# Everything You Need to Know About Supervising a Student in 1 hour

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### Agenda

- Overview of the OT Curriculum and OT Clinical Education Program at McGill
- Important tools for a successful learning experience
- Overview of the CBFE evaluation tool and how to use it
- Question/answer period (15 min)



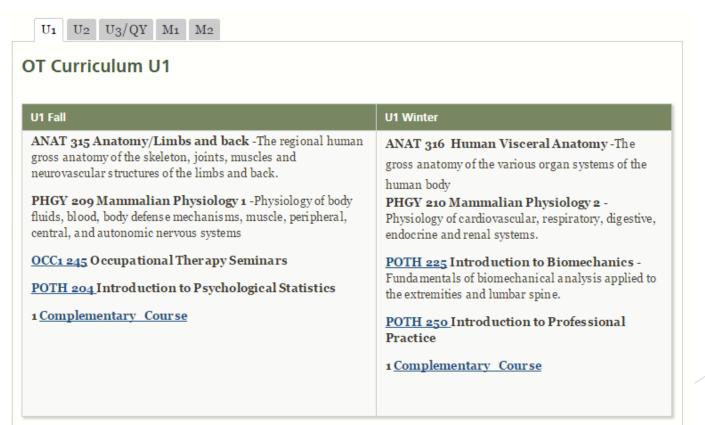
# The OT Curriculum and OT Clinical Education Program at McGill



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Two entry points to the MScOT Program: U1 (from CEGEP) or QY (after completion of an undergraduate degree)



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#### **OT Curriculum U2**

U2 Winter
OCC1 443 Constructing Mental Health
POTH 434 Musculoskeletal Biomechanics
POTH 401 Research Methods
2 Complementary Courses

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#### OT Curriculum U3 and Qualifying Year (QY)

U3 Fall	U3 Winter
OCC1 545 Therapeutic Strategies in OT 1	OCC1 551 Psychosocial practice in OT
OCC1 550 Enabling Human Occupation	OCC1 547 Occupational Solutions I
POTH 563 Foundations of Professional Practice	OCC1 548 Holistic Approaches in OT
IPEA 500 Roles in InterProfessional Teams	OCC1 549 Therapeutic Strategies in OT 2
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#### OT Curriculum M1

M1 Summer	M1 Fall
OCC1 501	POTH 612 Advanced Research Methods
Clinical Practicum I (pdf) (6 weeks)	OCC1 618 Applied OT Psychosocial Theory
	OCC1 620 Work Ergonomics
OCC1 502	OCC1 617 Occupational Solutions 2
Clinical Practicum II (pdf) (7 weeks)	

M1 Winter

OCC1 503

Clinical Practicum III (pdf) (8 weeks)

OCC1 622 Community based OT

OCC1 623 Assistive Technology

IPEA 502 Patient-Centred Care in Action: An Interprofessional Approach

Professional complementary courses

POTH 627 Advanced Topics in Dysphagia

POTH 633 Function Activity in Arthritis

POTH 634 Childhood Performance Issues

POTH 635 Enabling Upper Extremity Function

POTH 638 Promoting Wellness of Seniors

POTH 640 Role-Emerging Management

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#### **OT Curriculum M2**

M2 Summer	M2 Fall
Work on and submit Master's Project	POTH 624 Master's Project (registration & credit)
	OCC1 602
	Clinical Practicum IV (pdf) (8 weeks)
	Completion of M.Sc. (Applied) degree 58 credit

### Overview of the OT Clinical Education Program

- Students participate in a number of clinical seminars (lead by the clinical team) prior to the start of their clinical courses.
- Clinical seminars focus on the following: professionalism, giving/receiving feedback, interprofessional collaboration, reflective practice, creating learning objectives, preparing for clinical courses, the CBFE evaluation tool, being a self-directed learner, managing conflict, etc.
- Students also participate in clinical seminars after their clinical courses to further develop the above skills and debrief on their first experiences.

