTIVELY**

- Upper extremity and arm fascial chains
- Lower extremity and leg fascial chains
- Core, trunk, lumbopelvic regions, and long fascial chains
- Hip, trunk, rib cage, diaphragm, and neck Condition-specific applications
- Progression and regression protocol

## 🖖 Hands-On Lab

**CASE STUDIES AND PROBLEM SOLVING** 



## Who Should Attend

- Physical Therapists/PTAs
- Occupational Therapists/OTAs
- Athletic Trainers
- Massage Therapists
- Personal Trainers

## What to Bring

Yoga mat or massage table (if applicable)

## What to Wear

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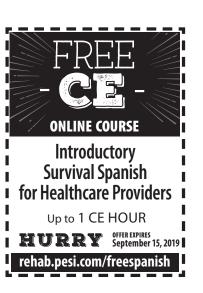
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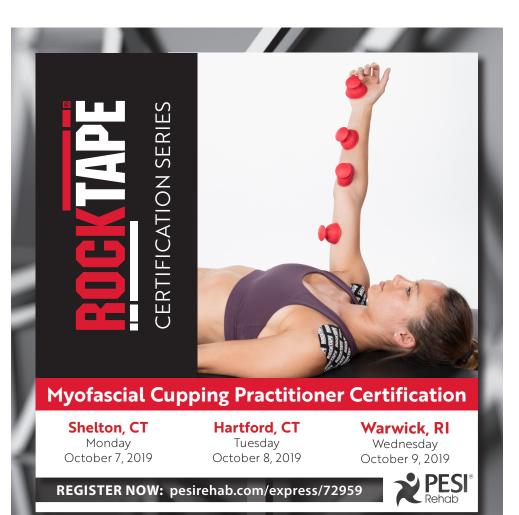


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## Speaker



## JOSEPH LAVACCA, PT, DPT, OCS, CFSC, FMS, FMT-C, SFMA,

is an experienced outpatient orthopedic clinician who graduated from Sacred Heart University with his Bachelor of Exercise Science Degree in 2008, and his Doctorate of Physical Therapy in 2010. He also has certifications in movement screens for both the FMS and SFMA, Functional Strength Coaching, as well as Fascial Movement Taping and Performance Movement Techniques through RockTape. Dr. LaVacca is an Orthopedic Clinical Specialist and has experience in Maitland-Based Manual Treatments, Instrument-Assisted Soft Tissue Mobilization, Kinesiology Taping, and movement assessment/

performance screening. He is a nationwide speaker and frequently teaches healthcare practitioners about Kinesiology Taping and Movement Assessment Principles.

Speaker Disclosure

Financial: Joseph Lavacca is the owner of Strength in Motion Physical Therapy. He receives a speaking honorarium from PESI, Inc. Non-financial: Joseph Lavacca has no relevant non-financial relationship to disclose.

## Objectives

- Review the principles of myofascial cupping and supporting evidence.
- Describe the physiological and neurological effects of cupping.
- Demonstrate how to apply cupping for best results.
- Compare and contrast common cupping techniques and review indications/contraindications for each.
- Demonstrate how cupping techniques can be combined with corrective exercise to improve pain, sprains/strains, swelling, tendinopathies, and more.
- Develop cupping applications based on your assessment/treatment approach and the individual needs of your patient



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