

FACT SHEET



Occupational therapy (OT) services are provided across Providence Health Care (PHC) and employ occupational and hand therapists and rehabilitation assistants. The attraction to occupational therapy at PHC comes from the variety of patients cared for and is reinforced by the support and camaraderie of the OT team.

Site Descriptions

Holy Family Hospital is a provincial referral centre providing rehabilitation and residential care to adults in their middle years and beyond and is recognized as a leader in rehabilitation and elder care. Occupational therapists and rehabilitation assistants are part of the hospitals' interdisciplinary team and provide care Monday to Friday with no on call requirements.

Clinical Areas include:

Geriatric Residential - 144 beds

Rehabilitation - 75 beds

- Amputations
- Arthritis
- Neurological
- Orthopaedics

Rehabilitation Outpatient Services

- Amputations
- Arthritis
- Cerebral vascular accidents or strokes
- Orthopaedics
- Driving rehabilitation program

Mount Saint Joseph Hospital is a community hospital that has a multicultural approach to service delivery and clinical programs. Occupational therapists and rehabilitation assistants are part of the hospitals' interdisciplinary team and provide care Monday to Friday with no on call requirements.

Clinical Areas include:

Geriatric residential - 100 beds

Acute Care

- General Medicine
- General Surgery
- ICU
- Geriatric Psychiatry
- Geriatric Day Hospital

St. Paul's Hospital is an acute care, academic and research hospital located in downtown Vancouver. With over 500 acute care beds in use and home to many world-class medical and surgical programs, the hospital serves both the local community and patients from across B.C. The downtown location brings many of Vancouver's tourists and visitors to its doors. Occupational therapists, hand therapists and rehabilitation assistants are part of an interdisciplinary care team and provide services from Monday to Friday with no on call requirements.

Clinical Areas Include:

Inpatients

- Critical Care
- Surgery (*thoracic, vascular, general, plastics*)
- Orthopaedic surgery
- Medical (*including HIV and Family Practice*)
- Cardiac
- Renal
- Palliative Care
- Geriatrics
- Eating Disorders
- Mental Health

Outpatients

- Hand therapy
- Geriatric Day Program
- Geriatric Clinic
- Chronic Pain Program
- Healthy Heart Program
- Eating Disorders



St. Vincent's Hospitals (Brock Fahrni Pavilion and Langara) and Youville Residence provide extended/complex care services. Staffing includes occupational therapists and rehabilitation assistants, who provide coverage five to six days a week.

Occupational therapy services at Providence Health care offers a challenging and fulfilling work experience and comprehensive wage and benefits package. For more information about Providence Health Care visit www.providencehealthcare.org.

If you'd like to work with us in PHC Occupational Therapy, please visit the *Careers* section of our website to apply.

To practice OT in the province you must be a member of the College of Occupational Therapists of British Columbia. To learn more about the College visit www.cotbc.org