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March 19 & 20, 2016

Crowne Plaza San Diego
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Check out these Symposium highlights!

- **More than 45 sessions.** Tracks include Acute Care/ICU, Adults, Management, Mental Health/Wellness, Pediatrics/School-based, Physical Disabilities, Private Practice, Students, and more!
- Student Track/Discount (lunches and reception not included)
- Saturday OTAC Town Hall Lunch with Legislative and Regulatory Updates (included with Saturday registration)
- Saturday Legislative Reception (separate fee)
- Sunday Networking Lunch (separate fee)



Dates to Remember

Cut-off time is 8:59pm PST unless otherwise noted.

- February 16** Hotel room reservation deadline (\$139/night)
- February 26** Early bird registration deadline (8:59pm PST)
- February 26** Deadline for "2-for-1" discount
- March 7** Deadline to request registration refund
- March 7** Advance conference registration deadline (8:59pm PST); must register on-site after this date. Fees increase.

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Program Schedule

SATURDAY & SUNDAY OVERVIEW

8:00am	Registration Desk Opens
9:00am – 12:00noon	Education Sessions
12:00noon – 1:15pm	Lunch Break
1:30pm – 4:30pm	Education Sessions
5:00pm – 6:00pm	Legislative Reception (Sat)

SATURDAY, MARCH 19, 2016

- 8:00am**
Registration Desk Opens
Be sure to visit the informational tables for Advocacy/Political Action, Membership Information, and more.
- 9:00am-11:00am**
Pusher Syndrome: A Review of the Evidence (2 PDUs)10
Jessica Kersey, MS, OTR/L (NV), CBIS; Jennifer Weaver, MA, OTR/L (NV), CBIS
This session will discuss the current understanding of the pathophysiology of Pusher Syndrome, with a brief review of etiology and prognosis. Multiple outcome measures and intervention strategies will be discussed in detail.
- 9:00am-11:00am**
Strategies for Dealing with Challenging Behaviors (2 PDUs)11
Valerie S. Adams, MA, OTR/L
Noncompliance or challenging behaviors should never be a reason to dismiss a child from occupational therapy. Participants will learn specific strategies for increasing compliance during treatment sessions.
- 9:00am-11:00am**
Integrated Behavioral Health, Serious Mental Illness, and Occupational Therapy (2 PDUs).....12
Deborah B. Pitts, PhD, OTR/L, BCMH, CPRP
This session will provide an introduction to integrated behavioral health in primary care serving persons labeled with serious and persistent mental illness, including federal regulations regarding the new Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinics (CCBHC).
- 9:00am-11:00am**
Starting a Private Practice: Everything You Always Wanted to Know (2 PDUs).....13
OT Shark Tank Series
Steve Barbour, MA, OTR/L
Want to start an occupational therapy practice? What legal and professional challenges will you face? In this session you will learn how to launch a private practice. Topics will include creation of the business plan, legal requirements and common challenges, accepting your first client and their insurance as well as branding, social media, and professional networking to grow a practice.
- 9:00am-11:00am**
Physiological Implications of Occupational Therapy Treatment and Intervention (2 PDUs)14
Keven R. Carney, OTD; Alfred G. Bracciano, EdD, MSA, OTR/L (NE), FAOTA, FAIS
Muscular force is the cornerstone of occupational performance. But what is muscular force? An investigation into how common occupational therapy interventions impact our most fundamental physiological structures may open our profession to many future opportunities.
- 9:00am-12:00noon**
ICD-10: What Do You Know Six Months After Implementation? (3 PDUs)15
Sabrina McCarley, MBA-SL, OTR/L, CLIPP
On October 1, 2015, the ICD-9 code sets were replaced by ICD-10, the 10th revision of the International Statistical Classification of Diseases. Assigning ICD-10 diagnosis codes is required under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA). Now that we are six months into the transition this course will address the challenges that occupational therapy practitioners have faced in their practice as well as solutions to correctly identify and code ICD-10.
- 9:00am-12:00noon**
Promoting Occupational Engagement through Manipulation of Consciousness (3 PDUs)16
Bernard A.K. Muriithi, PhD, OTR/L
The presentation will draw from the postulation that consciousness manifests in dynamic, controllable, overwrapping levels. Clinical examples will demonstrate that practitioners can purposefully manipulate consciousness as the means to improve occupational engagement with problematic clients.
- 9:00am – 12:00noon**
STUDENT TRACK (NO PDUS).....17
Entering the OT Workforce in Today's Environment
Brandon Seigel, CRP
You've completed the classes, internships and now about to graduate ... what's next? This presentation will uncover essential factors and help you prepare for your first career opportunity as an occupational therapy practitioner in an ever changing work environment. Come learn some tips and strategies from an employer.
- STUDENTS: PLEASE NOTE**
The discounted student rate applies to the Student Track on Saturday and any session on Sunday. Students may register for Saturday sessions outside of the Student Track at the practitioner rate.
- 9:00am-4:30pm**
Play in Urban Environments Across Ages and Abilities (6 PDUs)18
Anna Quyen Nguyen, OTD, OTR/L; Donna Ozawa, MFA, ECHM, OTS; Elisa Seidner, MA, OTR/L; Rennie Tang, BA Architecture, MS Architecture & Urban Design; Samia H. Rafeedie, OTD, OTR/L, CBIS
The occupation of play is commonly analyzed in the occupational therapy profession; however, have you thought about an occupational analysis of play through the lens of a gerontologist, architect, artist, and disabilities advocate? This is an interprofessional experience you will not want to miss!
- CONFERENCE ATTENDEE DISCLAIMER/AGREEMENTS**
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11:00am-12:00noon
Health Benefits of a Yoga-based Wellness Program (1 PDU)..... 20

