

OT 636 : DYNAMIC PRACTICE: ADVOCACY & EMERGING TRENDS

Course content covers professional development in the knowledge, values, and skills necessary for practice in emerging practice arenas, such as low vision, ergonomics, driving rehabilitation, primary care, etc. Exploration of the current evidence for provision of these services and the role of the OT in private, community, industrial, and physician practice settings are included. The course emphasizes on-going life-long learning and competencies. The learner is challenged to analyze emerging practice trends and the importance of developing the needed knowledge, skills, and values to prepare for evolving global, national, and regional health care imperatives. Learners explore the role of the advocate and build skills in advocating for individuals, families, and populations.

Credits 2