

#OTalk Transcript

Healthcare social media transcript of the #OTalk hashtag.

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Amie Jayne @Amie_OT

@OTalk_ I'm here.... wishing I was there #otalk :)



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT

I am here! #otalk



OTalk @OTalk_

If you're new to the chat (hopefully there'll be some new faces from the conference!), there's going to be a series of questions for discussion throughout the hour - use the #OTalk hashtag in your replies so that we can collect everyone's tweets together at the end :)



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Keep professionalism and confidentiality in mind (as well as general good manners) and don't be afraid to get involved in the chat - everyone welcome! #OTalk



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@Amie_OT Same here! (this is @colourful_ot , representing the people who didn't make it to the conference this year 😊) #OTalk



Amie Jayne @Amie_OT

@OTalk_ @colourful_ot There's *hopefully* always next year :) #otalk



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT

@Amie_OT @OTalk_ @colourful_ot Unfortunately- your next one is 2021. #otalk



Amie Jayne @Amie_OT

@BillWongOT @OTalk_ @colourful_ot I missed that note :(#otalk



Prof Diane Cox @dianecox61

RT @OTontheTracks: These ladies have made me smile so much over the last few days! So glad to call them friends! @Kirstie_OT, @OT_@G...



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I'll jump straight into our first question since it links in nicely with everyone introducing themselves: Q1 How did you engage in #RCOT2019 year? (presenting, attending, following on Twitter, other social media, none of the above?) #OTalk



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT

@OTalk_ Attending! #otalk



Amie Jayne @Amie_OT

@OTalk_ I followed on Twitter, trying to catch up with the most of it now #OTalk



Elizabeth Inchley @LizInchleyOT

@OTalk_ attending and tweeting! #OTalk



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT

RT @LizInchleyOT: @OTalk_ attending and tweeting! #OTalk



Laura Student OT @LAURA59455619

@OTalk_ Hi 🙋 I attended & followed lots of people on Twitter (also met a few people FROM Twitter!) 😊 #OTalk



Miriam Noonan @mirnoonanOT

@OTalk_ Attended, had a poster, met people I have previously chatted with online, went to @OTalk_ dinner (fantastic idea!) & engaged on #OTalk



Amie Jayne @Amie_OT

@LAURA59455619 @OTalk_ I love putting faces to Twitter names #otalk



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT

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RT @LAURA59455619: @OTalk_ Hi 🙋 I attended & followed lots of people on Twitter (also met a few people FROM Twitter!) 😊 #OTalk



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT

@mirnoonanOT @OTalk_ Dinner was a good make up plan for not having conference dinner. #otalk



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@cathymc9781 Remember to write #OTalk at the end of your Tweets - otherwise I'll be able to find them in my notifications but they won't show when people search the hashtag to follow the conversation 😊



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Amie Jayne @Amie_OT

@LAURA59455619 @OTalk_ I know that feeling #otalk



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Q2 What was the highlight of the conference for you? #OTalk



Catherine McNulty @cathymc9781

#OTalk the bingo is a great way to meet people at the conference ... i did a lot of wondering around in 2017 ... improved conference skills a 2018 and even did some conference blogging did they do any this year ??



Kate Tudor @OT_KateT

@OTalk_ Attended, listened, talked, tweeted and am now struggling to process it all! #OTalk



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT

@OTalk_ Hmmmm... that is a toughie. #otalk dinner was a great lead off... even though it was unofficial event.



deb_OT @dmay_ot

@OTalk_ #OTalk. I attended and tweeted and met in real life people I know from here in wierd and wonderful places including curry house & @GillyGorry and ubers @BillWongOT!



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Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT

@OT_KateT @OTalk_ I have to do so quickly so that I can have a fresh mind in 3 weeks. #otalk

**Laura Student OT** @LAURA59455619

@OTalk_ 🙄 there were so many great sessions & inspiring people 👍 I think my favourites were Helen Carey's sessions on the Model of C her #MND work (was inspired from last week's #OTalk discussion!) - but loved doing some crochet at the Stop. Do. Relax zone too!

