

Occupational Therapy Services for Adolescents and Adults



Occupational therapy assists adolescents and adults with:

- * physical skills
- * gross and fine motor skills

* life skills

- * cognitive skills and executive function
- * psychosocial skills

Diffculties with these skills may interfere with one's ability to function or make progress in school, work, and/or at home. The goal of occupational therapy is to find ways for the individual to participate as fully as possible in their daily activities:

- * Self-care: groomimg, hygiene, sleep, mobility, medication management
- * Productivity: life transitions, life skills (money management, community access, shopping, etc.), volunteering, pre-employment, employment
- * Leisure: participating in recreational activities, identification of meaningful activities

Adolescents and adults experience major life transitions such as finishing school, accessing new community services, moving from a childhood home and transitioning into adult services. Additionally, expecations of an individual tend to increase once adulthood is reached, while structure and support levels often decrease. When appropriate, occupational therapy can support individuals through transitions, assess and teach functional life skill building, identify cognitive strategies and support the individual to access meaningful productivity.

As well as assessing functional skills, an occupational therapist can assess the environment in which the activity is taking place and the activity itself. The occupational therapist will then work with the individual, their family and other caregivers to find new ways to helping them to engage and participate in their activities.



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Register online at http://dsrf.org/register



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Last Name:	First Name:
Address:	
City:	Postal Code:

____ Date of Birth: _____

Client's Information

Parent/Guardian's Information	
Last Name:	First Name:
Phone:	Cell:
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Schedule 2019

This program will be offered in blocks throughout the year with weekly one to one sessions.

BLOCK 1 January 2 - March 15

BLOCK 2 April 1 - June 21

BLOCK 3 July 2 - August 23

BLOCK 4 September 9- December 13

11 weeks

Registration starts November 5, 2018

Registration starts February 19, 2019

Registration starts May 27, 2019

Registration starts August 5, 2019

Christmas Break December 17, 2018 - January 1, 2019 Spring Break March 18 - March 22, 2019

Fee

\$84 per session + \$60 for end of block report (i.e. \$1,068 for a 12 week block with report).

Please contact us about bursary options prior to registration if cost is a barrier to participation.

Some appointments may be scheduled in the home or community with a \$40 minimum additional travel charge for one hour round trips from our Burnaby location, additional billing for longer trips at \$40 minimum extra charge.

Location

DSRF, 1409 Spering Avenue, Burnaby The City Centre Building -1, 13737 - 96th Avenue (2nd floor), Surrey

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