
Learning Objectives

MedBridge

Understanding OT Evaluation Codes: Case Scenarios

Rick Gawenda, PT

Course Objectives:

Upon completion of this course, learners will be able to:

- Identify personal factors and comorbidities that may impact the therapy plan of care
- Recite examples of stable, evolving and changing, and unstable and unpredictable
- Describe the importance of the subjective and objective component of the initial examination
- List the documentation requirements to support the level of evaluation reported and billed
- Select the correct evaluation code based on evaluation findings and documentation

Chapter 1: Introduction to the Occupational Therapy Evaluation Codes

This chapter will teach participants the three components of the occupational therapy evaluation CPT codes and the minimum requirements that must be met for each component to bill that complexity level.

Chapter 2: What are Performance Deficits and How Do We Count Them?

This chapter will focus on the examination component of the occupational therapy evaluation and teach participants what are performance deficits and how do you count them.

Chapter 3: Occupational Therapy Evaluation and Decision-Making

This chapter will focus on the decision-making component of the occupational therapy evaluation and the importance of documenting how comorbidities may impact occupational performance and the amount of assistance and/or modification that is provided to enable the patient to complete the evaluation component.

Chapter 4: Occupational Therapy Evaluation Case Scenarios: Pediatrics and Neurology

This chapter will provide case scenario's that will teach occupational therapists how to select the appropriate evaluation complexity level based on their documentation. Examples will include pediatrics and neurology.

Chapter 5: Occupational Therapy Evaluation Case Scenarios: Orthopedics

This chapter will provide case scenario's that will teach occupational therapists how to select the appropriate evaluation complexity level based on their documentation. Examples will focus on orthopedic conditions.