

Occupational Therapy Licensing Board - Strategic Plan 2023-2028

Initiatives	Key Areas	2023-24	2025-26	2027-28
Education	Certification does not necessarily equal adequate knowledge.	Send out Eblast (Newsflash)	Send out Eblast (Newsflash)	Send out Eblast (Newsflash)
	Role of the Board	Send out Eblast (Newsflash) to all licensees on who to contact for questions on clinical practice. Include feature in newsletter.	Send out Eblast (Newsflash) to all licensees on who to contact for questions on clinical practice.	Send out Eblast (Newsflash) to all licensees on who to contact for questions on clinical practice.
Outreach	OTAO on CE	Collaborate with the OTAO on CE course.		
	New OT Programs - Western U HS (OTD) George Fox (MOT)	Meet with new program directors and discuss ways to collaborate.	Present annually to students about the board and licensing.	Present annually to students about the board and licensing.
	Licensee Wellness	Continue to provide resources, CE on wellness and addressing burnout	Look at Joining the Oregon Wellness program.	Look at Joining the Oregon Wellness program if not viable in 25-26.
	Legislative	Monitor bills that affect OT and inform stakeholders/licensees.	Monitor bills that affect OT and inform stakeholders/licensees.	Monitor bills that affect OT and inform stakeholders/licensees.
Diversity	Diversity in the Workforce	Checkin with OT schools about initiatives to recruit and report out to the legislature.	Monitor federal legislation on grants for individuals currently underrepresented in the profession.	
	Promote Cultural Competency among Licensees	Promote the new NBCOTJEDI modules with Licensees. Board staff to complete 6 modules. Board to consider if it will meet the CCCE requirement for '24 renewals.	Provide licensees with links to cultural competency courses.	Provide licensees with links to cultural competency courses.
Practice Areas	Standards of Practice	Monitor AOTA for updates on Guidelines	Monitor AOTA for updates on Guidelines	Monitor AOTA for updates on Guidelines
	Mental Health	Add Links to the Resources on the Website & Newsletter		
	School Based Practice	Add Links to the Resources on the Website.		
	Telehealth	Survey licensees and rule review.	Continue to monitor.	Continue to monitor.
Operations	OT Licensure Compact	Research/understand the impacts of adopting leg. Meet with other state boards who are already members.		
	Updating Policies & Procedures	Review at quarterly board meetings.	Review at quarterly board meetings.	Review at quarterly board meetings.
	OTLB Website	Update to Version 4X. Add New Board member guide. Step-by-step tutorials for the License Portal.	Thorough review of Website for any out-of-date information.	Thorough review of Website for any out-of-date information.