

## OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY STATE PROFESSIONAL BOARDS

Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education (ACOTE®) accredited occupational therapy and occupational therapy assistant educational programs satisfy the states' educational requirements in all states, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico. Students graduating from an ACOTE® accredited occupational therapy and occupational therapy assistant educational program are eligible to take the National Board for Certification in Occupational Therapy (NBCOT) certification exam and apply for licensure in all states, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico. For more information regarding state qualifications and licensure requirements, please refer to the [AOTA State Licensure](#) webpage.

Students considering a program of study that leads to professional licensure in Occupational Therapy should contact the appropriate licensing agency in the state where you plan to practice prior to enrollment at Mercy College.

Determination of Mercy College Occupational Therapy and Occupational Therapy Assistant Programs' curriculum meeting state educational requirements for licensure:

**Yes:** AL, AK, AZ, AR, CA, CO, CT, DE, FL, GA, HI, ID, IL, IN, IA, KS, KY, LA, ME, MD, MA, MI, MN, MS, MO, MT, NE, NV, NH, NJ, NM, NY, NC, ND, OH, OK, OR, PA, PR, RI, SC, SD, TN, TX, UT, VT, VA, WA, WV, WI, WY

**No:** N/A

**Unable to determine:** N/A

Listed below you will find the Occupational Therapy professional board contact information for each respective state.

The Mercy College Physician Assistant Studies Program curriculum meets the state educational requirements for licensure in the following states:

State	Professional Licensing Board
Alabama	Alabama State Board of Occupational Therapy – <a href="http://www.ot.alabama.gov/">http://www.ot.alabama.gov/</a>
Alaska	Alaska State PT & OT Board - <a href="https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/cbpl/ProfessionalLicensing/PhysicalTherapyOccupationalTherapy.aspx">https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/cbpl/ProfessionalLicensing/PhysicalTherapyOccupationalTherapy.aspx</a>
Arizona	Arizona Board of Occupational Therapy Examiners - <a href="https://ot.az.gov/">https://ot.az.gov/</a>
Arkansas	Arkansas State Occupational Therapy Examining Committee - <a href="http://www.armedicalboard.org/Professionals/OccupationalTherapistandAssistant.aspx">http://www.armedicalboard.org/Professionals/OccupationalTherapistandAssistant.aspx</a>
California	California Board of Occupational Therapy – <a href="http://www.bot.ca.gov/">http://www.bot.ca.gov/</a>
Colorado	Colorado Office of Occupational Therapy - <a href="http://www.colorado.gov/DORA/Occupational_Therapy">http://www.colorado.gov/DORA/Occupational_Therapy</a>
Connecticut	Department of Public Health Occupational Therapy Licensure - <a href="https://portal.ct.gov/DPH/Practitioner-Licensing--Investigations/Occupational-Therapist/OT-Licensure-Requirements">https://portal.ct.gov/DPH/Practitioner-Licensing--Investigations/Occupational-Therapist/OT-Licensure-Requirements</a>
Delaware	Board of Occupational Therapy Practice – <a href="https://dpr.delaware.gov/boards/occupationaltherapy/">https://dpr.delaware.gov/boards/occupationaltherapy/</a>
District of Columbia	District of Columbia Board of Occupational Therapy - <a href="https://dchealth.dc.gov/node/157592">https://dchealth.dc.gov/node/157592</a>
Florida	Florida Board of Occupational Therapy Practice – <a href="http://floridasoccupationaltherapy.gov/">http://floridasoccupationaltherapy.gov/</a>
Georgia	Georgia State Board of Occupational Therapy – <a href="https://sos.ga.gov/licensing-division-georgia-secretary-states-office">https://sos.ga.gov/licensing-division-georgia-secretary-states-office</a>
Hawaii	Hawaii Professional & Vocational Licensing Division – <a href="http://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/programs/occupational/">http://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/programs/occupational/</a>
Idaho	Idaho Bureau of Occupational Licenses – <a href="http://www.ibol.idaho.gov/IBOL/BoardPage.aspx?Bureau=OCT">http://www.ibol.idaho.gov/IBOL/BoardPage.aspx?Bureau=OCT</a>
Illinois	Illinois Occupational Therapy Board – <a href="http://www.idfpr.com/profs/OccTherapy.asp">http://www.idfpr.com/profs/OccTherapy.asp</a>
Indiana	Indiana Occupational Therapy Committee - <a href="https://www.in.gov/pla/professions/occupational-therapy-home/">https://www.in.gov/pla/professions/occupational-therapy-home/</a>