**Katie Major** @KatieCMajor

@OTalk_ Followed on Twitter. It was great to have live updates and participate in some debate #OTalk #RCOT2019

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@OTalk_ Not being there my highlight it the fact I can follow on Twitter and find out some of what's gone and still make use of conference f #otalk

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**Elizabeth Inchley** @LizInchleyOT

@OTalk_ Being in an environment where felt part of a large positive like-minded collective, and where ideas and discussions were welcomed #OTalk

**Lucy Gordon** @Lucygordon83

@OTalk_ So sad to have missed #RCOT2019 however managed to catch up on everything going on through the wonderful world of twitter much amazing stuff happening this year, lots of fab tweeters out there #OTalk

**Kate Tudor** @OT_KateT

@BillWongOT @OTalk_ Plus a couple trips half way round the world 🌍🌍🌍🌍🌍 I've no idea how you do it! #OTalk

**OTalk** @OTalk_

RT @LizInchleyOT: @OTalk_ Being in an environment where felt part of a large positive like-minded collective, and where ideas and discussions were welcomed #OTalk

**Isobel Whelan** @IsobelWhelan

@OTalk_ Attended for first time and started tweeting (properly). First time joining (from my train home). #OTalk

**Lauren** @Lauren_OT

@OTalk_ I attended my first conference with massive thanks to the @RCOTTrentregion for giving me the opportunity! #OTALK

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

@OT_KateT @OTalk_ When you are a wanted international guest at these things... doing the best I can to make it work on a budget. #otal

**Kate Tudor** @OT_KateT

@LizInchleyOT @OTalk_ This. I didn't have time, or eloquence to type it! #OTalk

**Laura Student OT** @LAURA59455619

@LizInchleyOT @OTalk_ I second that! #OTalk

**Lauren** @Lauren_OT

@OTalk_ Mine was Sam Baker @thebakerstron talking about stalking as a meaningful occupation and his role as the only OT within a MA's makes so much sense to have this! #OTalk

**Katie Major** @KatieCMajor

@Amie_OT @OTalk_ This was the same for me. I could feel the spirit of #RCOT2019 #OTalk

**deb_OT** @dmay_ot

This year more than ever I enjoyed randomly bumping into people! I was inspired by @SimpsonResearch, laughed indecently at @Laughir hung out with @Keirwales

**OTalk** @OTalk_

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**Kate Tudor** @OT_KateT

@Lauren_OT @OTalk_ @thebakerstron I couldn't get to that one. What is a MASIP? #OTalk

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

@Lauren_OT @OTalk_ @thebakerstron That was ace! #otalk

**Amie Jayne** @Amie_OT

@KatieCMajor @OTalk_ So true!!!! #OTalk

**Baker** @thebakerstron

@Lauren_OT @OTalk_ Thanks Lauren 😊. So glad that so many people enjoyed it! #OTalk

**Catherine McNulty** @cathymc9781

@OTalk_ #OTalk sorry will try remember

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

@Lucygordon83 @OTalk_ It was the highest number of impressions since Brighton in 2015 I think. #otalk

**Miriam Noonan** @mirnoonanOT

@Lauren_OT @OTalk_ @thebakerstron Yep, this was a stand out presentation for me. Fantastic work being done. as well as @LaughingC paradox of social connection /disconnection #OTalk

**Baker** @thebakerstron

@OT_KateT @Lauren_OT @OTalk_ Multi Agency Stalking Intervention Programme (MASIP) #OTalk

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

@Kirstie_OT @OTSalfordUni @OTinretirement So does Patricia McClure too. Can't believe she is finishing her service too. #otalk

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**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

@mirnoonanOT @Lauren_OT @OTalk_ @thebakerstron @LaughingOT She is ace, too! Finally meet after being connected for 6-7 years!

**OTalk** @OTalk_

Q3 is well-timed since it's something people are already talking about - did you meet anyone at the conference who you knew from Twitter? it go? #OTalk

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

@Vicky3L @OTalk_ 2 days is not enough... I wish it was 3 like before. 🙄 #otalk

**Kayleigh Gibbins** @MissK_rebecca

@OTalk_ Attended and tweeting - so useful when so much content to choose between (and over subscribed sessions) #OTalk

**Isobel Whelan** @IsobelWhelan

@OTalk_ so many highlights! Fab to meet other therapists and be able to talk about our shared love of occupational therapy and its value!

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

@OTalk_ I had more social attention than previous years. It's crazy that many of you know/still remember who I am. #otalk

**Kate Tudor** @OT_KateT

@thebakerstron @Lauren_OT @OTalk_ Thanks. Do they exist everywhere? Sorry for the cross examination - I should've come to the talk!

