

# #OTalk Transcript

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 **Jade Reilly** @JadeMarie\_R

RT @OTalk\_: Who is joining #OTalk this evening at 8pm.... Vona du Toit Model of Creative Ability (VdTMoCA) with @VdTMoCAFUK <https://>

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 **OTalk** @OTalk\_

Good evening all... it's time for #OTalk.... this evening we will be hosted by Tori @VdTMoCAFUK ... who is joining us?

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 **VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

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**Dr Wendy Sherwood** @icancreativity

@OTalk\_ @VdTMoCAFUK Wendy Sherwood @icancreativity #OTalk I understand nothing about twitter - does this reply show as me, or as Foundation?

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 **VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

RT @OTalk\_: This evening #OTalk will be discussing The Vona du Toit Model of Creative Ability @VdTMoCAFUK <https://t.co/tgcMo1ElaT>

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 **chris OT** @chrisMHOT

@OTalk\_ @VdTMoCAFUK Hopefully able to follow and respond whilst putting kids to bed #otalk

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 **OTalk** @OTalk\_

#OTalk \*\*\* House Rules\*\*\* & Don't forget the #OTalk <https://t.co/NwR1kRrpDy>

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 **VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

@icancreativity @OTalk\_ As you Wendy. Keep using the #OTalk hashtag to follow the conversation. Use that in your responses and you can't be wrong! 😊

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 **Joanna Lawrence** @lawrence89\_j

@OTalk\_ @VdTMoCAFUK I'm here! Although my first OTalk so please bear with me :) #OTalk

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 **VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

Good evening! Tori here (Research Officer for the VdTMoCA Foundation), tweeting on behalf of @VdTMoCAFUK. Welcome to this (very welcome) evening's #OTalk. Looking forward to getting started. Don't forget to use the #OTalk in every tweet and tag the #VdTMOCA.

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 **VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

Welcome to our foundation members, followers and those who do not use the #VdTMoCA, but are interested to hear more! Do say hello if you're here from an observational perspective. Lets get started ... #OTalk

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opps... #OTalk <https://t.co/ifgxwT160g>

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 **Jade Reilly** @JadeMarie\_R

@OTalk\_ @VdTMoCAFUK Jade here 🌸 OT on high dependency within high secure services! #OTalk

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 **OTalk** @OTalk\_

@lawrence89\_j @VdTMoCAFUK Welcome, feel free to ask any questions... enjoy #OTalk

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 **VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

Q1) What is your experience of using the Vona du Toit Model of Creative Ability in practice? Please specify what area of practice you are currently working in. #OTalk #VdTMoCA

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

Hello peeps! #otalk

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 **Becky French** @becky\_1983

I am currently working in CAMHS low secure and I am implementing #OTalk

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 **OTalk** @OTalk\_

#OTalk Question 1.....

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 **Charlotte Carpenter** @CharCarpenter

@OTalk\_ @VdTMoCAFUK I'm also here (attempting to multi-task!) as OT who used to lead high secure OT service in using #VdTMoCA #OTalk

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 **VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

RT @OTalk\_: #OTalk Question 1..... <https://t.co/7M2S2vhArW>

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 **Rachel Hall** @RachHallster

@VdTMoCAFUK I work in LD medium secure and my experience is of using MOHOST. I have not used the VdTMoCA before but interested in learning more #otalk

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 **Charlotte Carpenter** @CharCarpenter

@VdTMoCAFUK Used to be high security...Now indoctrinating some Speech & Language therapists into the handling principles, plus Dietitians who work across acute & forensic mental health units. Some units OTs are piloting use of model. #OTalk

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 **Alicia Ridout** @AliciaRidout

@OTalk\_ @VdTMoCAFUK Lurking in my garden...😎 #otalk @OTalk\_

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 **VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

@RachHallster Great to have you with us! I will stay around at the end if you have any questions or would like further information. #OTalk

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 **Becky French** @becky\_1983

As lead for 3 CAMHS and a female low secure my colleague's felt that the model was going to be more effective #OTalk

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 **Dr Wendy Sherwood** @icancreativity

@OTalk\_ I started in forensic but I'm no longer clinical but used it with staff and I sue it with anyone I meet #OTalk

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 **VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

Q2) In your experience, what have been the barriers/challenges to implementing the Vona du Toit Model of Creative Ability in your practice? Have you overcome this? What strategies did you utilise? #OTalk #VdTMoCA

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 **One OT and a Dog** @WintRebecca

I'm not familiar with this model of practice but would like to be, I work with people who are homeless, would it be relevant? What are the best resources to learn more #VdTMoCA ? #OTalk

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 **OTalk** @OTalk\_

#OTalk Question 2.....

