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Editorial 6906070010 **State of the Journal, 2015**
Lorie Gage Richards

Presidential Address 6906140010 **Engagement, Exploration, Empowerment**
Virginia (Ginny) Stoffel

Engagement, exploration, and empowerment are key concepts that not only underlie how occupational therapy practitioners distinctly connect with and serve clients but also can be used organizationally to achieve the aspirational goals of the Centennial Vision and beyond.

2015 Eleanor Clarke Slagle Lecture 6906150010 **A Career in Inquiry**
Helen S. Cohen

Inquiry, a powerful ADL, has implications for occupational therapists' day-to-day work habits, careers, and lives.

6906160010 **OTA OFFICIAL DOCUMENTS IN THE AJOT ONLINE SUPPLEMENT**

Special Issue: Remembering the Work of Jane Case-Smith 6906170010 **GUEST EDITORIAL**
Paying It Forward: Honoring Jane Case-Smith for Commitment to Occupational Therapy Education and Research
Andrew C. Persch

This issue of AJOT is dedicated to the life and legacy of Jane Case-Smith, an occupational therapy scholar and servant-leader whose broad and diverse work touched the lives of countless children; families; and occupational therapy students, clinicians, and educators.

6906180010 **Multiple Treatments of Pediatric Constraint-Induced Movement Therapy (pCIMT): A Clinical Cohort Study**

Stephanie C. DeLuca, Sharon Landesman Ramey, Mary Rebekah Trucks, Dorian Ainsworth Wallace

A clinical cohort of 28 children with asymmetrical CP who received multiple pCIMT treatments gained and maintained new functional skills, supporting the conclusion that multiple pCIMT treatments can produce clinically important gains.

6906180020 **Occupational Therapists' Opinions of Two Pediatric Constraint-Induced Movement Therapy Protocols**

Emily Christman, Kaitlin McAllister, Katie Claar, Samantha Kaufman, Stephen J. Page

A survey of 272 practitioners in pediatric rehabilitation clinics adds to a growing body of evidence suggesting that practitioners strongly prefer more distributed, low-duration pCIMT protocols.

6906180030 **Behavioral and Physiological Factors Associated With Selective Eating in Children With Autism Spectrum Disorder**

Kelly Tanner, Jane Case-Smith, Marcia Nahikian-Nelms, Karen Ratliff Schaub, Colleen Spees, Amy R. Darragh

A comparison of children with ASD and selective eating and those without selective eating found moderately strong correlations among variables related to food intake and behavior but not among variables related to selective eating and behavior.

6906180040 **Development of the Classroom Sensory Environment Assessment**

Heather Miller Kuhaneck, Jaqueline Kelleher

CSEA development has occurred in multiple stages over 2 yr; this article reports descriptive results from 152 classrooms and provides initial reliability results.

- 6906180050 **Handwriting Without Tears®: General Education Effectiveness Through a Consultative Approach**
Denise K. Donica
Results support the consultative role of occupational therapy with teachers in general education for implementation of handwriting curricula and the success of HWT for printing instruction.
- 6906180060 **Building Capacity of Occupational Therapy Practitioners to Address the Mental Health Needs of Children and Youth: A Mixed-Methods Study of Knowledge Translation**
Susan Bazyk, Louise Demirjian, Teri LaGuardia, Karen Thompson-Repas, Carol Conway, Paula Michaud
A 6-mo building capacity process designed to promote knowledge translation of a public health approach to mental health among pediatric occupational therapy practitioners empowered change leaders to articulate, advocate for, and implement practice changes.
- 6906180070 **Systematic Review of Yoga Interventions for Anxiety Reduction Among Children and Adolescents**
Lindy L. Weaver, Amy R. Darragh
A systematic review of the evidence base for yoga-based interventions for anxiety among children and adolescents found that most of the 16 studies in the final review indicated reduced anxiety after a yoga intervention.
- 6906180080 **Development and Psychometric Evaluation of the Vocational Fit Assessment (VFA)**
Andrew C. Persch, P. Cristian Gugu, James A. Onate, Dennis S. Cleary
Analysis of the factor structure and subscale reliability of the VFA lends initial evidence in support of the tool's reliability and validity.
- Health and Wellness* 6906240010 **Developing Occupation-Based Preventive Programs for Late-Middle-Aged Latino Patients in Safety-Net Health Systems [ONLINE ONLY]**
Stacey L. Schepens Niemiec, Mike Carlson, Jenny Martínez, Laura Guzmán, Anish Mahajan, Florence Clark
A qualitative study of the lifestyle domains and health-actualizing strategies identified by late-middle-aged Latinos as critical for maintaining personal health and well-being was used to construct a foundational schema to support occupational therapy health promotion programs.
- Occupation, Participation, and Health* 6906260010 **Food Activities and Identity Maintenance Among Community-Living Older Adults: A Grounded Theory Study [ONLINE ONLY]**
Nicola Ann Plastow, Anita Atwal, Mary Gilhooly
A grounded-theory approach to analyzing interview data from 39 older adults revealed that food activities can contribute to identity maintenance and mental well-being.
- Rehabilitation, Participation, and Disability* 6906290010 **Functional Deficits and Quality of Life Among Cancer Survivors: Implications for Occupational Therapy in Cancer Survivorship Care [ONLINE ONLY]**
Eric J. Hwang, Nicole C. Lokietz, Rachel L. Lozano, Megan A. Parke
Functional difficulties and compromised QoL identified in a survey of 66 cancer survivors indicate the need for occupational therapy among this population.
- Departments* 6906350010 **BRIEF REPORT
Development and Preliminary Reliability of the Functional Upper Extremity Levels (FUEL) [ONLINE ONLY]**
Stephen Van Lew, Daniel Geller, Rachel Feld-Glazman, Nettie Capasso, Adrienne Dicembri, Genevieve Pinto Zipp
A two-phase study involving 44 occupational therapists found that the FUEL had initial content validity and substantial interrater reliability.
- 6906350020 **BRIEF REPORT
Managing Poststroke Fatigue Using Telehealth: A Case Report [ONLINE ONLY]**
Nicole Boehm, Hannah Muehlberg, Jan E. Stube
After participation in teleconference-based energy conservation course, a client with PSF experienced improved occupational performance and satisfaction and decreased fatigue impact.
- 6906360010 **THE ISSUE IS . . .
State of the Science: A Roadmap for Research in Sensory Integration**
Roseann C. Schaaf, Sarah A. Schoen, Teresa A. May-Benson, L. Diane Parham, Shelly J. Lane, Susanne Smith Roley, Zoe Mailloux
The pillars of practice, advocacy, and education are identified as the foundation for SI research.