

OZARKS TECHNICAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY ASSISTANT PROGRAM

FW 1.7 Level I Fieldwork

FW 1.7.2 Time Requirements for Level I Fieldwork

Level I fieldwork occurring in Practicum I (OTA 211) will occur throughout the semester on pre-determined dates that are provided to the student at the start of the Spring semester.

Level I fieldwork occurring in Practicum II (OTA 241) must be completed as it is scheduled during the didactic semester, which is a two week continuous rotation experience at an off-site location. Permission for rescheduling will be assessed on a situational basis.

The OTA Program encourages sites to provide clinical experiences for OTA 241 consistent with a 40-hour work week but is aware of factors that may result in time variances. In the event that the primary supervisor cannot provide enough hours to mimic a full-time criteria set by the site for the week, students are encouraged to confer with the supervisor in seeking alternate supervision within the site to reach the hour minimum. Students or supervisors may consult with the AFWC for additional ideas for alternate supervision.