**Catherine McNulty** @cathymc9781

@Amie_OT @OTalk_ #OTalk hello Aimie ,, i agree with you at least watching bits and pieces on twitter is good when you cant get there ... i feel a bit connected especially having been there the last couple of years

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

@MissK_rebecca @OTalk_ It's good practice when you ever go to an American conference. This problem can also happen! #otalk

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

@cathymc9781 @Amie_OT @OTalk_ Well- I remembered back in 2012 or 2013... seeing those tweets made me thinking about coming to these. Now, I have been to 3. Pictures are worth more than 1000 words. #otalk

**Suzanne Simpson** @SimpsonResearch

@OTalk_ Oops just got home pizza now in the oven hello @OTalk_ I presented this year! Plus made myself say hello to OTs who inspire me @dianecox61 @AvrilDrummond1 #FanGirl #OTalk

**Prof Diane Cox** @dianecox61

It was great to meet you @SimpsonResearch #otalk

**Suzanne Simpson** @SimpsonResearch

@OTalk_ Meeting some amazing OTs and helping to support messages about research and social prescribing #OTalk

**Keir Harding** @Keirwales

@dmay_ot @SimpsonResearch @LaughingOT Inspired, made to laugh and "hung out with". #DammnedByFeintPraise #OTalk

**Miriam Noonan** @mirnoonanOT

@OTalk_ #OTalk brought so many of us together with dinner on Sunday night. It was a super idea!

**deb_OT** @dmay_ot

I think one of the things I love about conference or possibly about OTs is how grounded everyone is. People are passionate about occupation even as an almost qualified OT I've never been made to feel any less than valued even by really experienced and renowned OTs. #OTalk

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RT @mirnoonanOT: @OTalk_ #OTalk brought so many of us together with dinner on Sunday night. It was a super idea!

**Amie Jayne** @Amie_OT

@cathymc9781 @OTalk_ It's the first out of the last 4 that I've not been to. Twitter has really kept me up to date with things #otalk

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

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**Prof Diane Cox** @dianecox61

Will read #RCOT2019 thanks @SusanCorr1 #OTalk

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**Elizabeth Inchley** @LizInchleyOT

@OTalk_ I plan to be more active on my professional Twitter account, so that this might happen in the future! #OTalk

**Amie Jayne** @Amie_OT

Couldn't say it better :) #otalk

**Baker @thebakerstron**

@OT_KateT @Lauren_OT @OTalk_ Theres 3 pilot sites currently - Hampshire, London and Cheshire. All first of a kind but ours in Hampst only one with an OT(me!) #OTalk

**Kate Tudor @OT_KateT**

@OTalk_ Worked both ways for me - met some twitter celebs, made some new contacts on here. Next time I need to remember how nice (quicker though, to get over my shyness! #OTalk

**OTalk @OTalk_**

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**Lauren @Lauren_OT**

@OT_KateT @thebakerstron @OTalk_ No, there are three pilot sites at the moment and Sam is the only OT employed. (I was listening!) #

**OTalk @OTalk_**

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**Suzanne Simpson @SimpsonResearch**

@OTalk_ They were lovely!! But wish I'd managed to meet others like @Kirstie_OT @BillWongOT there's just not enough time I wanted to with others too like @preston_jenny @LynneGoodacre @hezycyca #OTalk

**Becky OT Chappell @BeckyChappell10**

RT @Keirwales: Anyone interested in research and OT needs to link in to the regular @OTalk_ #otalk research chats - Tuesdays at 8pm G

**Monica Iofciu_OT @Monicalofciu**

@OTalk_ #otalk I attended #RCOT2019, had a poster and twitted as @IamAnOT19 #IamAnOT19 coming in 2nd in the twitter leaderboard @BillWongOT , of course 😊

**Keir Harding @Keirwales**

@OTalk_ So many people. Always good to see the #OTalk crewe but for the 1st time I met @AmyStringerOT @BillWongOT @AmeliaHanc @LaughingOT @Richardsblister and weirdly @asifamhp All awful people. Never again.

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT**

RT @Monicalofciu: @OTalk_ #otalk I attended #RCOT2019, had a poster and twitted as @IamAnOT19 #IamAnOT19 coming in 2nd in the leade...

**Laura Student OT @LAURA59455619**

@OTalk_ Meeting people from twitter was fun & was great to see what they were up to at conference & what they found interesting! #OTalk

**Monica Iofciu_OT @Monicalofciu**

RT @dmay_ot: I think one of the things I love about conference or possibly about OTs is how grounded everyone is. People are passionate

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT**

@Monicalofciu @OTalk_ @IamAnOT19 When I am here in person... I always feel like I am making people playing for second... lol! #otalk

**Kate Tudor @OT_KateT**

@thebakerstron @Lauren_OT @OTalk_ 🤔 Are those stalking hotspots??!!! #OTalk

**Occupational Therapy University of Liverpool @OTLiverpool**

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**OTalk @OTalk_**

Leading on from Q4, here's Q5: did you come across anyone at the conference who you'd like to see hosting an #OTalk chat? (bonus point include their Twitter handle so that we can get in contact with them... ;))

