

## VIRTUAL

### DATE AND TIME

Tuesday, October 15, 2024  
5:00pm – 6:30pm

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### Workload in School-Based Practice:

### What Is It? Why Does It Matter? (1.5 PDUs)

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*Moderator: Lisa Test, OTD, OTR, FAOTA*

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- Have an opportunity to engage in robust discussions regarding workload.
- Become familiar with resources and tools available related to workload.

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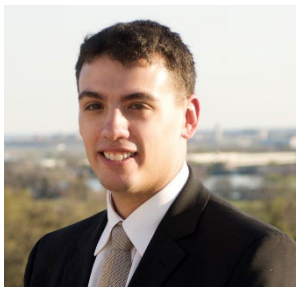
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### ABOUT OUR PRESENTERS



**Abe Saffer, MPM**, is the senior legislative representative for the American Occupational Therapy Association (AOTA). He has been with the Association for almost eight years, and oversees

its education and workforce policy, as well as Medicaid school-based services. He has over 15 years of experience having worked in advocacy and lobbying for Congress and the Maryland General Assembly, a Fortune 500 healthcare company, several non-profits, and has managed state and local campaigns. He received a Bachelor of Science in political science from Arizona State University and a master's in political management from The George Washington University.



**Jennifer Sato, MA, OTR/L**, has been an occupational therapy practitioner with the Los Angeles Unified School District (LAUSD) since 1999 and has been a senior school therapist since 2006. As part of her supervisory role, Sato provides clinical

support to staff assigned to the sensory integration therapy rooms, assists with program development, manages staffing assignments and oversees the assessment libraries. Sato received a Bachelor of Science in physiological science from UCLA and a Master of Arts in occupational therapy from the University of Southern California.



**Lisa Test, OTD, OTR/L, FAOTA**, is the co-chair of the OTAC School-Based OT Credentialing Subcommittee and is in private practice. She has over 30 years of experience working in California public schools.

With professional interests in children with developmental disabilities, sensory integration, autism, play, and school-based practice, she is recognized as a leader in occupational therapy possessing extensive experience in the delivery of interventions for children with disabilities.



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