Mark Petersen, OTD, OTR/L; Jeff Magallanes, OTS; Korinne Petris, OTS

This session will describe the positive outcomes—under the aspects of physical, social, and mental health—after participating in a yoga-based wellness program that incorporates self-reflection and active listening skills.

11:00am-12:00noon
Get Fine Motor Fit with Pencil Gymnastic Exercises (1 PDU)21

Jo Tennyson Samson, MA, OTR/L, CHT

Manual dexterity is an important performance component for handwriting. Pencil Gymnastics is a program developed to enhance dexterity to ready hands for tripod grip, pencil control, and letter formation. Designed by a certified hand therapist, the exercises target intrinsic and extrinsic hand muscles. The program uses music and rhythm to engage children and make the exercises playful.

11:00am-12:00noon
Sensory Strategies for Adults in Lifestyle Management Interventions (1 PDU)..... 22

Tracy Jalaba, OTD, OTR/L; Lindsey Reeves, OTD, OTR/L

Come learn how different diagnoses can impact sensory processing and sensory strategies that can be used with adults in a lifestyle management intervention to improve a person's ability to self-manage their health conditions.

11:00am-12:00noon
Understanding the Services of the California Department of Rehabilitation (1 PDU) 23

Ana Verran, MA, OTR/L, CDRS

The California Department of Rehabilitation (DOR) seeks to promote employment, independence, and equality for people with disabilities. This session seeks to raise awareness about DOR services designed to help clients achieve vocational goals and how occupational therapy practitioners can interface with the DOR.

11:00am-12:00noon
Prosthetic Solutions for Partial Hand Amputations (1 PDU) 24

Kerstin Baun, MPH, OTR/L

An overview of prosthetic options, including newest products, for individuals with partial hand amputations will be provided along with discussion of best practices for rehabilitation. Samples of prosthetic devices will enable hands-on learning.

12:00noon-1:15pm
OTAC Town Hall Lunch: Legislation and Regulation Updates!..... A

Join us for lunch and informative presentations on OTAC's recent advocacy efforts on behalf of the occupational therapy community. Presenters include OTAC President Pat Nagaishi, PhD, OTR/L, OTAC President-elect Heather Kitching, OTD, OTR/L; and Lobbyist Jennifer Snyder, MHA. Lunch is included in Saturday registration fee, except for students. Please indicate your intent to attend the lunch by circling Activity A on the Program Selection Grid on the Registration Form.

1:30pm-2:30pm
Effectiveness of Kinesiotape on Pain and Function for Carpal Tunnel Syndrome (1 PDU) 30

Donnamarie Krause, MS, OTR/L; Uchenna Ebiringah, OTS

This presentation based on an MSOT student thesis will review the results of a single blind randomized control trial on the effectiveness of kinesiotape application with extensor versus flexor forearm surface to reduce pain and increase function with adult population experiencing carpal tunnel syndrome.