State	Professional Licensing Board
Iowa	Iowa Board of PT and OT – <a href="http://idph.iowa.gov/licensure/iowa-board-of-physical-and-occupational-therapy">http://idph.iowa.gov/licensure/iowa-board-of-physical-and-occupational-therapy</a>
Kansas	Kansas State Board of Healing Arts – <a href="http://www.ksbha.org/">http://www.ksbha.org/</a>
Kentucky	Kentucky Board of Licensure for Occupational Therapy <a href="http://bot.ky.gov/">http://bot.ky.gov/</a>
Louisiana	Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners - <a href="http://www.lsbme.la.gov">http://www.lsbme.la.gov</a>
Maine	Maine Board of Occupational Therapy Practice - <a href="https://www.maine.gov/pfr/professionallicensing/professions/board-occupational-therapy-practice">https://www.maine.gov/pfr/professionallicensing/professions/board-occupational-therapy-practice</a>
Maryland	Maryland Board of Occupational Therapy Practice - <a href="https://health.maryland.gov/botp/Pages/home.aspx">https://health.maryland.gov/botp/Pages/home.aspx</a>
Massachusetts	Massachusetts Board of Registration Allied Health Professions Division of Professional Licensure - <a href="http://www.mass.gov/ocabr/licensee/dpl-boards/ah/">http://www.mass.gov/ocabr/licensee/dpl-boards/ah/</a>
Michigan	Michigan Board of Occupational Therapy - <a href="http://www.michigan.gov/lara/0,4601,7-154-27417_27529_27545---,00.html">http://www.michigan.gov/lara/0,4601,7-154-27417_27529_27545---,00.html</a>
Minnesota	Minnesota Department of Health OT/OTA Licensing Advisory Council – <a href="https://mn.gov/boards/occupational-therapy/">https://mn.gov/boards/occupational-therapy/</a>
Mississippi	Mississippi State Department of Health – <a href="http://msdh.ms.gov/msdhsite/_static/30,0,82.html">http://msdh.ms.gov/msdhsite/_static/30,0,82.html</a>
Missouri	Missouri State Board of Occupational Therapy - <a href="http://pr.mo.gov/octherapy.asp">http://pr.mo.gov/octherapy.asp</a>
Montana	Montana Department of Labor and Industry <a href="http://boards.bsd.dli.mt.gov/otp">http://boards.bsd.dli.mt.gov/otp</a>
Nebraska	Nebraska Board of Occupational Therapy Practice – <a href="https://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Pages/Occupational-Therapy.aspx">https://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Pages/Occupational-Therapy.aspx</a>
Nevada	Nevada Board of Occupational Therapy – <a href="https://www.nvot.org/">https://www.nvot.org/</a>
New Hampshire	Occupational Therapy Governing Board – <a href="https://www.oplc.nh.gov/occupational-therapy-governing-board">https://www.oplc.nh.gov/occupational-therapy-governing-board</a>
New Jersey	NJ Occupational Therapy Advisory Council – <a href="http://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/ot">http://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/ot</a>
New Mexico	NM Board of Examiners for Occupational Therapy – <a href="https://www.rld.nm.gov/boards-and-commissions/individual-boards-and-commissions/occupational-therapy/">https://www.rld.nm.gov/boards-and-commissions/individual-boards-and-commissions/occupational-therapy/</a>
New York	New York State Board for Occupational Therapy - <a href="http://www.op.nysed.gov/prof/ot/">http://www.op.nysed.gov/prof/ot/</a>
North Carolina	North Carolina Board of Occupational Therapy – <a href="http://www.ncbot.org/">http://www.ncbot.org/</a>
North Dakota	North Dakota State Board of OT Practice – <a href="http://www.ndotboard.com">http://www.ndotboard.com</a>
Ohio	Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy and Athletic Trainers Board – <a href="http://www.otptat.ohio.gov">http://www.otptat.ohio.gov</a>
Oklahoma	Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision – <a href="http://www.okmedicalboard.org/occupational_therapists">http://www.okmedicalboard.org/occupational_therapists</a>
Oregon	Oregon Occupational Therapy Licensing Board – <a href="https://www.oregon.gov/otlb/Pages/index.aspx">https://www.oregon.gov/otlb/Pages/index.aspx</a>