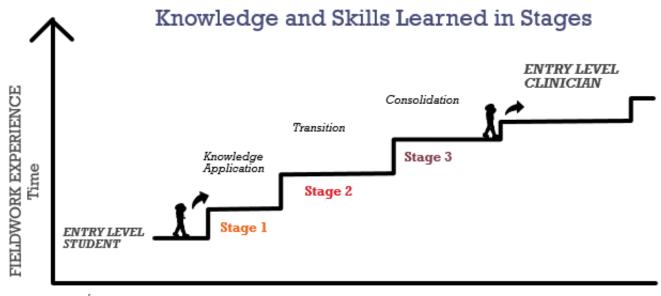
# Important Tools for a Successful Learning Experience



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Presumed relationship between fieldwork experience and stages/levels



Stages of Professional Competency Development

#### WHAT DOES MY STUDENT NEED FROM ME?

► Recent study published in *AJOT* (Grenier, 2015) explored the facilitators and barriers to learning in fieldwork education from the perspective of students.

Students identified the following facilitators to learning:

#### **FACILITATORS:**

- Clinical educators who are: friendly, supportive, positive, professional, have realistic expectations
- Clinic staff that is friendly, welcoming, supportive, and inclusive
- Student's self-confidence (can be a positive or negative)
- Access to a personal work space
- ► Access to resources (i.e. internet, books, etc.)

▶ Clinical educators who: adapt teaching styles to student learning styles (use a variety of teaching methods), encourage active student participation, provide regular and constructive feedback (sandwich method), provide relevant tasks and assignments, allow students some degree of independence, give guidance and model interventions, provide clear objectives and expectations, take advantage of "teachable moments", give prep time, take time to review/discuss.

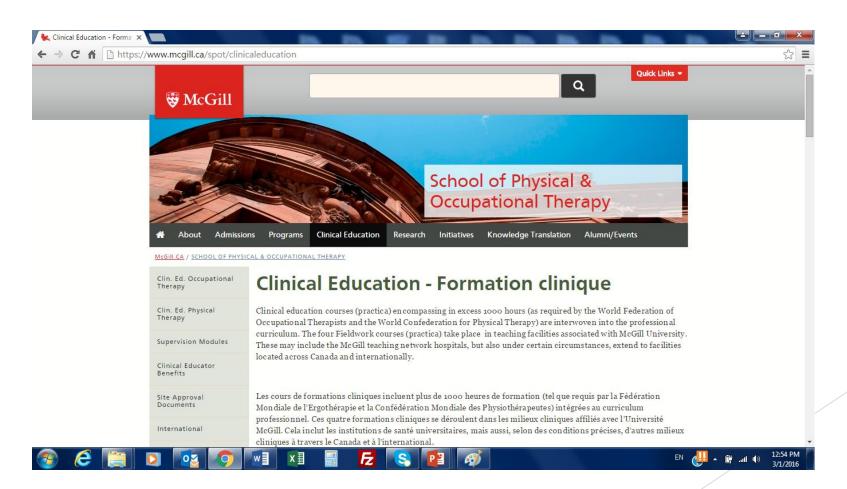
#### HOW DO I IMPLEMENT THIS WITH MY STUDENT?

- Upon student arrival: Introduce yourself and introduce the student to other team members and to patients
- Give a tour of the facilities
- Explain how the institution functions including relevant policies and procedures, documentation procedures, workday structure, etc.
- Provide the student with clear objectives and expectations (may be broken down week by week something in writing is always helpful) THIS IS DIFFERENT THAN THE UNIVERSITY'S GENERIC LEARNING OBJECTIVES AND THE STUDENT LEARNING OBJECTIVES.

- Explain to the student your teaching style... Inquire about their learning style
- Inquire about student's past experiences/knowledge relevant to your practice area (this will help you establish realistic expectations)
- Discuss both of your expectations regarding the "supervisory" relationship
- Discuss frequency of feedback will you meet daily? Weekly?

