



OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY CLINICAL OBSERVATION FORM

Walsh University's occupational therapy program requires the applicant to observe occupational therapy patient care under the supervision of a licensed occupational therapist or occupational therapy assistant in **2** different locations.

- We require a total of 20 observation hours in a minimum of 2 locations.
- The applicant may observe in two different patient care locations, if available, within the same facility, e.g., inpatient acute care and outpatient. The applicant must, in such an instance, submit an observation form for each location indicating the supervising occupational therapist/therapy assistant if they are different.
- Applicants who have passed the NBCOT exam for OTA and are employed as an occupational therapy assistant are not required to complete the observation hour requirement.
- Applicants employed in an occupational therapy location in direct patient care, i.e., aide or technician, must observe in at least one other location in a different facility or facilities.
- All hours must be completed as an undergraduate student.
- **Use only one form per location—please photocopy the number of forms needed.**

Applicant to complete:

Applicant: _____ Phone: _____
Last Name First M.I.

Facility Name: _____ Facility Phone: _____

Facility Address: _____

Type of Occupational Therapy Setting: _____

Dates of Clinical Observation: _____ Hours Observed: _____

I observed or participated in the following patient care activities:

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Supervising Occupational Therapist/Therapy Assistant to complete:

I certify that the above individual completed an observation experience as noted at our facility.

Printed Supervisor Name: _____

Signature of Supervising OT/OTA _____ License Number _____ State _____ Date: _____

Thank you for your time and input in this process.