

# OTA1003 : Introduction to Occupational Therapy Assistant

This course introduces concepts of human occupation and the framework for practice and examines the role of occupational therapy in a variety of settings. Topics include history and philosophical principles, meaning of occupation, the Occupational Therapy Practice Framework: Domain and Process; Standards of Practice; Code of Ethics, current and emerging practice areas, roles of the registered occupational therapist and the certified occupational therapy assistant, evidence-based practice, credentialing requirements and professional associations.

**Credits** 3.0

**Prerequisites**

Application into the Professional OTA Curriculum; this course must be taken as a prerequisite within 2 years prior to admission in the Professional OTA Curriculum.

**Corequisites**

None