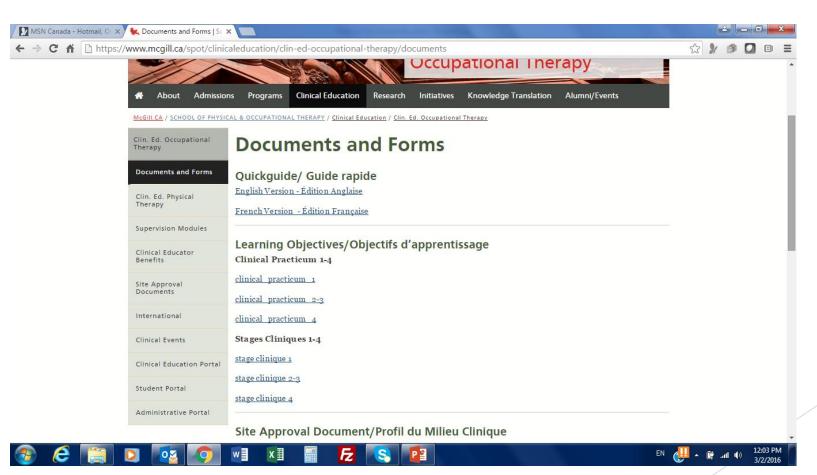
- Discuss any pertinent personal factors that may affect the student learning experience (ex: health care system changes, family obligations, recent losses, part-time jobs
  - be transparent!)
- Review student learning objectives







# Tools for a Successful Learning Experience \*(Great for Lear. Ob.)



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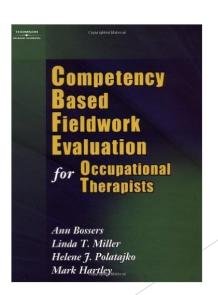
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# Overview of the CBFE Evaluation Tool and How to Use It

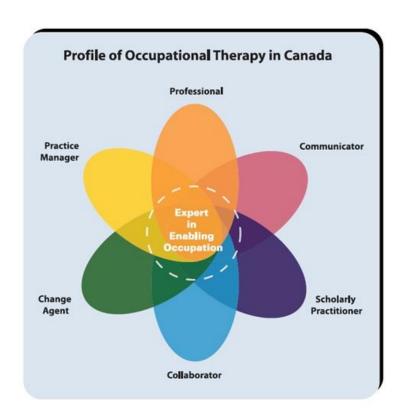


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### The CBFE Evaluation Tool

- Used across Canada since 2000
- Offered in French and English (we provide you with both)
- Fits with the "Profile of OT Practice in Canada" and Quebec competency document (OEQ).
- Completed at mid-term and at end of clinical stage (student and educator)
- Midterm grade does not necessarily need to be lower than final grade



### 7 core competencies in CBFE - OT

#### Practical Knowledge

- Discipline specific theory
- Technical knowledge

#### Clinical Reasoning

- Analytical and conceptual thinking
- Judgment
- Decision making
- Problem solving

#### 3. Facilitating Change

- Assessment
- Intervention planning
- Intervention delivery
- Discharge planning

#### Professional Interaction and Responsibility

- Relationship with clients & colleagues
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#### Communication

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#### Professional Development

- Commitment to profession
- Self directed learning
- Accountability

#### Performance Management

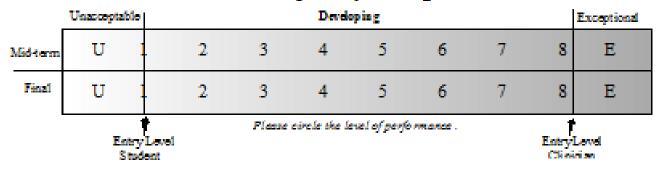
- Time and resource management
- leadership

