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Examination of the associations among physical fitness, cognition, and driving performance in 18 people with heart failure found that reduced physical fitness was associated with worse simulated driving.
- 6902260020 **Factors That Moderate Activity Limitation and Participation Restriction in People With Multiple Sclerosis**
Yael Goverover, Lauren Strober, Nancy Chiaravalloti, John DeLuca
A study of the variables most associated with activity limitation and participation restriction in 72 people with MS suggests that cognitive processing speed is a primary influence on the quality of activity and participation for people with MS.
- 6902260030 **"Don't Think Paralysis Takes Away Your Womanhood": Sexual Intimacy After Spinal Cord Injury**
Heather A. Fritz, Heather Dillaway, Cathy L. Lysack
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Alexandra Danial-Saad, Tsvi Kuflik, Patrice L. Weiss, Naomi Schreuer
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- Rehabilitation, Disability, and Participation* 6902290010 **Patients With Brain Tumors: Who Receives Postacute Occupational Therapy Services?**
Vincy Chan, Chen Xiong, Angela Colantonio
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- 6902290020 **Improving Quality of Life and Depression After Stroke Through Telerehabilitation**
Susan M. Linder, Anson B. Rosenfeldt, R. Curtis Bay, Komal Sahu, Steven L. Wolf, Jay L. Alberts
Robot-assisted interventions and home exercise programs administered using a telerehabilitation model may be valuable components of programs to improve quality of life and depression in people after stroke.
- 6902290030 **Clinical Reasoning Guideline for Home Modification Interventions**
Susan L. Stark, Emily Somerville, Marian Keglovits, Aliza Smason, Kelsey Bigham
A two-phase, mixed-methods approach was used to develop and validate a tool to describe the clinical reasoning process while delivering home modification interventions.
- 6902290040 **Taking Control: An Exploratory Study of the Use of Tilt-In-Space Wheelchairs in Residential Care [ONLINE ONLY]**
Sneha Shankar, W. Ben Mortenson, Justin Wallace
Examination of how TIS wheelchairs are used in residential care illustrates how they may enable or inhibit occupational engagement and suggests that vigilance is necessary to prevent their use as a restraint.
- 6902290050 **Effectiveness of Use of Button-Operated Electronic Devices Among Persons With Bálint Syndrome [ONLINE ONLY]**
Kosaku Sunagawa, Yoshitaka Nakagawa, Michitaka Funayama
To further understanding of how visuospatial deficits affect the use of electronic devices operated by pressing spatially interspersed buttons, researchers quantified the ability of 7 people with Bálint syndrome to use such devices.
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Test–Retest Reliability of the Child Occupational Self-Assessment (COSA)
Alisha M. Ohi, Emily Crook, Diane MacSaveny, Alanna McLaughlin
Test–retest reliability of the COSA was determined using a sample of 52 children ages 6 to 12 yr.
- 6902350020 **BRIEF REPORT**
Interrater Reliability of the Record of Driving Errors (RODE)
Peggy P. Barco, David B. Carr, Kathleen Rutkoski, Chengjie Xiong, Catherine M. Roe
Researchers examined the RODE's interrater reliability using 2 occupational therapy driving rehabilitation specialists working with 24 older adults diagnosed with dementia.
- 6902350030 **BRIEF REPORT**
Transition Needs of Adolescents With Sickle Cell Disease
Regina A. Abel, Esther Cho, Kelley R. Chadwick-Mansker, Natalia D'Souza, Ashley J. Houston, Allison A. King
Findings from a study of 122 adolescents with sickle cell disease support the need for educational intervention to improve transition skills in this population.
- 6902360010 **THE ISSUE IS . . .**
Creating Evidence for Practice Using Data-Driven Decision Making
Roseann C. Schaaf
The Data-Driven Decision Making framework can help occupational therapy practitioners develop practices that are evidence based as well as systematic, theoretically grounded, and driven by data related to outcomes.

Erratum

The article “Mental Practice–Triggered Electrical Stimulation in Chronic, Moderate, Upper-Extremity Hemiparesis After Stroke,” by S. J. Page, P. Levine, & V. Hill, 2015, *American Journal of Occupational Therapy*, 69, 6901290050, <http://dx.doi.org/10.5014/ajot.2015.014902>, was supported in part by the Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development of the National Institutes of Health under Award No. T32HD064578. The content is solely the responsibility of the authors and does not necessarily represent the official views of the National Institutes of Health.