

Sarah Broughton, Dip (OT)

Qualification Summary

Diploma Occupational Therapy St Loyes School of Occupational Therapy, 1988

Professional Membership or Council Number

Membership

British Association of Occupational Therapists
Health & Care Professions Council
CMSUK

BT102828
OT16787
14-1417-A

Geographic Oxfordshire

Rehabilitation Expertise and Experience

Orthopaedics
Traumatic Brain Injury
Spinal Injury
Neuro Rehabilitation
Hand Injury
Advanced Cognitive Rehabilitation
Complex posture and seating
Vocational Assessment

Personal Profile

Sarah has worked as an Occupational Therapist since 1988 and left the NHS in February to work full time in the private sector. Her experience includes working in general medicine, cardiology, orthopaedics, hand injuries and care of the elderly. She has specialised in the field of neurology over the last twenty five years. This experience includes working in acute neuro-medical/surgical, on an acute stroke unit, neuro-rehabilitation and community rehabilitation.

As an Occupational Therapist she is able to fully assess the functional impact an injury has on an individual and identify rehabilitation needs that can be met through treatment or adaptation of an environment. Sarah is able to identify and liaise with appropriate professionals to increase the functional independence of an individual. She has extensive experience in developing packages of care for clients with complex needs. Her years of working in both the private and NHS have provided her with skills to communicate with a wide range of professionals across the services. Sarah's skills as an Occupational Therapist enable her to focus on the client as an individual

and to maintain the best possible outcome for their recovery within the challenging environment of case management.

Professional Work Summary

June 2010 – date	Unite Professionals Ltd- Case Manager
November 2002 – February 2014	Acute stroke unit, Royal Berkshire NHS Foundations Trust. Lead Specialist Occupational Therapist
June 2010– date	Independent Occupational Therapist
2002-2003	Represented COT on the MS Clinical Guideline Development Group.
2000-2004	Chair of the chronic/and or progressive neurological disorders forum (NANOT). Published national standards of practice in 2002 jointly with COT. Published fatigue management pack for Occupational Therapists with COT in 2004.
1996-2004	National executive committee member of the SSNP (Specialist Section Neurological Practice)

Multiple Continued Professional Development, including but not limited to:

Objective and standardised assessment for OT in neurological practice
Splinting in Neurology,
Recognising and Treating Dysexecutive Disorders,
Advanced Cognitive Rehabilitation,
Complex posture and seating,
Management of MS, Management of MND,
Bobath- What is normal movement and The assessment and treatment of adults
with neurological conditions,
Vocational assessment of the person, workplace and designing a treatment
programme,
Bond Solon court room training and report writing
Motivational Interviewing.

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