



Occupational Therapist Fast Facts

Your journey to finding your path

- Evaluate clients' conditions by reviewing their medical history, interviewing them, and observing them perform various tasks
- Develop and implement treatment plans that have specific activities to help clients work toward their goals
- Help clients relearn and perform daily living tasks, such as teaching a person who has had a stroke how to get dressed
- Demonstrate exercises—for example, stretching the joints for arthritis relief—to help relieve clients' pain
- Evaluate a client's home, school, or workplace to identify potential accessibility improvements, such as labeling kitchen cabinets for an older person with poor memory
- Educate a client's family about how to accommodate and care for them
- Recommend special equipment, such as mobility aids and eating aids, and instruct clients and families on how to use it
- Assess and record clients' activities and progress for client evaluations, billing, and other purposes

Requirements:

- Masters degree in Occupational Therapy
- State licensure

2023 Median Salary is \$98,760

12% job demand increase estimated between 2022-2032

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