**Laura Student OT @LAURA59455619**

@OT_KateT @OTalk_ Yep 🤔 meeting knew people can be pretty hard but overall meeting new OTs is easier imo! #OTalk

Karen Owen @nynyKazOwen

RT @FranHamilton_OT: #otalk4 we found the #otalk selfie frame @doryitsme <https://t.co/6UBFgaCOVC>

**Keir Harding** @Keirwales

@OTalk_ @AmyStringerOT @BillWongOT @AmeliaHandyOT @LaughingOT @Richardsblister @asifamhp Oh, and @cmwood85_OT and @OTKatieP They were awful too #otalk

**Melanie Vale** @Abroad_in_Wales

@OTalk_ #OTalk , running late. I attended, and did a facilitated poster discussion

**Keir Harding** @Keirwales

@LizInchleyOT @OTalk_ Its really useful for networking and feeling that you know people in a room full of strangers. As someone who is a is massively helpful to me #OTalk

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

@LAURA59455619 @OT_KateT @OTalk_ Over time this will get easier/harder... depending on the person. Socially is easier with familiar f but it is way harder because new people always want to find me. #otalk

**Vicky** @Vicky3L

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**Laura Student OT** @LAURA59455619

@BillWongOT @OT_KateT @OTalk_ You're in demand Bill! 😊 #OTalk

**Dr Lynne Goodacre** @LynneGoodacre

Just got in from a meeting but wanted to share this question #OTalk sorry for just diving in prob. off topic a bit

**Kayleigh Gibbins** @MissK_rebecca

@OTalk_ Feeling inspired by @SusanCorr1 can do attitude about AHPs in research & generally getting a huge dose of OT and exploring th hot topics in the profession 😊 #OTalk

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

@IsobelWhelan @OTalk_ @CupOTservices This next time is TBD because I don't know my international schedule every year. Outside of r association OT leadership folks, I am probably one of the most busy traveling wise. #otalk

**Suzanne Simpson** @SimpsonResearch

A5 I think @DoLiveWellOT would hold a thought provoking chat in relation to social prescribing #OTalk

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**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

@LAURA59455619 @OT_KateT @OTalk_ I think one year I should have an automatic spot speaking. I want you guys to see my true expe passion. #otalk

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

@LAURA59455619 @OT_KateT @OTalk_ I think if RCOT will put me on presentation schedule... maybe that session will be filled quickly.

**Laura Student OT** @LAURA59455619

@BillWongOT @OT_KateT @OTalk_ I agree! That would be great! And a Q&A session afterwards 👍 #OTalk

**Prof Diane Cox** @dianecox61

RT @MissK_rebecca: @OTalk_ Feeling inspired by @SusanCorr1 can do attitude about AHPs in research & generally getting a huge dose and...

**Kayleigh Gibbins** @MissK_rebecca

@OTalk_ It was great to meet @CupOTservices and congratulate her on her inspiring work and finally introducing @ot_waller to the twitter thanks to conference tweet sharing! #OTalk

**Keir Harding** @Keirwales

@LynneGoodacre Two bears, 3 stress balls and a stationary shop worth of pens. #OTalk

**Kate Tudor** @OT_KateT

@BillWongOT @LAURA59455619 @OTalk_ There'd have to be a live stream to meet the demand! #OTalk



Kayleigh Gibbins @MissK_rebecca
@OTalk_ @CupOTservices @MaryBirken @POPPED_Project #OTalk



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT
@LAURA59455619 @OT_KateT @OTalk_ My Twitter game overshadowed what I am truly here for always for these things. #otalk



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The hour has flown by as always! Final question: what was your take-home message from #RCOT2019? (or, if you attended via Twitter, your learning-at-home message, I suppose? 😊) #OTalk



Kayleigh Gibbins @MissK_rebecca
@OTalk_ @CupOTservices @MaryBirken @POPPED_Project @SusanCorr1 #OTalk



Suzanne Simpson @SimpsonResearch
@Keirwales @LynneGoodacre You got bears 🐻 how did I miss them!!!!? I also want a unicorn 🦄 please @JuliaScottRCOT 😊 #OTalk



Melanie Vale @Abroad_in_Wales
@OTalk_ Q2 is difficult for me. Lots of highlights; catching up with friends from university days, humour and new ideas. Biggest achievement presenting at conference for first time, and beating my anxiety. If I can do it so can you!! #OTalk



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT
@OT_KateT @LAURA59455619 @OTalk_ I think there needs to be an autism topic with my name reserved on the schedule. Too bad I do for service user category. 😊 #otalk



