

Doctor of Occupational Therapy Professional Licensure Disclosure

The Hawai'i Pacific University Doctor of Occupational Therapy program prepares students for entry-level generalist occupational therapy practice and to apply for occupational therapy licensure and certification. Certification is provided by The National Board for Certification in Occupational Therapy (NBCOT®). Initial certification from NBCOT is a requirement for licensure in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Guam, and Puerto Rico. Licensure requires graduation from an ACOTE-accredited occupational therapy program. Graduation from the program does not guarantee licensure and/or certification.

An ACOTE-accredited OTD program qualifies students to take the NBCOT and apply for licensure in all states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands. A “Yes” in the second column indicates that the program meets the *educational* requirements in that state. The state’s board of occupational therapy website provides a review of the licensure requirements. Because the licensure requirements are subject to change, it is essential that all prospective licensees visit the state board of occupational therapy website on a regular basis for updated information.

State/District	Does the Program Meet the Educational Requirements ? (Yes, No, Cannot Determine)	Examination/ License Level	State Board of Occupational Therapy Regulatory Website
Alabama	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://www.ot.alabama.gov
Alaska	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/cbpl/ProfessionalLicensing/PhysicalTherapyOccupationalTherapy
Arizona	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://ot.az.gov
Arkansas	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://www.armedicalboard.org/Professionals/OccupationalTherapistandAssistant.aspx
California	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://www.bot.ca.gov/
Colorado	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://www.colorado.gov/DORA/OccupationalTherapy
Connecticut	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	https://portal.ct.gov/DPH/Practitioner-Licensing--Investigations/Occupational-Therapist/Occupational
Delaware	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	https://dpr.delaware.gov/boards/occupationaltherapy/

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District of Columbia	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	https://dchealth.dc.gov/release/board-occupational1-therapy-0
Florida	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://floridasoccupationaltherapy.gov/
Georgia	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	https://sos.ga.gov/georgia-state-board-occupational-therapy
Hawai`i	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/programs/occupational/
Idaho	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	https://apps.dopl.idaho.gov/DOPLPortal/BoardPage.aspx?Bureau=OCT
Illinois	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	https://idfpr.illinois.gov/profs/occtherapy.asp
Indiana	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://www.in.gov/pla/ot.htm
Iowa	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://idph.iowa.gov/licensure/iowa-board-of-physical-and-occupational-therapy
Kansas	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://www.ksbha.org/professions/OT.shtml
Kentucky	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://bot.ky.gov/
Louisiana	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	https://www.lsbme.la.gov/
Maine	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://www.maine.gov/pfr/professionallicensing/professions/occupational/index.html
Maryland	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://dhmh.maryland.gov/botpf/
Massachusetts	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://www.mass.gov/ocabr/license/dpl-boards/ah/
Michigan	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://www.michigan.gov/lara/0,4601,7-154-27417_27529_27545---,00.html
Minnesota	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	https://mn.gov/boards/occupational-therapy/
Mississippi	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://msdh.ms.gov/msdhsite/_static/30,0,82.html
Missouri	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://pr.mo.gov/octherapy.asp
Montana	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://boards.bsd.dli.mt.gov/otp
Nebraska	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Pages/Occupational-Therapy.aspx
Nevada	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	https://www.nvot.org/
New Hampshire	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	https://www.oplc.nh.gov/occupational-therapy-governing-board
New Jersey	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	https://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/ot/Pages/default.aspx

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New Mexico	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	https://www.rld.nm.gov/boards-and-commissions/individual-boards-and-commissions/occupational-therapy
New York	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://www.op.nysed.gov/prof/ot/
North Carolina	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://www.ncbot.org/
North Dakota	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	https://www.ndotboard.com/
Ohio	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	https://otptat.ohio.gov/
Oklahoma	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://www.okmedicalboard.org/occupational_therapists
Oregon	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	https://www.oregon.gov/OTLB/Pages/index.aspx
Pennsylvania	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardsCommissions/OccupationalTherapy/Pages/default.aspx
Puerto Rico	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://www.salud.gov.pr/Profesionales-y-Proveedores/Pages/default.aspx
Rhode Island	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://health.ri.gov/licenses/detail.php?id=234
South Carolina	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	https://llr.sc.gov/ot/
South Dakota	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://www.sdbmoe.gov/
Tennessee	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	https://www.tn.gov/health/health-program-areas/health-professional-boards/ot-board.html
Texas	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://www.ptot.texas.gov/occupational-therapy
Utah	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	https://dopl.utah.gov/ot/index.html
Vermont	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	https://www.sec.state.vt.us/professional-regulation/list-of-professions/occupational-therapy.aspx
Virginia	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://www.dhp.virginia.gov/Boards/Medicine/AbouttheBoard/RegulatedProfessions/OccupationalTherapy/
Washington	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	https://www.doh.wa.gov/LicensesPermitsandCertificates/ProfessionsNewReneworUpdate/OccupationalTherapy
West Virginia	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	http://www.wvbot.org/
Wisconsin	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	https://dsps.wi.gov/Pages/Professions/OccupationalTherapist/Default.aspx

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Wyoming	Yes	NBCOT/OTR	https://occupationaltherapy.wyo.gov/
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