



Help others regain quality of life.

Occupational therapists help people of all ages regain their quality of life through the therapeutic use of everyday activities. They help children with disabilities to participate fully in school and social situations, help individuals recovering from injury to regain skills, and provide support for older adults experiencing physical and cognitive changes.

Shenandoah's graduate program in occupational therapy prepares you to help clients reach their greatest level of quality of life and independence by serving as a caring and effective occupational therapist. Close mentorships with faculty, combined with the program's small class sizes and practical learning experiences, prepare you to enter the field as a professional dedicated to service, ethics and leadership.

Master of Science in Occupational Therapy

Shenandoah's 75-credit Master of Science in Occupational Therapy is delivered in a flexible, hybrid format, with much of the content delivered online. You'll attend classes on campus one day per week, and fieldwork experiences are completed on non-campus days and during normal working hours. Our program prepares you to become a skilled and compassionate occupational therapist, serving a diverse range of patient populations in a variety of health care and community-based settings.



Key Features

- Graduates earn an average starting salary of \$50,000–\$60,000
- 98 percent licensure exam pass rate
- Accessible faculty mentors
- Hands-on learning experiences with clients
- Online coursework offers flexibility for non-traditional students
- Provide service through community and international experiences
- Faculty are actively involved in health care advocacy and policy development



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Curriculum Features

Faculty Mentors Make the Difference

Our caring faculty serve as mentors beyond the classroom. As a team, they prepare you to be a compassionate provider, critical thinker and ethical leader. You'll benefit from small class sizes that enable faculty members to provide individualized attention and nurture your academic and professional development.

Opportunities to Gain Real-World Experience

You'll gain invaluable hands-on experience through extensive fieldwork experiences. Working with faculty members, physicians and fellow students from Shenandoah's pharmacy, physician assistant and physical therapy programs, you'll provide invaluable medical services, making a difference to underserved populations at home and around the world.

Innovative Hybrid Learning Offers Flexibility to Fit Your Life

The program's hybrid learning format combines online coursework with once-weekly, on-campus meetings, providing flexibility for both traditional and non-traditional students. You'll gain additional experience through faculty-directed experiential learning in your home community and apply these experiences to the classroom and online learning environments.

LEARN MORE.

For information about the application process, contact:

The Office of Graduate Admissions, 800-432-2266 | admit@su.edu | www.su.edu/OT

OT Admissions Coordinator, 540-665-5559



Serving Wounded Warriors/Veterans

Shenandoah occupational therapy faculty members actively provide educational resources to deploying health care providers to help them understand and treat the effects of concussions and mild-to-moderate brain injuries. Numerous career opportunities exist for civilian occupational therapists and physical therapists to work with military and government agencies.