1:30pm-2:30pm
Community Mobility Support and OT's Role for Autistic Individuals (1 PDU)31

Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L

This presentation will discuss the needs of autistic individuals' community mobility, with case study from presenter's experiences navigating the United Kingdom and Croatia in the summer of 2015.

1:30pm-3:00pm
Occupational Therapy Intervention for Chemotherapy-induced Peripheral Neuropathy (1.5 PDUs)32

Cynthia Cooper, MFA, MA, OTR/L (AZ), CHT

This presentation describes chemotherapy-induced peripheral neuropathy (CIPN) and demonstrates evidence-based techniques for improved sensation and function of the extremities. Attendees will learn and practice gentle exercises and activities to promote occupational competency and sensory function.

1:30pm-3:00pm
Delivering High Quality Post-acute Care: Part I (1.5 PDUs)33

Natalie E. Leland, PhD, OTR/L, BCG, FAOTA;

Karen R. Crum, OTD, OTR/L, CLT; Ally Chang, OTS

Federal policy is emphasizing value-based payment. To position practitioners for this change, we will present an overview of policy and the results from two studies that captured practitioners' perspective on high quality hip fracture rehabilitation. Part II is Session 43 at 3:00pm. Attendees may attend either or both.

1:30pm-3:00pm
Using LEGO® to Build Social Skills and Language (1.5 PDUs) 34

Sarah Yun, MA, OTR/L; Ellen Bustamante, MA, CCC-SLP

Learn about a pilot LEGO® program designed to teach social skills, enrich language, and build peer collaboration. The presentation is for clinicians to take ideas back to the clinic, classroom, or community for immediate implementation.

1:30pm-4:30pm
If You Build It, They Will "Outcome" (3 PDUs)35

Fredlyn Berger, OTR/L, SWC, HTC, C/SIPT

This presentation will share the key to utilizing an interdisciplinary team in early intervention to create optimum outcomes. Key concepts will be shared including case studies that support the secrets and pitfalls in building a successful interdisciplinary team approach.

1:30pm-4:30pm

How Well Do You Know the OT Practice Act and OT Regulation in California? (3 PDU's) 36

Patricia S. Nagaishi, PhD, OTR/L, Moderator; Elizabeth Gomes, MS, OTR/L; Denise Miller, MBA, OT/L; OTAC Lobbyist Jennifer Snyder, MHA

What is the primary purpose of the California Board of Occupational Therapy? Do you know when your OT/OTA license expires? How is occupational therapy defined in our Practice Act? Who may be granted a limited permit? Are you aware of the proposed amendments to the text for the Ethical Standards of Practice? In light of healthcare reform, advancements in technology, and societal priorities and needs, California is experiencing rapid change in the delivery of healthcare services that include increased focus on prevention, wellness, primary care, behavioral health, and habilitation; the expansion and movement toward population-based approaches; comprehensive, coordinated care and follow-up by teams; and occupation-based/functional outcomes. This also means changes in requirements for and how documentation and reimbursement are managed. For occupational therapy practitioners, this is a dynamic, complex, and paradigm-changing time that offers huge opportunities. However, we also have to be proactive and prepared to meet the challenges, and ensure that regulatory and legislative requirements and policies balance protection of the consumer and reasonable regulatory guidance for occupational therapy practice.

This panel will provide an overview of these issues, including an update on the status of proposed regulations and review of Board actions, OTAC activities related to regulatory and legislative issues, and the importance of practitioners being aware of current trends and regulations/legislation, and being actively involved in protecting our scope of practice and promoting occupational therapy's role in the changing landscape of healthcare in California.

1:30pm – 4:30pm

STUDENT TRACK (NO PDUS) 37

Social Enterprise for Water: Social and Occupational Justice

Anna Shakeshaft, OTS; Nina Handojo, OTS

This research explores Guatemala's progress on the United Nations Millennium Development Goal 7 to ensure environmental sustainability. This presentation will focus on Target 7C to halve the proportion of the population without sustainable access to safe water and investigating water in terms of occupational justice.

Including Long-duration Spaceflight in Your Life Plan: An Occupational Therapy Perspective

Meghan Busick, OTS; Amber Cote, OTS

NASA's proposed mission to Mars has serious implications for astronauts' postflight reintegration, a multifaceted process of redefining roles in the family, work, and community. This thesis project describes occupational therapy interventions to promote successful reintegration.

