



DOCTOR OF OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

Jacksonville University's (JU) Doctor of Occupational Therapy (OTD) program prepares students to work with people across the lifespan in an array of settings, both in the clinic and beyond, as occupational therapists. Through the use of meaningful activities, occupational therapists help individuals maximize participation in their daily lives to the best of their abilities. Occupational therapy leads to improved health and quality of life, greater engagement in meaningful activities, and positive health outcomes.

At the beautiful, riverside JU Arlington campus, you will learn from expert faculty who possess extensive clinical and research backgrounds and are committed to engaging students in professional activities. The goal is not only to prepare students to become evidence-based entry-level therapists, but to also help students embark on pathways to specialization. The JU OTD department's vision is to be a local, regional, national, and international leader for excellence and innovation in entry-level doctoral occupational therapy education, practice, and scholarship.

Admission Requirements

- Completed OTCAS application
- Official transcripts from a regionally accredited college or university
- 3 Letters of Recommendation and Live Interview
- GRE Scores

Prerequisite Course Requirements must be completed with a "C" grade or better:

- Human Anatomy (with lab)
- Abnormal Psychology or Psychopathology
- Human Physiology (with lab)
- Life Span/Human Growth and Development
- Statistics (must include inferential)
- Introductory Psychology
- Introductory Sociology or Anthropology
- Medical Terminology
- Introductory Physics or Physical Science/
Biomechanics/Kinesiology

Program Highlights



Brooks Rehabilitation College of Healthcare Sciences is associated with the largest regional rehabilitation hospital



Maintains strong, valuable partnerships with local healthcare providers



This 3-year program consists of academic coursework, two full-time supervised fieldwork experiences and a 14-week doctoral capstone experience



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