

## OTA Program Outcomes

A student/graduate of the OTA program at Murray State College will achieve the following outcomes in each of the five areas: Knowledge, critical reasoning, interpersonal skills, performance skills, and ethical reasoning.

### Knowledge

- The student will satisfactorily complete the didactic and fieldwork components of the program.
- The graduate will satisfactorily pass the national certification board exam for occupational therapy assistant.
- The graduate will keep current with best practice and practice life-long learning.

### Ethical Reasoning

- The student/graduate will uphold the ethical standards, values, and attitudes of the occupational therapy profession.

### Performance Skills

- The student will satisfactorily employ occupational therapy principles, intervention, and assessment tools in the graded presentations/demonstrations, simulated treatment activities, lab practical exams, and other student evaluation methods.
- The graduate will employ occupational therapy principles, intervention and assessment tools at entry level under the direction of the Occupational Therapist.

### Interpersonal Skills

- The student/graduate will demonstrate accurate, conscientious, and effective communication skills to ensure quality care.

### Critical Reasoning

- The student/graduate will establish critical thinking skills necessary to achieve expected treatment plan outcomes as related to occupation.