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Pediatric Occupational Therapist Cris Rowan presented  
**“Diminishing Returns?” workshop** on May 27, 2009  
for teachers and OT’s in Yellowknife, NT

## *What did the participants have to say?*

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
The workshop objectives were clearly stated	58%	28%	14%		
The workshop was well organized	58%	42%			
The workshop was just the right length	58%	42%			
The instructor was well informed	58%	42%			
The workshop materials were useful	58%	42%			
The workshop objectives were achieved	58%	42%			

### What was the most valuable thing you learned in the workshop?

- Specific ideas to help kids move with purpose.
- Practical ideas for creating areas in classroom and easily found materials.
- Specific strategies for incorporating movement in the classroom. Touch & movement make learning easier.
- Dominance factors.
- Ideas for setting up classroom to help kids zone in.
- Medical piece re: ADHD (treated) for aggressive kids.

### Was there anything not covered in the workshop that you felt should have been?

- No!
- Not sure.
- Would you consider a slight discount for those who pre-register? - Would you consider a slight discount, one time offer, on your products for those who attend your workshops?

### How could this workshop have been better or more helpful?

- Probably more time to talk to others in the group.
- More Canadian stats on literacy levels.
- Not sure.
- Watching students in actual classroom using the Zone-O-Meter and how the students use the Zone material.

Would you recommend this workshop to others? If not, why not?

- Yes, definitely!
- Yes.
- Yes!
- I would recommend this to every early childhood worker so that they could understand the importance of movement.

Any other comments?

- Thanks so much Cris! This was a great workshop which gave me LOTS of food for thought. I have 2 small to do lists—I'll start small and then hopefully build up! My class next year will look different for sure. Keep up your good work!
- The workshop was good. Thanks!
- Enjoyed all of your sessions Cris. Lots of great information and ideas. I have lots to take away and take into my school.
- Brilliant and valuable info. Snacks – hotel could offer fresh fruit, veg, cheese or crackers rather than just pop and crackers (less sugar and more healthy choice).
- Thanks for all the valuable information to help promote success with our daughter! Knowledge is power. I now feel like I am Superwoman, and an informative advocate. See you on Oprah. Aboriginal Games: Check out Sport North's website.
- Cris, I think that you are fabulous! I wish that you were giving the Early Intervention Workshop. (Hopefully next time!) Thank you so much for all of your ideas and amazing knowledge! I will email you the company that I ordered the wooden wobble maze boards.