



St. Andrew's Autism Centre (SAAC) is a non-profit organisation for the education, training, and care of persons with autism and their families.

SAAC comprises St. Andrew's Autism School (SAAS) and St. Andrew's Adult Autism Services (SAAAS), serving children, youths and adults with autism. SAAAS runs two Day Activity Centres (DACs) at Siglap and Sengkang, and St. Andrew's Adult Home (Sengkang), Singapore's first residential facility designed and built to meet the needs of adults of autism.

SAAC seeks to enable people with autism to lead dignified and meaningful lives. We invite interested and qualified persons to join us to meet the physical, social, emotional and spiritual needs of our students, clients and residents; to provide behavioural support, life skills training, family support and public education.

SENIOR OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST ST. ANDREW'S AUTISM SCHOOL

Job Description

- Provide assessment/evaluation and implement intervention for individuals diagnosed with Autism aged 7-18 years old and aged 18-55 years old
- Perform centre-wide screening to determine therapy service necessity, utilising methods such as conducting screening tools, interview, document review, direct observations, and case deliberation meetings with teachers, coaches, co-therapists, and department head to provide timely and quality therapy services to our beneficiaries.
- Assist in building up the school curriculum helping in Daily Living Skills domain in collaboration with the school department heads and special education teachers
- Develop individualised education programme for the students in collaboration with the special education teachers and participate in parent-teacher conferences
- Responsible for administering standardised tools for assessment and creating 'sensory diet' for the students/clients
- Implement goals and activities set for the student/client directly or in coordination with the special education teachers/coaches
- Plan relevant instructional activities for ongoing implementation in the classroom in coordination with the special education teachers/coaches
- Provide home instruction program, actual demonstration of OT treatment/handling procedures to teachers, coaches, parents, and caregivers for the continuity of OT management in the classroom and at home
- Responsible for providing training for the staff and parents/caregiver of students/clients under the program



- Responsible for conducting self - regulating strategies to achieve individual/students' maximum level of arousal necessary for learning
- Perform documentations such as OT initial evaluation, Individualized Education Plan (IEP), progress reports, OT notes, task analysis reports, and discharge planning
- Serve as on-site clinical supervisor overseeing occupational therapy interns

Job Specifications

- Possess at least a degree in Occupational Therapy
- Valid full AHPC (Singapore) registration
- Good interpersonal skill
- Good team player
- Practical experience with persons with autism spectrum disorder and their families is an asset

Working Hours

- Mondays to Fridays: 8:30 am to 6 pm

Remuneration and point of entry will commensurate with qualifications and experience. Interested applicants, please send your resume and relevant supporting documents to: evelyn_lo@saac.org.sg.

All applications will be handled with strict confidence. We regret that only short-listed candidates will be notified

