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Example of Occupational Therapist Job Description

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Our innovative and growing company is hiring for an occupational therapist. To join our growing team, please review the list of responsibilities and qualifications.

Responsibilities for occupational therapist

- The Occupational Therapist is a licensed professional who is responsible for maintaining standards of professional and ethical practice in accordance with regulatory agencies and the American Occupational Therapy Association (AOTA)
- Provide care to
- Works with the Therapy Services Director/Lead Therapist to ensure the supply of appropriate resources to support the programs, services, organizational structure and staffing levels necessary for quality rehabilitation services
- Establish treatment goals and plan of care provide treatment to restore function, relieve pain, and prevent disability
- Need to have proficient use of software systems for the maintenance of patient records and communication with team members
- Plans, organizes, and conducts occupational therapy programs to help rehabilitate those impaired because of illness, injury or psychological or developmental problems
- Tests and evaluates patients' physical and mental abilities and analyze medical data to determine realistic rehabilitation goals for patients
- Selects activities that will help individuals learn work and life-management skills within limits of their mental and physical capabilities
- Evaluates patients' progress and prepare reports that detail progress
- Completes and maintains all necessary records and documentation thoroughly, accurately and promptly

- Outpatient pediatric experience
- Certification through the National Board for Certification in Occupational Therapy (NBCOT) and a current license to practice Occupational Therapy through the California Board of Occupational Therapy (CBOT)
- Master's Degree in Occupational Therapy from an accredited institution
- Experience providing occupational therapy services to children in school settings
- Ability to travel within SF Bay Area with own transportation (mileage reimbursed beyond usual commute)
- Basic Life Support (BLS) from American Heart Association required for facilities with Automated External Defibrillator (AED) preferred for facilities without an AED