Laura Student OT @LAURA59455619
@OT_KateT @BillWongOT @OTalk_ Aren't they live streaming stuff next year from Manchester? Maybe you could do a live stream on Twitter/Facebook Bill? 😊 you wouldn't have to travel anywhere for that! #OTalk



Laura Student OT @LAURA59455619
@dmay_ot @OT_KateT @OTalk_ @Kelsie_Morton82 😊 OTs hunt in packs - love it! #OTalk



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT
@LAURA59455619 @OT_KateT @OTalk_ Well- RCOT is only international conference that I am 0 for in presenting. So, I will like to change record. Twitter sensation is getting old on me... lol! #otalk



Suzanne Simpson @SimpsonResearch
@OTalk_ It's ok for occupational therapists to embrace social prescribing and that as a community we are getting stronger and louder. Our now #OTalk #EveryonesTalkingOurLanguage #Occupation



Catherine McNulty @cathymc9781
@Mrsbaistow #OTalk and also I am fairly quiet on twitter so I can get on with my studies this summer .. I truly truly truly need to get them finished and all completed before end of Aug so I sometimes scoot through twitter community but mostly not except yesterday and today for #RCOT



Prof Diane Cox @dianecox61
@Keirwales @LynneGoodacre #OTalk These wonderful hands for clapping 🙌 brilliant!!!!!! <https://t.co/v3DAfGyuoH>



OTalk @OTalk_
@MissK_rebecca @CupOTservices @MaryBirken @POPPED_Project Wonderful, thanks Kayleigh! 😊 #OTalk



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT
@OTalk_ Remarkable similarities on the final plenary and the signature talk from TEDxAlmensorPark. Now I will be awaiting for attendees' critical review on how #ValueofOT is portrayed in that population. #otalk



Miriam Noonan @mirnoonanOT
@OTalk_ OTs are leaders!!! #OTalk



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**Keir Harding** @Keirwales

@dmay_ot @SimpsonResearch @LaughingOT Really? Good God. I am honestly nothing special 😊 #OTalk

**Elizabeth Inchley** @LizInchleyOT

@OTalk_ Occupational Therapy is more recognised now but it's more important than ever to wave our green flag and proudly demonstrate of the profession, especially in times of political change and with the constantly accelerating discussion regarding social prescribing. #OTalk

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

@Abroad_in_Wales @OT_KateT @OTalk_ That is why I put my real name on it. I want it to be simple. 😊 #otalk

**Sarah Harvey** @S_Harvey2

RT @mirnoonanOT: @OTalk_ OTs are leaders!!! #OTalk

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

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**Laura Student OT** @LAURA59455619

@OTalk_ OTs should be everywhere because the people we work with are everywhere! #OTalk

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**Laura Student OT** @LAURA59455619

@OT_KateT @BillWongOT @OTalk_ Both? 😊 #OTalk

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

@LAURA59455619 @OTalk_ Well- anybody dare to be the next OT to serve as a TEDx event curator? I am done and somebody can take and run it in his/her community? Nobody else in this space so far. #otalk

**Kate Tudor** @OT_KateT

@BillWongOT @Abroad_in_Wales @OTalk_ My name was already taken - late to the twitter party! #OTalk

**Laura Student OT** @LAURA59455619

@BillWongOT @OTalk_ I'm not brave enough - maybe in a few years when I have some research & practice experience under my belt 😊

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

@OT_KateT @LAURA59455619 @OTalk_ I think next time there should be a "give @BillWongOT a time slot at RCOT to share his passion campaign... lol! #otalk

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

@LAURA59455619 @OTalk_ This is a really daunting task. I think next time it will bring a local OT community together... especially upon the challenges I faced. #otalk

**OTalk** @OTalk_

Thank you everyone for all your contributions to tonight's chat - this is @colourful_ot signing off for the night but feel free to keep chatting! #

**OTalk** @OTalk_

We upload transcripts of all of our chats so that if you missed the conversation tonight, you can read through it in your own time when you get a chance - keep an eye on our Twitter account and we'll Tweet later this week when the transcript is available 😊 #OTalk

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

@LAURA59455619 @OTalk_ I do say that even though the task is daunting... but upon hearing so many ace ideas... maybe some of you will be motivated, "this needs to get out to public ASAP. I will take a plunge and follow Bill's footsteps!" #otalk

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

@OT_KateT @LAURA59455619 @OTalk_ OR... maybe uni's can pool together funds for me to do a workshop tour for me to speak about this #otalk

**Melanie Vale** @Abroad_in_Wales

@OTalk_ One key message that gave me food for thought was why so many of us say "I'm not a typical OT" - I'm really interested in what you think by this #OTalk

**Laura Student OT** @LAURA59455619

@BillWongOT @OT_KateT @OTalk_ Travel the UK universities & be like a visiting lecturer 👍 #OTalk

**Sarah Harvey** @S_Harvey2

@LAURA59455619 @BillWongOT @OTalk_ Do not forget #student presentation applications, dissertations often fit criteria? You do not have a great research piece-perhaps collaborate with your lecturers present your creative #student work #otalk

**RCOT Branches Manager** @RCOT_Louise

Great photo!

