

**MGH PT and OT SERVICES CLINICAL EDUCATION PROGRAM  
LEARNING STYLE QUESTIONNAIRE**

1. Are there different times during the day at which you feel you are more alert and learn better?

- Yes, best is morning  , afternoon  , evening  , other
- Yes, but difficult to predict
- No, little variation most days

2. Do you feel you retain the most when you have instruction in.....

- Fairly long continuous blocks (greater than 1 hr. ) without interruptions
- Short bursts (less than 1 hr.)
- Fairly long continuous blocks (greater than 1 hr.) with short breaks (10-15 min.) in between

3. Do you feel you learn better when.....

- "Under pressure" with specific goals & deadlines
- Under some pressure with general goals & flexible deadlines
- Without pressure but, with general goals & flexible deadlines
- Under a relaxed atmosphere without goals or a time frame in mind

4. When performing a new task do you prefer to .... ( check all that apply)

- Co-treat with your CI/mentor
- Treat on your own with CI/mentor observing from a distance
- Problem solve with CI/mentor before performing task
- Problem solve with CI/mentor while performing task
- Problem solve with CI/mentor after performing task

5. When learning something new do you prefer to .....

- Learn the theory & completely understand it before working on the practical aspects
- Learn the theory & have a general understanding before working on the practical aspects
- Learn the theory after working on the practical aspects

6. What types of feedback seem to be most helpful?

- Constructive feedback from instructor or other clinician
- Positive feedback from other staff members

- Seeing practical results directly related to your performance
7. What is your experience in developing a set of goals for yourself? Check those which apply to you
- I have discussed goals and have experience writing them  
 I have discussed goals but have never actually written them  
 No experience
9. On a scale of 1 to 10 ("10" being most helpful), rate how each of the following contribute to your comprehension & retention of information.
- Reading  
 Hearing  
 Seeing demonstrations, diagrams  
 Feeling  
 Active participation
10. Visualization is a technique people use to learn a new task. Are you able to visualize an activity and proceed to apply it to various situations?
- Can perform the activity mentally and can apply it  
 Can perform the activity mentally but have difficulty applying it  
 Can not do this to any practical degree  
 Have not tried this technique
11. How often do you use supplemental reading material to facilitate your clinical performance?
- Daily  
 Weekly  
 Monthly  
 As appropriate
12. What words best describe you?
13. What enhanced your learning with previous CI's/mentors?
14. What hindered your learning experience with previous CI's/mentors?
15. What classes did you like best in school? Why?

16. What classes did you like least? Why?

17. Is there anything else that you would like to share with us as we plan for this experience?