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## Occupational Therapist

We are always on the lookout for our next amazing OT. If you are an amazing individual who wants to work with the best, enjoys flexibility, has strong values, be well paid and wants to be a part of an amazing company then keep reading!

### Who we are:

After almost 20 years providing industry leading OT services, Living to the Max Occupational Therapy has recently partnered with MedHealth company, Ability Action Australia, a national NDIS provider of therapeutic, positive behaviour and employment supports.

The partnership will allow us to grow further, providing more services to our valued clients, while providing excellent employee benefits and opportunities for career advancement across the MedHealth network of companies.

Join us on our exciting journey as we remain at the forefront of aged care and adult disability services.

### Your opportunity:

You may be in your first job post-graduation and it is not quite what you'd hoped, or you are looking to embark on your first OT role.

You will be responsible for delivering community-based OT intervention to a range of client groups including Department of Veterans' Affairs (DVA), My Aged Care and private clients. As your skills and experience grow, you will also have the opportunity to transition to adolescent and adult disability services.

### What we offer:

- Excellent career advancement opportunities
- Excellent remuneration - competitive salary + car allowance + laptop + smartphone
- Salary packaging options, including novated lease car scheme with fuel incentives
- Option to purchase additional leave
- Extensive clinical and administrative support
- Flexible work environment
- Industry leading mentorship and PD program
- Extensive list of employee benefits
- Industry leading small practice with the benefits of a national company



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## The position:

At Living to the Max Occupational Therapy, everything we do, we believe in maximising our client's independence and quality of life, regardless of complexity.

The position is a permanent full-time role with excellent professional development opportunities. At the end of the day, if you are a good person with strong values, that is what matters most to us. If you invest in us, we have the skills and experience to invest in you and your career progression.

## POSITION DESCRIPTION

**Position title:** Occupational Therapist

**Position reports to:** Senior Occupational Therapist

**Hours:** 37.5 hours per week. Permanent position.

**Salary:** As per AHP award + 10.5% employer funded superannuation + attractive car allowance

**Probation period:** 6 months

**Further information:** Charlotte West - on 0448 103 571 OR email me via [c.west@abilityactionaustralia.com.au](mailto:c.west@abilityactionaustralia.com.au)

### Application instructions:

You can apply via Seek by clicking [here](#) or you can email your resume to Charlotte West via [c.west@abilityactionaustralia.com.au](mailto:c.west@abilityactionaustralia.com.au)

## Living to the Max Occupational Therapy

Living to the Max Occupational Therapy has been providing client-centred healthcare since 2004. We are a full-service, community-based practice with a focus on adult intervention. We service clients through private and government funding sources which allows you to work with a diverse client group in a dynamic work environment. We not only pride ourselves on exceptional client service but our commitment to industry leading clinical support and professional development. We service clients under the following:

- NDIS
- Department of Veterans' Affairs (DVA)
- My Aged Care
- Lifetime Support Authority (LSA)
- Return to Work SA
- Compulsory Third Party (CTP) insurance
- Medicare
- Private Health insurance
- Privately funded clients

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## Purpose of the position

You will be responsible for delivering community based OT intervention to a range of client groups including Department of Veterans' Affairs (DVA), My Aged Care, NDIS and private clients.

### Core responsibilities:

Home based occupational therapy assessments and related intervention including all areas of activities of daily living, mobility and home safety:

- Equipment prescription and relevant clinical justification.
- Home modification recommendations with relevant diagrams
- Recommendation of community based services
- ADL and functional needs assessments
- Equipment applications for government equipment programs
- Pressure care management

Communicating assessed needs clearly and precisely to client and funding organisations within appropriate time frames.

Providing clients with all available options / solutions within assessment brief and funding guidelines

Ensuring recommendations meet all legal requirements, including Australian Standards (where applicable).

Completing relevant paperwork relating to assessments (both clinical and administrative) to a high standard, including client file case notes.

Ensuring Occupational Health, Safety and Welfare of all staff including yourself.

Liaison with other community based organisations and GPs etc to ensure best practice in holistic client focused care.

Establish and maintain positive working relationships with clients, families, team members and other key stakeholders.

Consistently demonstrate best practice and a commitment to quality standards, proactively identifying needs for improvement and showing initiative in meeting these improvement needs.

Commitment to the ongoing development of the practice and its services.

Commitment to ongoing professional development within both work time and personal time, including maintaining up to date knowledge of evidence based practice.

Accurately record client intervention for billing purposes.



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### **Special requirements:**

Use of own private vehicle for community visits. Attractive vehicle allowance provided on a per km rate.

### **Essential criteria:**

A Bachelor of Applied Science (Occupational Therapy) or equivalent qualification that meets the registration requirements of the Allied Health Practitioner Regulation Agency

Excellent communication and interpersonal skills to effectively engage with colleagues, clients and key stakeholders

Demonstrated customer service skills and a client-centred approach to healthcare

Exceptional organisation skills and the ability to work autonomously in a complex environment characterised by competing demands and tight timelines

Demonstrated written communication skills including the ability to produce accurate client files, develop referral documentation and communicate to other health professionals

Demonstrated experience working collaboratively in a team based work environment

Most importantly, you will have strong values with an emphasis on integrity, authenticity, teamwork, responsibility and respect. You will be enterprising and client-centred.

### **Registration requirements as a condition of employment**

Allied Health Practitioner Regulation Agency

Member of Occupational Therapy Australia

Police Check not more than 6 months old

Australian drivers licence

Triple COVID vaccination status (SA government mandate)