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## SECTION HEADING

### OTAC 1240: Documentation for the OTA

#### Description

Documentation for the OTA examines the intricacies of writing effective OT notes for describing patient care. Students demonstrate appropriate use of SOAP notes, therapeutic coding and billing practices, and professional responsibilities associated with documentation.

#### Credits

1

#### Prerequisite

OTAC 1110 and ENGL 1101

#### Corequisite

None

#### Topics to be Covered

1. Documentation practices
2. Professional responsibilities
3. Effective writing skills
4. Coding and billing practices

#### Learning Outcomes

B.4.15. Technology in Practice (Mastery Level)

Demonstrate knowledge of the use of technology in practice, which must include electronic documentation systems, virtual environments, and telehealth technology.

B.4.29. Reimbursement Systems and Documentation (Mastery Level)

Demonstrate knowledge of the various reimbursement systems and funding mechanisms (e.g., federal, state, third party, private payer), treatment/diagnosis codes (e.g., CPT®, ICD, DSM® codes), and coding and documentation requirements that affect consumers and the practice of occupational therapy. Documentation must effectively communicate the need and rationale for occupational therapy services.

(Introduction of ACOTE standard B.7.5. Personal and Professional Responsibilities)

Demonstrate knowledge of personal and professional responsibilities related billing and documentation of patient care.

#### Credit Details

Lecture: 1

Lab: 0

OJT: 0

MnTC Goal Area(s): None