**Kate Tudor** @OT_KateT

@Keirwales @dmy_ot @SimpsonResearch @LaughingOT Ba ha ha ha haaaaa! 😂😂😂 You are totally OT (and MH) twitter royalty. Brave I've done in ages say "excuse me....." to you!! #OTalk

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

@S_Harvey2 @LAURA59455619 @OTalk_ I am talking about a different thing. I am actually talking about creative avenues to share #Value TEDx curation is an area that nobody in OT had done before me. Now that it is understood, maybe that will inspire more attempts. #otalk

**Occupational Therapy WHCT** @WHCT_OT

RT @dmy_ot: I think one of the things I love about conference or possibly about OTs is how grounded everyone is. People are passionate

**Kate Tudor** @OT_KateT

@BillWongOT @S_Harvey2 @LAURA59455619 @OTalk_ I've not really explored Ted talks yet. Do you still have an up to date list of the most relevant ones? Curating an event sounds like a monumental task #OTalk

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

@OT_KateT @S_Harvey2 @LAURA59455619 @OTalk_ I have made an update to the YouTube playlist a couple weeks ago. #otalk

**Kate Tudor** @OT_KateT

@BillWongOT @S_Harvey2 @LAURA59455619 @OTalk_ Fab, thanks 👍😊 #OTalk

**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT

@OT_KateT @S_Harvey2 @LAURA59455619 @OTalk_ It is a monumental task. Unfortunately... what I have done is only a small step relative to that space. We need somebody to take it to the next level- multiple events in a year + ability to host 100+ attendees. #otalk

Linda @LindaOTUK



RT @OTalk_: I'll jump straight into our first question since it links in nicely with everyone introducing themselves: Q1 How did you engage..



Hannah Brown @HanElBrown

RT @LizInchleyOT: @OTalk_ Occupational Therapy is more recognised now but it's more important than ever to wave our green flag and p



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT

@OT_KateT @S_Harvey2 @LAURA59455619 @OTalk_ I know many people were 😊 when I said what I did was a small step. I think my experiences will make OT rethink what big impact is! #otalk



Katie Major @KatieCMajor

RT @LizInchleyOT: @OTalk_ Occupational Therapy is more recognised now but it's more important than ever to wave our green flag and p



Julie Hughes @JulieHughes2013

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RT @OTalk_: Ok so do you want to meet, get a selfie with the #OTalk crew? Yes!! Well then we will be hanging out at the selfie area in the.



Jo Watson @JoWatson22

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Kirstie @Kirstie_OT

@SimpsonResearch @OTalk_ @BillWongOT @preston_jenny @LynneGoodacre @hezycy Yes, sorry to have missed you! #RCOT2019 #



Dr Jenny Preston MBE @preston_jenny

I know @SimpsonResearch I saw you at one point out of the corner of my eye, then you were gone. Sounds like you have had a very succ
#RCOT2019 conference, well done 🎉



Kayleigh Gibbins @MissK_rebecca

@OTalk_ We are all leaders. Don't wait for permission. Research is our core on which we grow and we all have responsibility for this, so w
our contribution? Be assertive and confident. We are unique in our contribution. #OTalk



Avril Drummond @AvrilDrummond1

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Research at KMPT @KMPT_Research

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Natalie Pickering @Nat_Pickering

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Catherine McNulty @cathymc9781

@BillWongOT @Amie_OT @OTalk_ #OTalk it is good to be remembered by others as well, validation for ourselves that we do matter & ca
difference U just never know where life is going 2take U especially if U can take the road less travelled or something if I recall the quote all
4 yr trip home



Catherine McNulty @cathymc9781

@BillWongOT @Amie_OT @OTalk_ one reason i love the twitter is connecting with many people and sharing ideas and stories #OTalkonT
#OTalk



Dr Jenny Preston MBE @preston_jenny

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Dee @OTinretirement

RT @otsamantha: Fantastic presence as always by the @OTalk_ team at #RCOT2019 #OTalkonTour <https://t.co/wPyY7hahnX>

King K @Oluwa_kaycee

I missed today's talk. Hope to be back on the next episode. #otalk #OTalkonTour

**KBloomerOT** @KBloomerOT

@OTalk_ I attended the conference this year (first time) and I've spent time engaging with people in Twitter. #OTalk

