

To restore the use of OT and OTA as consistent with the OT Practice Act

§373.1 Supervision of Non-Licensed Personnel

(a) **Occupational Therapists** ~~OTRs and LOTS~~ are fully responsible for the planning and delivery of occupational therapy services. They may use non-licensed personnel to extend their services; however, the non-licensed personnel must be under the supervision of an occupational therapy practitioner.

(b) - (e) No Change.

(f) The Non-Licensed Personnel may not:

(1) perform occupational therapy evaluative procedures;

(2) initiate, plan, adjust, or modify occupational therapy procedures;

(3) act on behalf of the **occupational therapist** ~~OTR or LOT~~ in any matter relating to occupational therapy which requires decision making or professional judgments.

(4) write or sign occupational therapy documents in the permanent record.

However, non-licensed personnel may record quantitative data for tasks delegated by the supervising **occupational therapy practitioners** ~~OTR, LOT, COTA or LOTA~~. Any documentation reflecting activities by non-licensed personnel must identify the name and title of that person and the name of the supervising **occupational therapy practitioner**.
~~OTR, LOT, COTA or LOTA~~