The Foundations of a Successful Career in OT

Sherry Hite, MOT, OTR/L

The presentation explores the foundational components essential to professional success for new practitioners. By engaging and exploring these components early in their careers, the attendees will understand how to become successful practitioners and future leaders.

2:30pm-4:30pm

Promoting Balance: Technology and Teenagers (2 PDU's) 40

Stephanie M. Foster, PhD, OTR/L; Nicole Foster

Technology makes our lives easier, faster, and helps us accomplish more. It also affects relationships, attention spans, and social skills. This workshop examines the teenager perspective regarding the importance and use of technology, along with concrete methods to promote balanced use.

2:30pm-4:30pm

The Role of OT in Psychiatric Emergency Services (2 PDU's) 41

Teresa Daugherty, OTR/L; Elisse Azofeifa, MS, OTR/L

John George Psychiatric Hospital's occupational therapy program explores the impact of an occupational therapy practitioner in psychiatric emergency service. The process of assessment, implementation, and results of an outcome study on the program's affects will be discussed.

3:00pm-4:30pm

How To Give an Effective Fall Prevention Talk (1.5 PDU's) 42

Sarah Eggen-Thornhill, OTR/L, CBIS, SWC

Occupational therapy practitioners are key providers to help prevent falls and preserve independence. This presentation goal is to train occupational therapy practitioners to deliver an effective fall prevention talk to seniors in their communities and practice sites.



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3:00pm-4:30pm
**Delivering High Quality Post-acute Care:
 Part II (1.5 PDU's)..... 43**

Heather D. Gillies, OTD, OTR/L; Jenny Martínez, OTD; Carin Wong, MS

This presentation will provide an overview of national initiatives designed to enhance patient outcomes and the results from three rehabilitation studies examining this issue from the perspectives of patient-centered care, patient diversity, and interdisciplinary collaboration. Part I is Session 33 at 1:30pm. Attendees may attend either or both.

3:00pm-4:30pm
**Here's How I Write: A Child's Handwriting
 Self-Assessment (1.5 PDU's)..... 44**

Julie Bissell, OTD, OTR/L, ATP

The presentation includes demonstration and discussion of a new handwriting tool, which examines the child's ability to self-evaluate handwriting and create child designed goals. A case study is presented.

5:00pm-6:00pm
Legislative Reception.....B

Join OTAC Region 1, OTAC leaders and OTAC Advocacy and Government Affairs Committee as they welcome an elected official (invited) and hear from them on top priorities for this very busy legislative session. Come mix and mingle after a day of intense knowledge gathering. Together, We Can! be effective advocates for our profession. Additional fee required.

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9:00am-10:00am
**Environmental Modification and Stroke:
 A Case Study (1 PDU)..... 50**

Dak Kopec, PhD, MS Architecture, MCHES, HHS

Stroke is the leading cause of serious long-term disability and requires a systematic approach to the modification of an environment that will support autonomous performance of instrumental and general activities of daily living.

9:00am-10:00am
**Assessing Occupational Needs –
 Forming Global Partnerships (1 PDU)51**

*Debbie Hines, MA, OTR/L (AZ); Lara Taggart, MS, OTR/L (AZ);
 Melissa Clark, DHSc, OTR/L (AZ), CHT*

This panel will discuss how they developed an international relationship with a Romanian elementary school and made meaning of their lived cross-cultural experience, and illustrate how occupational therapy practitioners can assess the needs of a community setting in another country.

9:00am-10:00am
**Comprehensive Automotive Mobility Solutions
 for Healthcare Professionals (1 PDU).....52**

Monique McGivney

The goal of this presentation is to provide an overall review of many of the automotive transportation solutions available to people with a mobility challenge or to caregivers who need assistance to help transport someone with a disability. It will also be helpful to individuals recommending automotive mobility equipment and services. This presentation is designed to help occupational therapy professionals understand what solutions are available and where to get more information.

9:00am-10:30am
**Mobile Computer Therapy:
 Maximizing Acute Care Goals (1.5 PDU's)53**

Douglas Rakoski, OTD, OTR/L, ATP

Technology offers endless options that practitioners can utilize to optimize treatment goals and outcomes. Specifically, computer software offers an opportunity to empower clients and promote independence by increasing participation in an acute rehabilitation program.