**Kirstie** @Kirstie_OTWhat can I say about these incredible women? Committed, inspiring, supportive & empowering! Im very lucky to work with them & even luc call them friends. #RCOT2019 #OTalkonTour #OTalk #WeAreTheWeirdosMr <https://t.co/5ryYd8S8II>**Rachel Booth** @OT_rach

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**Emma Talbot** @icanrunclub

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**Libby Fincham** @libby_fincham

RT @dmay_ot: I think one of the things I love about conference or possibly about OTs is how grounded everyone is. People are passionate

**Sophie Maynard** @SophieMaynard8

@OTalk_ I attended #RCOT2019 with my uni buddies and I presented our research project at the student section 🙌 #OTalk

**KBloomerOT** @KBloomerOT"You can't pour from an empty cup." Taking a moment to relax, reflect and recharge after a busy two days. #OccupationalBalance is very in to me for my health and wellbeing. #SocialBattery #Introvert #OTstudent #OccupationalTherapy #OT #OTalk <https://t.co/2mTnVObx1g>**Bethany Marshall** @BethjmOT

Completely agree from both year's conference experience ❤️ I've felt so respected, had lots of advice & my contributions in conversations qualified OTs are valued just as much. Back to @SuzanneRastrick's opening highlighting importance of students/NQ. #RCOT2019 @theRC

**Sophie Maynard** @SophieMaynard8

@OTalk_ Presenting, because I can't believe I did it 🙌 @thebakerstron on stalking as an occupation and @Keirwales all occupations are meaningful! #RCOT2019 #OTalk

**Sophie Maynard** @SophieMaynard8

@OTalk_ @Keirwales have you done one? #OTalk

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**Baker** @thebakerstron

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**Kirstie** @Kirstie_OT

❤️ Could not love this tweet more ❤️ #RCOT2019

**Sophie Maynard** @SophieMaynard8

RT @Keirwales: #otalk bingo number 2 is done. This is my favourite poster mainly because the authors funded me and an LXP to come to

**Sophie Maynard** @SophieMaynard8

@Keirwales @OTalk_ @OT_rach Yes please do! #OTalk

**Kelly M** @OTontheTracks

RT @Kirstie_OT: What can I say about these incredible women? Committed, inspiring, supportive & empowering! Im very lucky to work wit

Rachel Booth @OT_rach

Just home from my drive home from #RCOT2019 just catching up on #OTalk

**Helen Carey** @hezycya

Excellent! Made up with this comment @dmay_ot

**Rachel Booth** @OT_rach

My main highlight was reconnecting with the #otalk crew in person, and seeing how they have developed, the conference is great for network it also challenges me! Still need to reflect on all I have learnt.

**Rachel Booth** @OT_rach

@mirnoonanOT @OTalk_ That was a fun evening - we love getting people together #otalk

**Teresa Buchan** @teresa_buchan

@OTalk_ I attended but had a poster too. Took the opportunity to make connections and meet people from Twitter. Tweeted too to share the and fun of conference #OTalk

**Teresa Buchan** @teresa_buchan

@OTalk_ My highlight was making new connections. Putting names to faces. But had to love the stop, do, relax zone. Sawdust hearts won over.#OTalk

**Rachel Booth** @OT_rach

@Keirwales @SophieMaynard8 @OTalk_ Yes title needs some work, but it will be a good one I'm sure. #OTalk

**Rachel Booth** @OT_rach

@sam_dewis @OTalk_ @SuzanneRastrick What would you like Susanna to lead a chat on? #otalk ?

**Rachel Booth** @OT_rach

@MissK_rebecca @OTalk_ @CupOTservices @MaryBirken @POPPED_Project What subjects would you like these people to host chats on? #OTalk

**Brenda Fadeyibi** @BfadeyOT

RT @OTalk_: This is the mothership guide to all the blog posts from #COT2017. All in order with links to the specific posts @theRCOT #OTalk

**Teresa Buchan** @teresa_buchan

@OTalk_ I met @Kirstie_OT and @OTontheTracks in my search to complete the #OTalk bingo challenge. Along with meeting @BillWongOT

**Brenda Fadeyibi** @BfadeyOTRT @OTalk_: In case you missed it this is THE link to check out all of the blog posts from #COT2017 some great insights await you. <https://www.simplur.com/healthcare-hashtags/OTalk/transcript/...%2F2019&shour=12&smin=0&tdate=6%2F19%2F2019&thour=13&tmin=15>**Rachel Booth** @OT_rach

@Kirstie_OT Here you are @flamencoboden a tweet for your CPD! #RCOT2019 #OTalk

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@OTalk_ Don't wait to be asked. Don't say sorry and explain. Identify the profession with confidence and assume people know what we do or that they know something. Little is better than nothing #OTalk

**Teresa Buchan** @teresa_buchan

@OTalk_ Advanced clinical practice @RCOT_Paul @SetG75 @PhysioTeacher. Session #RCOT2019 only started to explore future practice career pathways. Would be a great #OTalk session

**Sue Ram** @SueShiny

RT @OTalk_: I'll jump straight into our first question since it links in nicely with everyone introducing themselves: Q1 How did you engage..

