

JOB OF THE WEEK



OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST

Occupational therapists help people overcome difficulties in day-to-day activities caused by physical or mental health problems, learning disabilities, accidents or ageing. You can help people recover from things like a stroke or injury, provide people with equipment to help them carry out everyday tasks, help them

Skills

- ✓ Design & Develop individual treatment plans
- ✓ Excellent Communication Skills
- ✓ Motivate Clients & Show Empathy
- ✓ Ability to develop good relationships with people from various backgrounds

Salary

UK Average £33,680

Routes

A degree in occupational therapy should be completed. To get onto this course requirements are 5 GCSE grades 9-4 including English & Maths. Followed by A Levels - preferably 1 science (biology)

Related Careers

Physiotherapist
Support Worker
Art Therapist

Qualifications

Degree or post graduate qualification in Occupational therapy
Registration with the Health Care Professions Council
Enhanced Background checks

Working Hours

Working hours are normally Monday - Friday. You could work in a variety of locations including: Doctors surgeries, Hospitals, Visit Patients homes, Health Centres, Care & nursing homes.

Labour Market

UK jobs: 92,392
Staffordshire jobs: 201 (127th out of 214 LEAs)

UK Growth + 14th by 2027



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