

Rehabilitation Services

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PERSONAL PROFILE

I am a duly qualified occupational therapist registered with the College of Occupational Therapists of Ontario (COTO), a member in good standing with the Ontario Society of Occupational Therapists (OSOT) and possess professional liability insurance through the same. I earned my Master of Science Degree in Occupational Therapy from McMaster University. I have experience in the assessment and treatment of various acquired and congenital injuries and illnesses including orthopedic and neurological injuries of both catastrophic and non-catastrophic nature. I am a recognized evaluator with the Canadian Society of Medical Evaluators for Catastrophic Determination (Functional Observer) having successfully completed the C-CAT certification course in September 2018 and have been performing catastrophic assessments since that time. I have been accepted as an expert witness with the Licence Appeals Tribunal. I am a registered authorizer with the Assistive Devices Program in Ontario and am registered with Blue Cross as a provider for Veterans Affairs Canada. I continue to engage in professional development through attendance at in-services and conferences, and through reviews of literature.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Abilities Rehabilitation & Counselling Services Occupational Therapist

May 2019 - Present

- Assessing clients' cognitive, emotional, and physical capabilities using both informal and standardized assessment methods
- Registered with the Canadian Society of Medical Evaluators in the completion of catastrophic assessments (C-CAT [FO])
- Completion of Medicolegal Reports
- Experience in the completion of documents required for insurance or medicolegal purposes (i.e. Form 1, OCF-18, OCF-3, OCF-6 etc.)
- Completion of Insurer Medical Examinations
- Registered Authorizer with the Assistive Devices Program (ADP)
- Providing in-home treatment including cognitive skill building, ADL and return to work retraining, equipment prescription, strategy training, as well as community re-integration
- Maintaining clinical notes and progress reports according to COTO standards
- Confirmed as an expert witness at the Licence Appeals Tribunal
- Providing therapy services through Veterans Affairs Canada

Source Rehabilitation Services Inc.

January 2016 - May 2019

Occupational Therapist

- Assessing clients' cognitive, emotional, and physical capabilities using both informal and standardized assessment methods
- Registered Authorizer with the Assistive Devices Program (ADP)
- Providing in-home treatment including cognitive skill building, ADL retraining, equipment prescription, strategy training, as well as community re-integration
- Maintaining clinical notes and progress reports according to COTO standards
- Experienced in the completion of documents required for insurance or medicolegal purposes (i.e. Form 1, OCF-18, OCF-3, OCF-6 etc.)
- Completion of in-home assessments to assess environmental accessibility, need for assistive devices and required support, as well as to establish the current functional status of each client
- Completion of Insurer Examinations and Medicolegal Reports
- Experience providing to treatment to client's receiving services from WSIB and their LTD providers

North East Community Care Access Centre Occupational Therapist

2014 - 2016

- Provide therapy to individuals within the community with various medical conditions, assessing their essential transfers, mobility, ADLs, and safety in their home
- Assess and recommend mobility aides through the Assistive Devices Program
- Obtain funding for patients for assistive devices through various organizations
- Work within a multidisciplinary team: nursing staff, social workers, dieticians, speech language pathologists, occupational therapists, physiotherapists, and rehabilitation assistants

EDUCATION

McMaster University, Hamilton, ON

2012 - 2014

Master of Science in Occupational Therapy

- Recipient of the Northern Studies Book Award upon graduation
- Recipient of the First Nations Post-Secondary Education and Training Bursary

Brock University, St Catharines, ON

2007 - 2011

Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Applied Linguistics

- Graduate with First Class Standing and scholarship recipient
- Varsity athlete 2007-2009

ADDITIONAL PURSUITS AND CERTIFICATIONS

- Member in good standing the College of Occupational Therapists of Ontario (COTO)
- Registration in good standing with the Ontario Society of Occupational Therapists (OSOT) and holder of professional liability insurance through the same
- Accredited evaluator with the Canadian Society of Medical Evaluators related to Catastrophic Determination (Functional Observer) in September 2018
- Completed the Montreal Cognitive Assessment certification course in June 2020

- Occupational Therapy Preceptor with the Northern Ontario School of Medicine
- Occupational Therapy Preceptor with Queen's University, McMaster University, and the University of Ottawa
- Applicant Assessor for the Northern Ontario School of Medicine
- Completion of training in the Canadian Falls Prevention curriculum in May 2015
- Participant in the Indigenous Children's Health Symposium in March 2014
- Completion and certification in First Aid and CPR training