

Jordan University of Science and Technology
Faculty of Applied Medical Sciences
Department of Allied Medical Sciences
4th Year / 1st Semester
Clinical Practice (Pediatrics)
OT 427
Course Syllabus

Course Information	
Course Title	Clinical Practice (Pediatrics)
Course Code	OT 427
Prerequisites	None
Course Website	NA
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Course Description	
During the four year course, students will gain clinical experience through attachments to the Occupational Therapy departments in various hospitals and centers. Throughout these periods the students will gradually progress from an observation and orientation status, to practical participation under supervision, and finally to independent involvement. It is essential that where students are placed for clinical practice, a full-time qualified occupational therapist is in attendance for supervisory and teaching purposes. Additionally intensive supervision will be guaranteed through the University occupational therapy teaching assistants and faculty members. This course will be dedicated for pediatric occupational therapy practice as a practical extension for OT 324 (Pediatrics Rehabilitation)	

Textbook	
Title	Occupational Therapy for Children
Author(s)	Jane Case-Smith
Publisher	Mosby
Year	2001
Edition	5 th
Book Website	None
Other references	Handling the Young Cerebral Palsied Child at Home, 2ed Edition 1975, Nancie Finnie. Pediatric skills for Occupational Therapy Assistants, Jean W.Solomon Levitt S., Treatment of Cerebral Palsy and Motor Delay, 2nded., Oxford: Blackwell, 1982

Assessment		
Assessment	Expected Due Date	Percentage
Attendance/dress code	Throughout the semester	15%
Participation/initiation	Throughout the semester	10%
Presentations	TBA	15%
Reports	4 reports	20%
Case study	TBA	15%
Practical exam	Final examinations period	25%

Course Objectives	Percentage
1. Link the OT theory with the OT practice	20%
2. Enable the students to utilize intensive field work opportunities.	20%
3. Establish competent clinical skills working over real patients in active OT settings.	50%
4. Help the students to finalize their potential clinical and research interests.	10%

Teaching & Learning Methods
Clinical practice, seminars.

Learning Outcomes: Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to		
Related Objective(s)		Reference(s)
1-4	Spend 12 hours/week in a pediatric setting	NA
2-4	Attachment with a skilful pediatric therapist	NA
1	Submit the required reports	NA
1-3	Submit the required case study	NA
1-3	Present the case study and discuss it with the class	NA
3	Pass the practical exam	NA

Useful Resources
University library,internet,CDC

Course Content		
Week	Topics	Chapter in Textbook (handouts)
1.	1. Clinical practice	Handout
2.	2. Clinical practice	Handout
3.	3. Clinical practice	Handout
4.	4. Clinical practice	Handout
5.	5. Clinical practice	Handout
6.	6. Clinical practice	Handout
7.	7. Clinical practice	Handout
8.	8. Clinical practice	Handout
9.	9. Clinical practice	Handout
10.	10. Clinical practice	Handout
11.	11. Clinical practice	Handout
12.	12. Clinical practice	Handout
13.	13. Presentation	NA
14.	14. Practical exam	NA

Additional Notes
The student will be assigned in one of the following settings: ◆ Cerebral Palsy Foundation (pediatrics). ◆ Royal Medical Services (Farah Rehabilitation Center). ◆ King Abdullah University Hospital. ◆ Al Basheer Hospital. Attendance is required according to the university regulations