9:00am-12:00noon
Let's Wake Up to Sleep! (3 PDU's)..... 54

Jean S. Koketsu, MS, OTR/L

Overwhelming research on sleep suggests that it is vital to human functioning. Evidence also indicates that modern society is chronically sleep-deprived. Occupational therapy practitioners in all practice settings work with clients who are at the highest risk of sleep disturbance. Our society and clients can benefit greatly from occupational therapy practitioners who are educated on sleep, common sleep issues, and ways to address them.

9:00am-12:00noon
**Living in Place – Education and
 Assessments (3 PDU's).....55**

*Judy Delaware, OTR/L (CO); Louie Delaware, CLIPP, CAPS, ACPC;
 Erik Listou, CLIPP, CAPS, CAASH, CGR, CGP, CR, LDST*

This presentation introduces the most widely accepted program for professionals to create and maintain home environments that are accessible, comfortable, and safe. Learn the principles and importance of becoming a Certified Living in Place Professional (CLIPP). Gain an understanding of trends of designs and new products and how to network with design and building professionals to provide your clients the best possible outcome. Learn how using a standardized home safety assessment mobile app will save time, increase accuracy, and reduce liability.

9:00am-12noon
**Physical Agent Modality Research:
 Effective Application in Practice (3 PDU's) 56**

Ernie Escovedo, OTD, OTR/L, CES, CA PAM approved

This session will review principles of evidence-based practice and the hierarchy of evidence; identify important appraisal points within modality research; and explore the clinical reasoning process behind successful integration of research into practice.

Program Schedule

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9:00am-4:30pm

Occupational Therapy as a Related Service in the Public Schools (6 PDU's)57

Lisa A. Test, OTD, OTR/L; Valerie Adams, MA, OTR/L

This workshop will provide an overview of the key principles guiding school-based practice. Small group discussion and case analysis will be utilized to demonstrate understanding of assessment, goal making, and intervention using data based decision-making.

10:00am-12:00noon

Fall Prevention in the Community (2 PDU's) 60

Sabrena McCarley, MBA-SL, OTR/L; Daniel Swiatek, OTR/L

This presentation is an overview of evidence-based interventions for occupational therapy practitioners to address falls management, with an emphasis on home safety and balance assessments for high-risk populations. Relevant research will be presented.

10:00am-Noon

Paw Prints: A Unique Multisensory Handwriting Approach for Pre-K and Kindergarteners (2 PDU's) ...61

Sarah Appelman, MS, OTR/L

Paw Prints is a unique multisensory approach to handwriting. This presentation will give an overview of sensory integration and how a deficit will impact a child's performance and hindering learning. The presentation will include new innovative ideas that can be incorporated into school and home environments.

10:00am-12:00noon

Better Documentation in a Changing World (2 PDU's) 62

Elizabeth Gomes, MS, OTR/L

Learn how to break the cycle of repetitive, denial-prone documentation or working off the clock. Separate the myths of documentation from the realities and support your practice in our changing, high-pressure work environments.

10:30am-12:00noon

Pain Management: Exploring Established and Novel Approaches (1.5 PDU's)..... 63

Kerstin Baun, MPH, OTR/L

The value of occupation based treatment as part of an interdisciplinary team approach in the management of chronic pain will be presented. Attendees will engage in interactive methods to explore established and novel approaches.

12:00noon-1:15pm

OTAC Networking LunchC

Enjoy this opportunity to network with friends and colleagues during this informal networking lunch. Lunch NOT included in tuition fee. Purchase lunch in advance using the Registration Form.

1:30pm-3:00pm

Dementia: Predicting Driving Fitness with SLUMS and Trail-making Tests (1.5 PDU's)70

Debbie Ricker, OTR/L, CDT; Rebecca Buza, OTS; Jennifer Chin, OTS

Driving is an important issue to address as an occupational therapy practitioner, since one of our areas of expertise lies in assessing and addressing IADLs (Instrumental Activities of Daily Living). This course will lead you through the correlation between results of SLUMS (St. Louis University Mental Status) and Trail-making Tests. Participants will learn how to assist physicians in screening for potential driving impairments within the clinical setting when a client with dementia wants to return to driving.

1:30pm-3:00pm

Lifestyle Redesign®-inspired Program for Obesity (1.5 PDU's).....71

Leslyn Keith, OT/D, OTR/L

Occupational therapy practitioners can be an integral part of the team to combat the obesity epidemic. Improve client outcomes by providing a cost-effective evidence-based Lifestyle Redesign®-inspired program for your patients who are overweight and obese.