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**Joanna Lawrence** @lawrence89\_j



@VdTMoCAFUK I came across VdTMoCA on my final placement in a high secure setting. It was so different to any other model I had used placements. For me, it just made sense and made the OT role so much clearer - so much so I returned to the service when I qualified #OTalk #VdTMoCA

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**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK



@WintRebecca Hi Rebecca - I will send out information at the end of the chat for access to resources to learn more about the model. Will be around at the end if you have any questions #OTalk

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**@mileswashbrook** @mileswashbrook



@VdTMoCAFUK #OTalk I was unaware of this until today. I work in Group Risk & Healthcare, main experience vocational rehabilitation, ab management, Income Protection

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**Alicia Ridout** @AliciaRidout



@WintRebecca It featured a lot at @thewfot in Cape town last year #otalk

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**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK



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**Charlotte Carpenter** @CharCarpenter



@VdTMoCAFUK Main barriers are expectations of leaders/service managers and whether this affects standards (ie CQUIN of 25hr/week) & persuaded usually by quality vs quantity and effectiveness argument. Also, sustaining team motivation whilst learning and short-staffed. #OTalk

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



@VdTMoCAFUK I am in the US- my challenge actually comes from not having a consistent workplace. So it is not easy to apply even if I know the framework. #otalk

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**Alicia Ridout** @AliciaRidout



RT @CharCarpenter: @VdTMoCAFUK Main barriers are expectations of leaders/service managers and whether this affects standards (ie CQUIN of 25hr/week) &...

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Thank you.... #OTalk

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**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK



@BillWongOT Hi Bill - is this in terms of moving within your role, as opposed to barriers to implementation within your work place environment? #OTalk

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**Becky French** @becky\_1983



#otalk set targets and the MOHO being linked to audits and funding. Also CQUIN and QNIC

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



@VdTMoCAFUK It is a lot of moving around. So my day-to-day workplace is often inconsistent. #otalk

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**Becky French** @becky\_1983



Also within inpatient automatic referral to the service and blanket opinion #otalk

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**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

@CharCarpenter Hi Charlotte - how did you overcome the challenge WRT expectations of leaders/service managers in your service? What



steps did you take? #OTalk

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**Dr Wendy Sherwood** @icancreativity

@WintRebecca It's relevant with anyone, but in order to learn it you need to see clients regularly. Unless you know the model well, it's really work out a person's level of creative ability without seeing them doing, and without info across Occ performance areas #OTalk.



**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

Q3) How do you think the implementation of the Vona du Toit Model of Creative Ability has changed your practice? Think re assessment, d treatment, evidencing effectiveness of interventions, reports, service user engagement, profile of the OT profession. #OTalk #VdTMOCA



**Gemma P** @gemOT18

#OTalk I'm late to the party and not used this model so will be lurking and absorbing all the info!



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

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#OTalk Question 3...



**Charlotte Carpenter** @CharCarpenter

@VdTMoCAFUK Secured support from line manager for 'pilot', Planned a service evaluation to measure impact, and explained the core be model through presentations to clinical teams and senior managers. Most were convinced once levels and handling principles explained #C #VdTMoCA



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

@icancreativity @WintRebecca This highlights my challenge- constant changes to my workplaces means I don't see patients on a consiste For me at my work, getting my patients to work with me is the battle I face constantly because of it. #otalk



**Angela Smith** @AngelaS20044709

@OTalk\_ #OTalk I work in a private NHS overspill acute mental health ward, across both male and female wards. I've found the practice m valuable resource, informing group protocols and how to grade activities to ensure the patients progress.



**Becky French** @becky\_1983

Activity analysis, key fundamental skill that I was losing until I used the model. Also much more effective in allowing people to understand r and ability in key areas #otalk



**Joanna Lawrence** @lawrence89\_j

@VdTMoCAFUK Getting the MDT on board...implementing the model meant a huge change in our OT timetable. We invested time/effort in educating others about the model and demonstrating the model's effectiveness through case studies etc. #OTalk #VdTMoCA @OTalk\_



**Alicia Ridout** @AliciaRidout

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

@VdTMoCAFUK If I answer it from US context, I would say the upcoming Medicare changes could actually foster more of such opportunities for OT profession because groups will be more popular. #otalk



**Alicia Ridout** @AliciaRidout

@AngelaS20044709 @OTalk\_ Have you Measured improvement PDSA or other method?? #otalk

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**Baker** @thebakerstron

@VdTMoCAFUK First experience was within high security - found it superb at engaging patients across their journey in the hospital. Curre



community stalking service where I am using it primarily for risk formulation but to also shape intervention. #OTalk



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

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**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

@BillWongOT @icancreativity @WintRebecca Q2) Thank you for sharing your experiences. How have you/will you overcome this? What s will/did you utilise? #OTalk #VdTMoCA



**Dr Wendy Sherwood** @icancreativity

@AngelaS20044709 @OTalk\_ #OTalk when you say practice manual, do you mean the Levels Pack descriptions?