State	Professional Licensing Board
Pennsylvania	Pennsylvania State Board of Occupational Therapy Education and Licensure - <a href="http://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardsCommissions/OccupationalTherapy/Pages/default.aspx#.VorHzLYrKJA">http://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardsCommissions/OccupationalTherapy/Pages/default.aspx#.VorHzLYrKJA</a>
Puerto Rico	Puerto Rico Board of Occupational Therapy Examiners - <a href="https://myaota.aota.org/regulatorycontacts.aspx?_ga=2.119708808.1019439876.1663266073-935524547.1663266073">https://myaota.aota.org/regulatorycontacts.aspx?_ga=2.119708808.1019439876.1663266073-935524547.1663266073</a>
Rhode Island	Rhode Island Board of Occupational Therapy Practice Health Professions Regulation - <a href="https://health.ri.gov/licenses/detail.php?id=234">https://health.ri.gov/licenses/detail.php?id=234</a>
South Carolina	South Carolina Board of Occupational Therapy – <a href="https://lir.sc.gov/ot/">https://lir.sc.gov/ot/</a>
South Dakota	South Dakota Occupational Therapy Committee - <a href="http://www.sdbmoe.gov/">http://www.sdbmoe.gov/</a>
Tennessee	Tennessee Board of Occupational Therapy & Physical Therapy Examiners – <a href="https://www.tn.gov/health/health-program-areas/health-professional-boards/ot-board.html">https://www.tn.gov/health/health-program-areas/health-professional-boards/ot-board.html</a>
Texas	Texas Executive Council of PT & OT Examiners – <a href="https://ptot.texas.gov/">https://ptot.texas.gov/</a>
Utah	Utah Occupational Therapy Board – <a href="https://dopl.utah.gov/ot/">https://dopl.utah.gov/ot/</a>
Vermont	Vermont Occupational Therapy Advisors – <a href="https://sos.vermont.gov/occupational-therapy/">https://sos.vermont.gov/occupational-therapy/</a>
Virginia	Virginia Advisory Board on Occupational Therapy – <a href="http://www.dhp.virginia.gov/Medicine/advisory/ot/">http://www.dhp.virginia.gov/Medicine/advisory/ot/</a>
Washington	Washington Occupational Therapy Practice Board - <a href="http://www.doh.wa.gov/LicensesPermitsandCertificates/ProfessionsNewReneworUpdate/OccupationalTherapist">http://www.doh.wa.gov/LicensesPermitsandCertificates/ProfessionsNewReneworUpdate/OccupationalTherapist</a>
West Virginia	West Virginia Board of Occupational Therapy - <a href="http://www.wvbot.org/">http://www.wvbot.org/</a>
Wisconsin	Bureau of Health Professions Department of Regulation and Licensing - <a href="https://dsps.wi.gov/Pages/Professions/OccupationalTherapist/Default.aspx">https://dsps.wi.gov/Pages/Professions/OccupationalTherapist/Default.aspx</a>
Wyoming	Wyoming Board of Occupational Therapy - <a href="http://ot.state.wy.us/">http://ot.state.wy.us/</a>

Mercy College has **not made a determination** that the Occupational Therapy and Occupational Therapy Assistant Programs' curriculum meets the state educational requirements for licensure in the following states:

State	Professional Licensing Board
US Virgin Islands	AOTA <a href="https://www.aota.org/">https://www.aota.org/</a>