1:30pm-3:00pm

Optimizing Childhood Functions through Identification of Sleep-disordered Breathing (1.5 PDU's)..... 72

Nicole Archambault Besson, EdS, MS, CCC-SLP, CLEC

The critical role of occupational therapy practitioners in the screening for potential pediatric sleep-disordered breathing (SDB) will be presented. SDB impacts many functions, including academics and executive function skills, self-regulation, socialization, behaviors, and chewing and swallowing. An interdisciplinary framework will be explored.

1:30pm-3:00pm

Advocating Refugee Wellness through Occupational Therapy (1.5 PDU's)73

Donnamarie Krause, MS, OTR/L; Hannah Boelman, OTS;

Muriel Malixi, OTS

This presentation highlights an MSOT Orange County, community-based project advocating for refugee wellness through occupational therapy to empower refugees to alleviate occupational deprivation through meaningful occupational engagement. The use of video guided workshops providing education on home management and safety, nutrition, health and wellness will be demonstrated.

1:30pm-3:00pm

The CPT and RUC Process: What Is Happening to Our Codes and Why (1.5 PDU's)74

Katie Jordan, OTD, OTR/L

This presentation will provide a background on CPT (Current Procedural Terminology) codes and the RUC (Specialty Society Relative Value Scale Update Committee) process, review of claims data most utilized by occupational therapy practitioners, and developing a better understanding code values, components, and calculating payments based on code values. In addition, proposed changes to the CPT codes and how to prepare for new codes will be discussed.

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1:30pm-4:30pm

Occupational Therapy in Acute Care and the ICU (3 PDU's).....75

Mo Johnson, MS, OT/L; Jennie DiGrado, OTD, OTR/L

This presentation will demonstrate an evidenced-based, occupation-based, and experiential learning lab-like session designed to prepare entry-level and experienced occupational therapy practitioners to work in the intensive and acute care settings.

3:00pm-4:30pm

Canine Facilitated Interventions in Neurorehabilitation: The Role of a Facility Dog (1.5 PDU's) 80

Catherine Dorr, MS, OTR/L

Canine Facilitated Interventions (CFI) present an innovative opportunity for clinicians to engage patients in a highly meaningful occupation-based modality. This presentation is a hands-on approach that will address the role of a facility dog on an interdisciplinary neurorehabilitation team, as well as the need for common terminology, competencies, policies, and procedures.

3:00pm-4:30pm

Wellness as Practitioners: Embodying What We Teach (1.5 PDU's)81

Kimberly Perring Lenington, OTD, OTR/L;

Megan Armstrong, OTD, OTR/L, CLT; Andrea Sherman, OTD, OTR/L

As occupational therapy practitioners, we tend to do a better job of caring for our clients' wellness than our own. This workshop will provide hands-on practice with techniques to manage daily stress and reduce compassion fatigue.

3:00pm-4:30pm

The Treatment of Pediatric CRPS-1: A Multisystem Approach (1.5 PDU's)..... 82

Sarah Niswonger, MS, OTR/L

This presentation will review the literature and evidence supporting the role of occupational therapy on a multidisciplinary team treating the pediatric CRPS-1 (Complex Regional Pain Syndrome) population. Occupational therapy addresses the multisystem involvement in CRPS-1 by using innovative treatments and performance measures.

3:00pm-4:30pm

LGBTQIA Cultural Competency in Occupational Therapy (1.5 PDU's) 83

Angela R. Baker, MA, PhD, OTD, OTR/L, CTRS;

Kathryn S. Scheuring, MA, SLPA, OTS; Alexander J. Barajas, OTS

Occupational therapy is hindered by the lack of understanding of the LGBTQIA community. Incorporating LGBTQIA education into occupational therapy practice will foster cultural competence, meet changing demographics, and satisfy the occupational needs of the LGBTQIA community.

3:00pm-4:30pm

Creating a Collaborative Fieldwork Experience While Sustaining Productivity (1.5 PDU's)..... 84

Joyce M. Fries, MS, OTR/L

Whether you are a seasoned fieldwork educator or just thinking about supervising a student, this session will provide you with a guide for working less and getting more out of student supervision.

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Nonmembers...You all know a colleague who is a member, or two nonmembers can join together and take advantage of the "2-for-1" registration rate. So, members and nonmembers, get together and take advantage of this "2-for-1" offer.

