OTA 114 Therapeutic Activities

**COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES (CLOs)**
1. Articulate the role of the occupational therapy assessment within the therapeutic treatment process.
2. Discuss the historical perspective of occupational therapy assessments.
3. Identify the common assessments used within the practice of occupational therapy, and the rationale for each use.
4. Articulate the definition and importance of test standardization procedures.
5. Review the assessment administration procedures for each assessment identified in class.
6. Articulate the process of assessment documentation.
7. Define AOTA 'Emerging practice' areas in relation to the scope of OT practice, evidenced-based practice in these areas and the historical perspective from the professions point of view.
8. Articulate treatment techniques from emerging practice areas, and the role of the OTA in the treatment process.
9. Define activity modification in relation to task analysis.
10. Articulate activity modification in relation to performance areas and across the lifespan.
11. List the process of activity modification/fabrication in the context of occupational therapy case study scenarios.
12. Articulate the safety procedures related to the equipment used in lab for adaptive equipment modification/fabrication.
13. Identify sources for adaptive equipment, locally, on the internet and through catalogs.

**Course Outline**

**I. Education of and Administration of Patient Assessments**
   A. ADL
   B. Cognitive/Behavioral
   C. Developmental
   D. Sensorimotor
   E. Ergonomic
   F. Visual-perceptual

**II. Professional Behaviors with Assessment Administration**

**III. Assessment Documentation**

**IV. Emerging Practice Areas**
   A. Evidenced-based practice
   B. AOTA position papers
   C. Historical Perspectives
      1. Driver Reeducation
      2. Low Vision
      3. Assistive Technology
      4. Aging-in-Place
V. Activity Modifications Birth to Older adult
   A. Identification
   B. Modification
   C. Fabrication
      1. Power tool use
      2. Sewing machine use
      3. Hand tool use
      4. Community resources