

# Occupational Therapy Assistant

 School of Health Sciences



## Help people achieve independence and quality of life

The **Occupational Therapy Assistant** program at Lake Washington Institute of Technology (LWTech), uses a “hands on” teaching approach while grounding the instruction in solid theory and academic foundations.

Each class has a laboratory component wherein students can practice the skills learned in lecture. **Occupational Therapy** clinicians are experts in the adaptation, rehabilitation, and organization of skills for the “job” of living, such as dressing, grooming, eating, bathing, and home management. The coursework, while demanding, is interesting and engaging. Occupational Therapy Assistants are in great demand nationally and locally.



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## Degrees & Certificates

**AAS-T** Occupational Therapy Assistant, AAS-T

## Program Highlights

**Be eligible to take the National Registration Examination for Occupational Therapy Assistants**

Assist the occupational therapist with assessments of patient function

**Teach patients exercise and purposeful activities to increase coordination, strength, and work tolerance –the things they want and need to do to have a meaningful, purposeful life**

Work with children and older adults, persons with different challenges and disabilities, and conduct therapeutic groups

**Provide adaptations and modifications to the home for people experiencing physical and cognitive changes**

Demonstrate functional anatomy and kinesiology therapeutic activities or occupations

The Occupational Therapy Assistant Program is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education (ACOTE) of the American Occupational Therapy Association (AOTA), located at, ACOTE c/o AOTA, 6116 Executive Boulevard, Suite 200, North Bethesda, MD 20852-4929

## Career Opportunities

Occupational Therapy Assistant in:

- Skilled Nursing Facilities
- Pediatric Clinics
- Hospitals
- Acute Rehabilitation Centers
- Private Practices
- Public Schools
- Inpatient Mental Health Hospitals
- Community Day Programs