*Student rate includes only STUDENT TRACK on Saturday and any session on Sunday.

Student rate does not include lunch on either day for students. Legislative Reception and Sunday lunch are separate fees for all.

Special "2-for-1" Registration Rate—How It Works.

Both registration forms and completed membership application form(s) must be faxed, emailed or mailed **together** to the OTAC office and reach the office no later than February 26, 2016. "New Member" means an individual who has not been a member since February 2014. Two nonmembers may join and attend together and each receives this discount. This discount is in lieu of any other incentives/rewards offered by OTAC. Students can partner with another student to qualify. OT/OTAs **cannot** partner with a student for the discount.

TWO FOR ONE

SAVE \$80!

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REGISTRATION FORM

Deadline for early bird rate is February 26, 2016 (8:59pm PST). After March 7, you must register on-site, and fees will increase.

Seating is limited. Register today.

KEEP A COPY FOR YOUR RECORDS

REGISTRANT (Please print or type.)

NAME (Last/First) _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP _____

HOME PHONE (_____) _____ WORK PHONE (_____) _____

CELL PHONE (_____) _____ EMAIL _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT NAME _____ PHONE (_____) _____

PROGRAM SELECTION GRID (Circle those sessions and activities you will attend. You may not register for overlapping sessions.)

SATURDAY, MARCH 19										SUNDAY, MARCH 20								
AM	10 2 hrs.	11 2 hrs.	12 2 hrs.	13 2 hrs.	14 2 hrs.	15 3 hrs.	16 3 hrs.	17 3 hrs.	18 6 hrs.	AM	50 1 hr.	51 1 hr.	52 1 hr.	53 1.5 hrs.	54 3 hrs.	55 3 hrs.	56 3 hrs.	57 6 hrs.
	20 1 hr.	21 1 hr.	22 1 hr.	23 1 hr.	24 1 hr.						60 2 hrs.	61 2 hrs.	62 2 hrs.	63 1.5 hrs.				
PM	30 1 hr.	31 1 hr.	32 1.5 hrs.	33 1.5 hrs.	34 1.5 hrs.	35 3 hrs.	36 3 hrs.	37 3 hrs.	PM	70 1.5 hrs.	71 1.5 hrs.	72 1.5 hrs.	73 1.5 hrs.	74 1.5 hrs.	75 3 hrs.			
	40 2 hrs.	41 2 hrs.	42 1.5 hrs.	43 1.5 hrs.	44 1.5 hrs.					80 1.5 hrs.	81 1.5 hrs.	82 1.5 hrs.	83 1.5 hrs.	84 1.5 hrs.				
ACTIVITIES		A-Lunch (additional fee for students) B-Legislative Reception (additional fee for all)								ACTIVITIES		C-Lunch (additional fee for all)						

SPECIAL NEEDS

Check here if you have special needs, including dietary restrictions, and attach a detailed description.

HOW TO REGISTER

ONLINE at OTAC's secure website www.otaonline.org

FAX if paying by credit card (916) 932-0390

EMAIL staff@otaonline.org

MAIL to OTAC, P.O. Box 276567, Sacramento, CA 95827-6567

CANCELLATIONS

\$45 retained to cover processing costs. Written notice must be received in OTAC office by **March 7, 2016** to be eligible for refunds. **No refunds after this date.**

Disclaimer: OTAC reserves the right to make changes to the program.

No refunds will be made based on these changes.

QUESTIONS?

Call staff at (888) 686-3225, or email staff@otaonline.org.

Tuition Schedule: You must fill in and check all boxes that apply or the Registration Form is not considered complete and subject to the add on fee.

