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Ripening the Fruit: Gestational Care and Support of Mother and Child with Traditional Chinese Medicine

with Dr. David A. Bray, CMD, D.Ac., Dipl. C.H. (NCCAOM)

Focusing on gestational care and support, this exciting workshop is the first of its kind! Most fertility lectures focus solely on conception, but ignore the remaining nine months. Dr. Bray addresses this gap, teaching how to help sustain the healthy progression of a normal pregnancy. Utilizing TCM theories in embryology and fetal development, Dr. Bray will teach the easy and practical use of herbology and acupuncture to enhance maternal health during pregnancy to benefit the mother and developing baby. Postpartum care and support will also be covered.

This is the first of a series of workshops, and will be the prerequisite for future workshops on TCM approaches/strategies for pathological or abnormal conditions that can arise during pregnancy.

October 30-31, 2010
Calgary, Alberta

9:00am - 5:30pm

Delta Bow Valley Hotel
Downtown Calgary
209 4th Avenue SE

SPECIAL ROOM RATES AVAILABLE
FOR REGISTRANTS

13 CEUS TOTAL

Day One - Saturday, October 30th

We will begin by learning to identify potential threatened miscarriage and its management and treatment with sound TCM protocols. We will then proceed to establish a theoretical sequential framework of fetal development, in accordance with TCM theory. We will study the physiological and energetic changes that occur during gestation in order to develop appropriate treatments to enhance maternal and fetal health. Emphasis will be placed on using a sequential approach to treatment, utilizing standard TCM formulae and acupuncture protocols.

Day Two - Sunday, October 31st

We will continue with the study of gestational support from the previous day, and then address preparing for childbirth. Postpartum care and considerations will be studied, as well as restoration of reproductive potential for subsequent pregnancies.

Gestational conditions that may impact pregnancy will be the core subject of a subsequent workshop.

Instructor Biography

Dr. David A. Bray trained at and graduated from the Guangzhou University of TCM in 1980 in the People's Republic of China. He later completed his post-graduate specialist studies in TCM Gynecology at Henan Regional Hospital in Changsha.

While maintaining a busy private practice, David has become a sought-after educator and clinician. He passionately conveys his extensive knowledge of Chinese medicine based on his clinical experience and his familiarity and fluency with Chinese culture and language. As an author, editor and proofreader for many texts, his contribution to the profession of Chinese medicine is reflected in his work for the development of the profession in North America. He is active as a consultant in the development of regulatory and educational standards for TCM.

David has been a student and instructor of Chinese internal martial arts and therapeutic exercise for over 30 years.

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Registration Form

Prerequisite:

Please note this is TCM-based course and is suitable only for practitioners who are familiar with TCM Pattern differentiation, TCM herbal formulations and standard acupuncture protocols.

Cancellation Policy:

\$50 fee before September 30, 2010

50% refund on course fees between September 30 - October 14, 2010

No refund on course fees after October 14, 2010

YES! I am aware of the cancellation policy and I would like to register for this course.

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- Early bird (before September 24, 2010) \$375.00 + 5% GST = \$393.75
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