**Helen OTUK** @Helen\_OTUK

@AliciaRidout @AngelaS20044709 @OTalk\_ Pets Dispensary for Sick Animals??? #OTalk ;)



**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

@CharCarpenter Thank you for sharing your experiences. This is really positive to hear. #OTalk #VdTMoCA



**Joanna Lawrence** @lawrence89\_j

@VdTMoCAFUK OT sessions are more specific to OPAs. Raised the profile of OT within the hospital - other professions are starting to unc that we use activity to treat patients, not just to keep them busy!! #OTalk #VdTMoCA @OTalk\_



**Baker** @thebakerstron

@VdTMoCAFUK In my current role - the main challenge has been implementing within a community post - which is also the only OT role in the world (to my knowledge). Minimal evidence of community use meant that I had to use trial, error and reflection (still does) 1/2 #OTalk



**Dr Wendy Sherwood** @icancreativity

@BillWongOT @WintRebecca #OTalk What's your setting/service?



**Alicia Ridout** @AliciaRidout

@Helen\_OTUK @AngelaS20044709 @OTalk\_ Cheeky! Plan do study act cycles. Been used in NHS for 20+ yrs 🌟 #otalk



**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

@thebakerstron Thank you for sharing your experiences - how has the model supported you in risk formulation and intervention? #OTalk



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#OTalk Question 4 I think?



**Charlotte Carpenter** @CharCarpenter

@AliciaRidout @AngelaS20044709 @OTalk\_ @AliciaRidout I really wish I'd had some QI training prior to embedding model. We did gener Plan do study act cycles but this was by chance! #OTalk



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

@icancreativity @WintRebecca I work in nursing home setting in the US, aka skilled nursing facilities. #otalk



**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

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**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

Q4) What have been your particular highlights since implementing the Vona du Toit Model of Creative Ability into your practice? Please sha experiences on what has worked well, best practices! #OTalk #VdTMOCA



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

@VdTMoCAFUK @icancreativity @WintRebecca Unfortunately it is a lot of putting up with what the company needs. So it is beyond my cc this point. #otalk



**Baker** @thebakerstron

@VdTMoCAFUK Just because there isn't previous evidence or examples of its use in similar settings doesn't mean it's not effective. All models have to be tried first before they can build evidence base. That process takes time but is worth it #OTalk

**Dr Wendy Sherwood** @icancreativity

@thebakerstron @VdTMoCAFUK #OTalk #VdTMOCA Yes, we really need community OTs who are using the model to share their knowle

get together some written accounts at least, e.g. OTNews, and get a piece of research done. Anyone interested?



**chris OT** @chrisMHOT

@VdTMoCAFUK means we no longer just provide activity as distraction or 'to keep them busy', instead it is meaningful treatment #otalk



**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

RT @icancreativity: @thebakerstron @VdTMoCAFUK #OTalk #VdTMOCA Yes, we really need community OTs who are using the model to their kno...



**Charlotte Carpenter** @CharCarpenter

@VdTMoCAFUK @thebakerstron In terms of Self-diff patients it highlights why they're a risk and raises others' awareness of why and how effectively manage this. However risks do change as patients progress - skill development to counteract is essential! #OTalk



**OTalk** @OTalk\_

#OTalk Question 4.....



**Jade Reilly** @JadeMarie\_R

@VdTMoCAFUK Creating a consistent approach - most HDU patients are self diff/self pres requiring intensive + regular intervention - educ nursing team and empowering through involvement in assessment and intervention has helped to them to help me by applying handling princ #OTalk



**OTalk** @OTalk\_

RT @icancreativity: @thebakerstron @VdTMoCAFUK #OTalk #VdTMOCA Yes, we really need community OTs who are using the model to their kno...



**Becky French** @becky\_1983

Seeing individuals really excel due to them being in the right group and completing tasks that are just the right challenge. One SU not enga low self esteem and now flourishing #OTalk



**chris OT** @chrisMHOT

@VdTMoCAFUK Being able to work with patients previously described as "not OT ready" ie seclusion or ICA #otalk



**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

@JadeMarie\_R Thank you for sharing Jade - what strategies did you implement to increase the knowledge base with the nursing teams? #



**Baker** @thebakerstron

@VdTMoCAFUK In high security - embedding an intensive 12 week programme for a patient on long term segregation (had been for 4 yea alongside an OTA and nursing. Supported him using SD and SP principles as we progressed. He cooked off ward for the first time ever, ma of 1/2 #OTalk



