

LECTURE SERIES PRESENTED BY
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Department of Occupational Therapy

Unlock Your Brain's Potential

Marco Rodriguez, OTR

CEO, M&D Legacy, PLLC dba Transformations Rehabilitation Services

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12:00 p.m.

Schools of Health Professions / Nursing Building, Quad 1.102

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Space is limited, Please RSVP to shpevents@UTMB.EDU

Brown Bag Lunch Lecture



Marco Rodriguez is an Occupational Therapist and Chief Executive Officer for M & D Legacy, PLLC and Transformations Rehabilitation Services in El Paso, Texas. Mr. Rodriguez is also on the Board of Directors for the Autism Society of Texas at El Paso. He is an established Speaker in the region and is best known for his lecture series entitled, “**Unlock Your Brain’s Potential**”, that emphasizes the use of **Neurofeedback**, **Nutrigenomics** and the art of **Edification** to improve and enhance cognitive brain function. Mr. Rodriguez is recognized for being a pioneer and key figure in the region for shifting the general perception for children diagnosed as neurologically atypical and developing outpatient rehabilitation services for corrective, therapeutic treatment.

A graduate of The University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston School of Health Professions in 1992, Mr. Rodriguez is our 2018 Distinguished Alumnus. He is also the recipient of the Commitment to Quality Award for his leadership in the development of the first EHR for Tenet Corporation’s network of over 30 inpatient rehab hospitals, nationwide. He was one of 5 nationally recognized professionals to participate in this endeavor. In 2011 Marco received his ENTRY-LEVEL certification as a neurofeedback practitioner. In 2012 he received certification as an alpha-theta neurofeedback specialist. And in 2013 he was certified as an infra-low frequency neurofeedback practitioner from the EEG institute, Woodland Hills California. He’s currently working toward becoming a licensed nutritional coach. In 2012 he received the Latino American who’s who recognition for his achievement in advancing the culture of the Latin American Business community. In 2013 Mr. Rodriguez founded M&D Legacy and Transformations Rehabilitation Services, an outpatient rehabilitation facility dedicated to serving children diagnosed as neurologically atypical such as ADD/ADHD and Autism. Since then, his practice has expanded and now provides services to people with physical disabilities, as well.

M&D Legacy, dba Transformations Rehabilitation Services is an outpatient rehabilitation clinic dedicated to serving the community by addressing the physical, psychosocial, emotional and spiritual needs of patients and their families, with the most comprehensive, evidence-based, and cutting edge treatment and intervention strategies available. Current services offered include Occupational Therapy, Neurofeedback Therapy and Speech & Language Pathology. Patient populations served include ADD/ADHD, Autism Spectrum Disorder, PTSD/other anxiety disorders, Traumatic Brain Injury, Stroke, Chronic Pain, Personality Disorders (OCD, ODD etc), Emotional Disorders (Depression etc), Somatosensory Disorders, Language Disorders, Feeding and swallowing disorders, orthopedic injuries, and peripheral nerve injuries.

In the past 5 years Transformations has proudly served over 950 families and is quickly becoming the number 1 outpatient rehab facility in west Texas and southern New Mexico. As a philanthropist, Mr. Rodriguez has provided over \$1million dollars of therapeutic services to families unable to pay for services. Transformations Rehabilitation is recognized as a premier facility and partners with UT-El Paso, Occupational Therapy Program, Anamarc College, Pima Medical Institute, Western New Mexico University, Vista College as well as several other out of state universities.