### The CBFE Evaluation Tool

#### 2. Clinical Reasoning

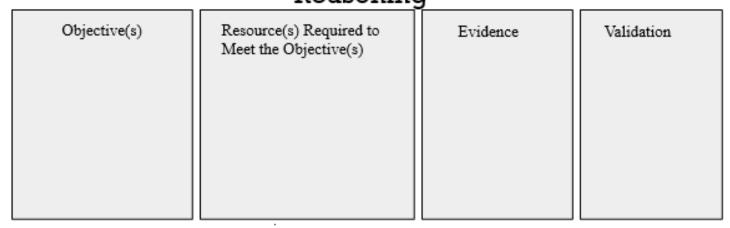
- Demonstrates analytical thinking
- Demonstrates conceptual thinking
- Demonstrates good judgment and sound decision-making
- Utilizes good problem solving
- Demonstrates reasoning based on evidence

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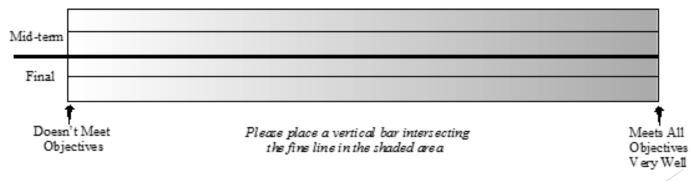


### The CBFE Evaluation Tool

Student's learning objective (s) – Critical Reasoning



#### The Learning Objective Rating Scale



### The CBFE Evaluation Tool - SCORING

- Level 1: Scores 1 3:
  - l = low Level 1 competencies
  - 2 = rudimentary Level 1 competencies
  - 3 = mastery of Level 1 competencies/transition to Level 2

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### The CBFE Evaluation Tool - SCORING

- Level 2: Scores 3 6:
  - 3 = transition to Level 2
  - 4 = rudimentary Level 2 competencies
  - 5 = intermediate Level 2 competencies
  - 6 = mastery of Level 2 competencies/transition to Level 3

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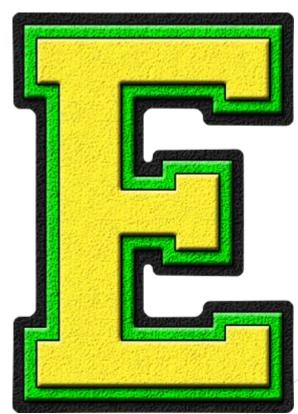
### The CBFE Evaluation Tool - SCORING

- Level 3: Scores 6 8:
  - 6 = transition to Level 3
  - 7 = rudimentary Level 3 competencies
  - 8 = mastery of Level 3 competencies/ready to enter clinical practice

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### The CBFE Evaluation Tool: Comments and Use of 'E' for Exceptional

- Importance of objective comments
- Use of E as well as numerical score
- Clinical educators grade pass or fail - the clinical education team at the university will assign students a letter grade



### The Final Evaluation: Reminders

- ► The student and the educator should complete the CBFE-OT and discuss together (are there discrepancies?)
- ► The student should have completed a site evaluation form he/she should share this with you during the final evaluation meeting
- ► A hard-copy or electronic version of the final student evaluation should be <u>provided to the student</u> for his/her portfolio
- The student's clinical experience booklet should be signed (all pages)
- A hard-copy or electronic version of the final student evaluation should be mailed to Marie-Lyne Grenier at 3654 Sir William Osler, Montreal, Canada, H3G 1Y5 or sent via email at marie-

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# The CBFE Evaluation Tool: Activity

- Nadia is a level 1 student. You have been supervising her in a geriatric-based practice using a program model in an acute care hospital. At final, these are your conclusions about Nadia's performance:
- More focus needed on determining the problems based on assessment findings (link to discharge planning), lack of familiarity with the OT assessments used on the unit, extreme shyness during rounds, frustration at needing to give her constant reminders to request cosignatures on progress notes and frequent tardiness in the mornings.
- Nadia did a good job on her final project, looking at the use of humour in geriatric settings. She has established good rapport with her clients and the interprofessional team. Her written documentation is slightly better than that of students you have taken in the past.

# The CBFE Evaluation Tool: Activity

Assign a numerical grade for Nadia for each of the 7 competencies listed below:

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### THANK YOU FOR PARTICIPATING!