**Helen OTUK** @Helen_OTUK

@Keirwales @SophieMaynard8 Your improv skills came into good use! Great job and session. #OTalk

**Theresa Baxter** @Ottabax

RT @dmay_ot: I think one of the things I love about conference or possibly about OTs is how grounded everyone is. People are passionate

**Amanda Peacock** @DoLiveWellOT

RT @SimpsonResearch: @OTalk_ It's ok for occupational therapists to embrace social prescribing and that as a community we are getting

**Helen OTUK** @Helen_OTUK@OTalk_ #OTalk So many highlights of #RCOT2019, but always being with these guys.... #OTalkonTour ❤️❤️❤️ I was asked many times v get my energy... here are 4 of my energy supplies. Passionate, motivated, supportive and well truly amazing people. <https://t.co/qlrHLWLE9>**Helen OTUK** @Helen_OTUK

@mirnoonanOT @OTalk_ Thank you for coming along, was a great evening. #OTalk

**#Hellomynameis Sarah** @SLawsonOT

@AmmeliaMayOT @SetG75 Twitter can be a great way to begin build/enhance your own learning community - check out @otalk #OTalk

**Helen OTUK** @Helen_OTUK@OTalk_ The closing plenary was so good... highlighting why we do what we do... #ThePowerofOccupation #OTalk #RCOT2019 <https://t.co/CBlrngDc6X>**NSFT Library** @NSFTlibrary

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**SIMON COOPE** @SIMONDAVIDCOOPE

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**Laura Triggs** @LST_OT

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**Amanda White** @ajciliaOT

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**RCOT Branches Manager** @RCOT_Louise

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**Emma** @OTemma

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**Amanda Peacock** @DoLiveWellOT

In the spirit of #RCOT2019 bingo I accept the challenge! Suggest I try hosting following my attendance at Social Prescribing Network confe next month and once I have learnt how to host one!! @Helen_OTUK @OTalk_ @SLawsonOT @hearleD

**WGU Occupational Therapy** @GlyndwrOT

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**annie turner** @eann_turner

RT @MissK_rebecca: @OTalk_ Feeling inspired by @SusanCorr1 can do attitude about AHPs in research & generally getting a huge dose and...

**LPT Research Team** @LPTresearch

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**Prof Susan Corr** @SusanCorr1

Very pleased that others can gain from our successes in @LPTnhs It takes time and we've built get partnerships esp with @Jayne_NurseP senior support too @rachelbilsboro1

**Julie Hughes** @JulieHughes2013

RT @MissK_rebecca: @OTalk_ Feeling inspired by @SusanCorr1 can do attitude about AHPs in research & generally getting a huge dose and...

**Penny Petrie** @petrie_penny

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**Jen Gash** @OTCoachUK

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**Crystal Dieleman** @CrystalDieleman

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**Rachel Booth** @OT_rach

Invited our NHS trust's Imam along to answer any questions we had, the session certainly improved my understanding and gave me new ideas engaging with those with faith, and sparked an idea for a #OTalk chat.

**Emma** @OTEmma

RT @OTalk_: The new chair of @theRCOT is a big contributor to #OTalk thanks for all you supportive over the year @dianecox61 #Rcot2019 #ota...

**OTalk** @OTalk_@DoLiveWellOT @Helen_OTUK @SLawsonOT @healed This is great, we are here to help, and you will have support on the night. <https://t.co/Kf8nFtq4Zi> you can apply here. #otalk #RCOT2019**OTalk** @OTalk_

Did you join in the #OTalk bingo challenge at #RCOT2019 - how many did you get? Did anyone get all 10? No one as claimed the prize yet

**Nichola Ryder** @NicholaRyder

@OTalk_ #OTalk too many highlights to mention. Big congrats to Keir Harding's challenge of it's not the specific activity but the doing together is the purposeful engagement is great food for thought. Links back to the wonders of Dr Kantartzis system theory!! #RCOT2019

**Kelly M** @OTontheTracks

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**Ellie** @EllieHorganOT

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