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***TONI WALL, B.H.Sc. (OT)***  
***OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST***  
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***SPECIFIC SKILLS***

- **Musculoskeletal, Complex Orthopaedic and ABI Rehabilitation**
- **In-home Functional Assessments/Functional Re-training**
- **Home Accessibility Assessments/Recommendations for Home Modifications**
- **Case management of Catastrophic Injuries**
- **Life Care Planning/Future Care Cost Analysis**
- **Jobsite Assessment**
- **Ergonomic Assessment and Ergonomic Interventions**
- **Work Hardening, Return to Work Planning**
- **Progressive Goal Attainment Program (PGAP) for Chronic Pain**

***EDUCATION***

- Bachelor of Health Sciences Degree in Occupational Therapy, McMaster University, Hamilton, ON, 1987
- Diploma in Occupational Therapy, Mohawk College of Applied Arts and Technology, Hamilton, ON, 1986

***PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS***

- College of Occupational Therapists of Ontario (COTO)
- Canadian Association of Occupational Therapists (CAOT)
- Ontario Society of Occupational Therapists (OSOT)

***PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT***

- McMaster University: Tutoring in a Problem Based Learning (PBL) Environment (2018)
- Ontario Rehab Alliance: New Regime; Rocky Road, or Stairway to Heaven (2018)
- All About the CAT and The LAT, (2016)
- Matheson: Life Care Planning (2015)
- Cognition: A Problem-Solving Approach to Choosing Assessment Tools (2014)
- Integrating Evidence-Based Practice and Validity Testing in MTBI, Post-Concussion, Chronic Pain and PTSD (2013)
- University of Florida's Life Care Planning Pre-Certification Program: Developing a Life Care Plan (2010)
- OSOT Conference: New Directions in the Changing World of Auto Insurance (2010)
- Life Care Planning (Pre-Certification; Introduction) (2010)
- The New Rules-Reports and Being Qualified as an Expert Witness (2010)
- Matheson: Life Care Planning (2009)
- OSOT Auto Sector: Attendant Care: From Paper to Practice (2009)
- Mild Traumatic Brain Injury; Challenges and Controversies in Diagnosis (2009)
- OSOT Auto Sector Update (2006, 2007, 2008)

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- Progressive Goal Attainment Program (2005)
- Acquired Brain Injury: Assessing Mild to Moderate Impairment (2003)
- Chronic Non-Malignant Pain After Soft Tissue Injury: Using the Evidence (2002)
- Future Care Cost Analysis: Determining Client Need Over a Lifetime (2002)
- Office Ergonomics, CSA (2002)
- Beyond the Clinic: Managing Chronic Pain and Return to Work (2001)
- Assessment of Attendant Care Needs: Surviving the Challenges of the Form 1 (2001)
- Protecting Your Practice: A Medico-Legal Reporting Workshop (2001)
- COTO: Accountable O.T. Practice in the Auto Insurance Sector (2001)
- Various other courses too numerous to list

## ***EXPERIENCE***

### **2005-Present Self-Employed Sole Practitioner, Toni Wall OT Services**

- Occupational Therapy in-home functional assessments (Activities of Daily Living and Attendant Care Needs) and treatment services for adult clients with musculoskeletal/complex orthopaedic injuries, spinal cord injuries, brain injury and chronic pain
- Home accessibility assessments and recommendations for home modifications
- Case management for clients with Catastrophic Injuries
- Life care planning and Future Care Cost Analysis (FCCA) assessments
- Job site assessments (Physical Demands Analysis, Ergonomic assessments/interventions)
- Return to work planning and recommendations

### **1990-2005 VP Business Development, Occupational Therapist, Continuum, a division of Community Rehab, St. Catharines, ON**