	Regular	OTS Students
<input type="checkbox"/> SATURDAY & SUNDAY—REGULAR (Only Saturday lunch included. *Student rate includes only STUDENT TRACK on Saturday, any session on Sunday, and no lunches.)	\$209	\$89*
<input type="checkbox"/> SATURDAY & SUNDAY "2-for-1" RATE (Only Saturday lunch included. *Student rate includes only STUDENT TRACK on Saturday, and no lunch.)	\$129	\$59*
<input type="checkbox"/> SATURDAY ONLY (Only Saturday lunch included. *Student rate includes only STUDENT TRACK on Saturday, any session on Sunday, and no lunches.)	\$129	\$59*
<input type="checkbox"/> SATURDAY TOWN HALL LUNCH—ACTIVITY A (Included with Saturday or Sat/Sun registration fees, except for students.)	Inc.†	\$25
<input type="checkbox"/> SATURDAY LEGISLATIVE RECEPTION—ACTIVITY B	\$25	\$20
<input type="checkbox"/> SUNDAY ONLY (Lunch <i>NOT</i> included.)	\$119	\$59
<input type="checkbox"/> SUNDAY NETWORKING LUNCH—ACTIVITY C (Not included in any other registration fees.)	\$22	\$22
<input type="checkbox"/> JOIN THE \$20.17 FOR 2017 ROSE PARADE	\$ _____	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-OTAC MEMBER FEE/NEW MEMBER DUES (Must complete a membership application if you want to join us at this rate. Must not have been a member since Feb. 2014.)	\$125/OT \$100/OTA	\$50
<input type="checkbox"/> ADD ON—after February 26, 2016 (8:59pm PST)	\$59	\$39

TOTAL AMOUNT DUE \$ _____

VISA MASTERCARD AMERICAN EXPRESS

CARD # _____ EXP. DATE _____

CARDHOLDER'S NAME _____ VCODE* _____

CARD BILLING ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

SIGNATURE _____

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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION/SPECIAL - Put OTAC to work for you!

INDIVIDUAL MEMBER ONLY *Please Print or Type*

FIRST _____ MIDDLE INITIAL _____

LAST _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP _____

HOME PHONE (_____) _____

CELL PHONE (_____) _____

PRIMARY EMAIL _____

LICENSE # _____

PRACTICE AREA (See box below) _____ YEARS IN PRACTICE _____

NAME OF PERSON WHO REFERRED YOU _____

BIRTH YEAR (Optional) _____

STUDENTS ONLY

SCHOOL CURRENTLY ENROLLED _____

ANTICIPATED EXAM/GRAD DATE _____

EMPLOYER INFORMATION OF INDIVIDUAL MEMBER

COMPANY _____

DEPARTMENT/DIVISION _____

YOUR TITLE _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP _____

PHONE (_____) _____ EXT. _____

DIRECT LINE (_____) _____

FAX (_____) _____

MEMBERSHIP CATEGORY

- OT/L, OTR/L, OT (Full-time/Part-time) [\$125]
- OTA, OTA/L, COTA, COTA/L (Full-time/Part-time) [\$100]
- OT/OTA STUDENT (Full-time/Part-time) [\$50]
- ASSOCIATE (Non-OT only) [\$125]

**Your dues are paid on the Registration Form Fee Schedule.*

ANNUAL DUES*

AVAILABLE ON
SYMPOSIUM
REGISTRATION
FORM

IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT THIS OFFER!

- This membership special is for **nonmembers only**, and is valid for 12 months upon receipt of 2016 Spring Symposium Registration and this form.
- ***This membership special is only for nonmembers who have not been a member since February 2014.***
- The Membership Application special ends April 30, 2016.
- If you are a nonmember registering for Symposium, you must submit this Membership Application along with your 2016 Spring Symposium Registration if you would like to become an OTAC member.
- The "2-for-1" Discount ends February 26, 2016. This means that after February 26, 2016 you will no longer be able to take advantage of the "2-for-1" Discount (but you have until April 30, 2016 to take advantage of the Membership Application Special).
- If you are taking advantage of the "2-for-1" Discount, all participating individuals must submit all applicable forms together.
 - o If paying by credit cards, you may fax all forms to the OTAC office at (916) 932-0390.
 - o If paying by check, mail your forms to:
OTAC, P.O. Box 276567, Sacramento, CA 95827-6567
- **QUESTIONS?**
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ABOUT YOUR DUES

Contributions or gifts to the Occupational Therapy Association of California (OTAC) are not tax deductible as charitable contributions for income tax purposes. However, they may be tax deductible as ordinary and necessary business expenses except that portion which is allocated to association lobbying activities. OTAC estimates that the non-deductible portion of your OTAC dues—the portion which is allocable to lobbying—is 5%. Five dollars of your dues (except Corporate) is a voluntary contribution to OTAC's Political Action Committee and may be deducted from the amount due.

PRACTICE AREAS

- A. Academia
- B. Mental Health
- C. Pediatrics
- D. Physical Disabilities
- E. Wellness
- F. Other

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES?

YES NO