

OTASA POSITION PAPERS

The Association has the following position papers relating to the Association for the use of its members. Printed copies are presently available from the OTASA Office on request. **Please note that these papers are very out of date. We encourage any interested party to please help us with updating them**

Position Papers Available

No.	Date	Title	Author/s	Copy available
1	1977	Treatment of children with perceptual difficulties		Yes
	1980	The role of OT in the treatment of the child with learning difficulties	Marj Concha	No
2	April 1975, 1984	The role of the OT in the treatment and rehabilitation of the Ophthalmology patient (Drafts 1 & 3)		Yes
3	November 1984	The role of the OT In the Community	Judy Katzenellenbogen	Yes
	May 1986	A policy statement for the OT working in the community (Draft 1)		Yes
	December 1982	Community OT		Yes
	1990	Proposed job description of a community OT	SAAOT Western Cape	Yes
4		The role of the OT in Places of Safety	T. Coetzer	Yes
5	1977, February 1988	Policy statement on the role of the OT in protective workshops		Yes
6	November 1977, May 1988	Policy statement on OT Support Staff	Ad Hoc Committee on Support Staff	Yes
7	1989	The role of the OT employed in the Educational Milieu	Soekie van Wyk	Yes
8		The role of the OT in the care of the elderly	Eastern Transvaal Interprovincial Forum	Yes
	1994	OT with the aged District OT assessment with the aged	Mary Thompson	Yes
9	February 1990	The role of the OT in the manufacture of Orthoses/Splints & Prostheses	Robin Joubert	Yes
10	1992	The role of the OT in terminal care	Zelia Kotkin	Yes
11	October 1991	The role of the OT in the treatment of hospitalised TB patients		Yes
12	June 1991	Policy statement on the role and scope of OT in Medico-legal work	Alida van Greunen and Gail Vlok	Yes
		Medico-legal OT	Dain van der Reyden	Yes
13	July 1992	The role of the OT within a comprehensive Primary Health Care Approach	Julie Whitlock, Marj Concha, Louise Deetlefs, Susan Beukes	Yes
	January 1995	The role of OT in Primary Health Care		Yes
	February 2001	Setting up a Primary Health Care OT service	Jennie McAdam	Yes

14	September 1992	Role of OT in Vocational Rehabilitation	TPA Vocational Rehabilitation workgroup	Yes
15	April 1993	OT's, OT Support Staff and Strike action	SAAOT Exco	Yes
16	October 1993	Limited Private Practice		Yes (in-complete)
17	March 1980	Role of OT in Mental Health in the SA		Yes
	May 1992	Role of OT in Mental Health in the RSA	Mental Health Teachers & Clinicians Group of SAAOT (MHTC)	Yes
	November 1995			
	Nov 1995	The role of the OT in the field of Mental Health	Rose Crouch	Yes
18	August 1996	The role of the Community Rehabilitation worker and the Community Rehabilitation Facilitator and their inclusion in the National Health Plan	OTASA Exco	Yes
19	November 1998	Rights of users of OT services	Elna Jooste & Ethical Committee	Yes
20	November 1998	OT practice norms in mainstream school settings	Elna Jooste & Ethical Committee	Yes
21		SAAOT Rehabilitation Policy		Yes
		The role of OT in the Rehabilitation field	NTOT	Yes
22	1983	The role of OT in Health Education	Pat de Witt	Yes
23	April 1986	OT in the Rehabilitation of renal patients	R. Futeran, S. Conrad	Yes
24	August 1994	The role of the OT in child health	Elita Oliver, Heleen Johnson (OT's in Public Sector in Mpumalanga) & NTOT	Yes
25		The use of sport and leisure activities by the OT		Yes
26	1991	AIDS and the OT	Lindsay Nichols	Yes
	1992	The role of the OT in the treatment of AIDS sufferers	Lindsay Nichols	No
27	July 1989	The role of the OT in the treatment of the hearing impaired ?	M McQuire	Yes
28	August 1978	The role of the OT in Cardiac Rehabilitation	Ad Hoc Committee	Yes
29	August 1983	Basic and post-basic training in OT	OT Professional Board	Yes
30		Perinatal therapy		Yes
31	February 1993	OT in non-clinical environments	Lee Randall	Yes
32		The role of the OT in chronic illness	Carol Beukes	Yes
33	November 1977	AT in die behandeling van die epileptiese pasient	Carole Pretorius	Yes
	March 1988	Die AT se bydrae tot die behandeling van die epileptiese pasient	SAAOT Natal	No
34	1989	Riglyne vir die AT in 'n psigiatriese privaat praktyk	MHTC (UOVS)	Yes
35	1990	The role of the OT in the Community	SAAOT Western Cape	No

36		Gedragkode en reëls vir die AT in privaat praktyk	INSTOPP/NGOT	No
37	1999	The Supervision of Auxiliary Staff in OT		Yes

POSITION PAPERS FROM OTHER COUNTRIES

United States of America

No.	Date	Title	Country	Copy available
1	April 1995	Non-discrimination and inclusion regarding members of the OT professional community	America (AJOT)	Yes
	Nov/Dec 1999	OT's commitment to non-discrimination and inclusion	America (AOTA)	Yes
3	February 1995	Recommendation for use of uniform nomenclature pertinent to patients with severe alterations in consciousness	America (Congress of Rehabilitation Medicine)	Yes
4	June 1993	OT Roles	America (AOTA)	Yes
5	April 1995	Psychosocial concerns within OT practice	America (AOTA)	Yes
6	Dec 1980	The role of the OT in the Vocational Rehabilitation process	AJOT	Yes
7		Occupational Therapist's role in work related Therapy		Yes

United Kingdom

No.	Date	Title	Country	Copy available
8	November 1996	The management of clients with HIV/AIDS	UK (College of OT)	Yes
9	November 1897	Equal opportunities policy	UK (College of OT)	Yes

CANADA

No	Date	Title	Country	Copy available
10	June 1996	Primary Health Care	Canada (CAOT)	Yes
11	June 1996	Agreement on internal trade	Canada (CAOT)	Yes
12	June 1994	Everyday occupations and health	Canada (CAOT)	Yes
13	June 1994	Coordination of OT services	Canada (CAOT)	Yes
14	June 1994	Health reform	Canada (CAOT)	Yes
15	1998	Support personnel in OT services	Canada (CAOT)	Yes
16	1993	Specialization in OT	Canada (CAOT)	Yes
17	1993	Vocational rehabilitation services in Canada	Canada (CAOT)	Yes

18	1991	Environmental protection	Canada (CAOT)	Yes
19	1990	Graduate education	Canada (CAOT)	Yes
20	1997	OT and ergonomics	Canada (CAOT)	Yes
21	1998	International marketing	Canada (CAOT)	Yes
22	1998	Health promotion	Canada (CAOT)	Yes
23	1997	Continuing Professional Education	Canada (CAOT)	Yes
24	1997	Health and literacy	Canada (CAOT)	Yes

POSITION PAPERS FROM OTHER ASSOCIATIONS/SOCIETIES

Physiotherapy

No.	Date	Title	Society	Copy available
1	November 1993	The role of mid-level and grassroots-level workers in the provision of PT services	Physiotherapy	Yes
2	November 1993	The role of PT in Primary Health Care	Physiotherapy	Yes
3	November 1993	The role of the PT profession in future health care delivery systems	Physiotherapy	Yes
4	November 1993	The role of PT in rehabilitation	Physiotherapy	Yes