- *Staff Occupational Therapist 1990-1996:* In-home safety assessments/rehabilitation for CCAC clients following joint replacement and/or to manage chronic health conditions (Dementia, palliative care, Multiple Sclerosis, etc.)
- *Manager of Occupational Therapy 1996:* Recruitment/performance management of staff Occupational Therapists. Part-time clinical caseload of CCAC clients and private 3<sup>rd</sup> party paying services (i.e. auto insurance, Veteran's Affairs)
- *Director of Private Sector, 1997 – 2003 (see below)*
- *Vice President of Business Development, Continuum (a division of Community Rehab) 2003-2005*
- Responsible for growth and development of company activities with 3<sup>rd</sup> party payors (Auto and LTD Insurers, WSIB, Employers, Designated Assessment Centres) including advertising, promotion, public relations
- Responsible for human resource management including recruitment, orientation and performance management of all therapists and office staff in the south-central region and providing mentoring as required to Directors
- Responsible to provide input to business management/quality assurance activities including developing policies/procedures, strategic planning, financial management, preparation for accreditation (CCHSA)
- Involved in a variety of committees within the company including: Privacy Task Force, Joint Health and Safety Committee, Neuro Team, Policy and Procedure Committee
- Responsible for developing, organizing and facilitating revenue-generating workshops for Rehabilitation Professionals working in the private sector
- Functional assessments (in-home assessment for Housekeeping, Caregiving and Attendant Care Needs)
- Job site assessments (Physical Demands Analysis, Ergonomic assessments/interventions)
- Return to work planning and recommendations
- Occupational Therapy rehabilitation services for clients with musculoskeletal, cumulative trauma, complex orthopaedic injuries
- Conducted Attendant Care, Medical Rehabilitation and Disability Assessments for Designated Assessment Centres
- Adult Education (Back Care and Injury Prevention, Lift/Transfer Training, Progressive Goal Attainment)

**1987-1995 Occupational Therapist, Niagara Rehab, St. Catharines, ON**

- Inpatient and outpatient orthopaedic rehabilitation
- Work hardening, return to work planning
- Hand/Upper quadrant rehab
- Amputee rehabilitation
- Splinting for hand injuries
- Functional abilities evaluations (FAE's)
- Ergonomic and jobsite assessments

**PROFESSIONAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

- Tutor, McMaster University OT Master of Science Program 2018- Present
- OSOT Auto Task Force 2002-2012
- OT Knowledge Exchange Network (affiliated with the Institute for Work and Health, OSOT and COTO) 2006-2010
- OSOT Conference Planning Committee 2008
- Participated in an educational class on opportunities in the private sector (2002), (2004) at McMaster University, was one of a number of presenters running small groups with students
- Participated in a focus group (1998) at McMaster University examining student curriculum in preparation for vocational assessment/treatment
- Regional Director on the OSOT Board of Directors 1992-1995

**PRESENTATIONS**

- “Establishing a Comprehensive Treatment Program for Children Who Stutter” (2005), organized and facilitated the workshop for Continuum, a division of Community Rehab, Burlington, Canada
- “OT Practice in Ontario’s Changing Auto Sector”, OSOT Annual Conference (April and September 2003), was one of a number of speakers from the OSOT Auto Task Force, Toronto, Canada
- “Acquired Brain Injury: Assessing Mild to Moderate Impairment” (2003), organized and facilitated the workshop for Continuum, a division of Community Rehab, Hamilton, Canada
- “Future Care Cost Analysis: Determining Client Need over a Lifetime” (2002), organized and facilitated the workshop for Community Rehab, Hamilton, Canada
- “Assessment of Attendant Care Needs: Surviving the Form 1 Workshop” (2001), organized and facilitated the workshop for Community Rehab, Hamilton, Canada
- “Protecting Your Practice: A Medico-Legal Reporting Workshop” (2001), organized and facilitated the workshop for Community Rehab, Hamilton, Canada
- “Objective Evaluations - Functional and Jobsite Assessments” (1999), Presented to the Ontario Claims Association, Markham, Canada
- “Bill 59 and the Impact on Delivery of Therapeutic Services” (1998), Presented to the Ontario Network for Rehabilitation Management, St. Catharines, Canada

**PUBLICATIONS**

- Wall, T. (2002), Working through the pain: treatment and modifications influence early return-to-work, Rehab & Community Care Management, 2, 48-49.