**Charlotte Carpenter** @CharCarpenter

@VdTMoCAFUK Positive outcomes of model use evidenced in service evaluation preliminary outcomes. Increased attendance levels and function after session attendance to statistical significance in 4 areas = 2 trust quality awards won! #OTalk



**Alicia Ridout** @AliciaRidout

RT @JadeMarie\_R: @VdTMoCAFUK Creating a consistent approach - most HDU patients are self diff/self pres requiring intensive + regul



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

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**Baker** @thebakerstron

@VdTMoCAFUK Tea for the first time in nearly 15 years and reduced his incidents significantly. Also improved nursing staff approaches an collaborative working. This approach continues to be use by the superb @JadeMarie\_R who has made even more progress with him #OTalk



**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

@chrisMHOT Thank you for sharing Chris - I work in High Secure Forensic Mental Health & this certainly is a real positive of the model ... t can work with patients much earlier in admission. #OTalk



**Dr Wendy Sherwood** @icancreativity

@VdTMoCAFUK #OTalk #VdTMOCA making sessions on weekly OT programme level specific so groups are planned to a level of creative and having a waiting list and referral system. Changed everything. Same approach reported at the VdTMoCA conference a few weeks ago.



**Joanna Lawrence** @lawrence89\_j

@VdTMoCAFUK 100% seeing positive changes in our patients. Seeing people who have not engaged in OT for years, engage and enjoy (

sessions. Seeing them progress, gaining confidence in their abilities, which ultimately helps them move on #OTalk #VdTMoCA @OTalk\_



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**Alicia Ridout** @AliciaRidout

Wowzer! 🎉 #otalk



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**Charlotte Carpenter** @CharCarpenter

@thebakerstron @VdTMoCAFUK @JadeMarie\_R Hearing these success stories shared in OT office continued to spur team on to learn m... develop model's use! #OTalk



**Joanna Lawrence** @lawrence89\_j

RT @chrismHOT: @VdTMoCAFUK means we no longer just provide activity as distraction or 'to keep them busy', instead it is meaningful t



**Baker** @thebakerstron

@VdTMoCAFUK Specifically to stalking - that the 'higher functioning' service users; including those at higher levels of creative ability - are risk of committing more serious further offences. This has been extremely valuable during MAPPA meetings and case reviews with police. #



**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

Q5) Has treatment been effective since you have implemented the Vona du Toit Model of Creative Ability? If so, how have you evidenced t have you shared with within your service user/service/clinical team? #OTalk #VdTMOCA



**Charlotte Carpenter** @CharCarpenter

@AliciaRidout Proudest moment of my career to date! The team's work was astounding and for it to be detected and recognised by others incredible! #OTalk



**OTalk** @OTalk\_

#OTalk Question 5.....



**Baker** @thebakerstron

@icancreativity @VdTMoCAFUK Im currently in the process of an OTnews piece...and perhaps some form of journal article later in the year this space. #OTalk

**Dr Wendy Sherwood** @icancreativity

@becky\_1983 #OTalk #VdTMOCA Yes, also for me is seeing clients who have been stuck, not engaging & with no improvement for years, positively within weeks, sometimes resulting in huge improvements that MDT can't believe. Such a privilege to enable that to happen.



**chris OT** @chrisMHOT

@VdTMoCAFUK Using APOM and CPA to explain level and phase, where appropriate sharing this with patients #otalk



**Alicia Ridout** @AliciaRidout

RT @icancreativity: @becky\_1983 #OTalk #VdTMOCA Yes, also for me is seeing clients who have been stuck, not engaging & with no improvement...



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

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**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK



@chrisMHOT In your experience, do you feel that this has changed the perception of your role within your service? #OTalk



**Charlotte Carpenter** @CharCarpenter

@VdTMoCAFUK APOM use at CPA intervals along with numbers of sessions attended in treatment domains between APOMs listed. This of Service Evaluation. #OTalk



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**Jade Reilly** @JadeMarie\_R

@VdTMoCAFUK Including them in interventions then inviting to help complete CPAs I using handling principles to explain why they are the to engage a patient and get them to pass this information onto others - helping them to understand their own skills before suggesting chang



**Joanna Lawrence** @lawrence89\_j

@OTalk\_ I'm sure @CharCarpenter will explain this better but...collecting data for a service evaluation to prove the model's effectiveness. / present this (along with case study) to the clinical team next Tuesday! #OTalk #VdTMoCA



**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

@AngelaS20044709 @OTalk\_ Fab to have you with us Angela #OTalk



**Dr Wendy Sherwood** @icancreativity

@thebakerstron @VdTMoCAFUK #OTalk #VdTMOCA Fab.



**Becky French** @becky\_1983

Using the CPA format and the language is really allowing professionals to understand what we do which triangulates in the care plans #OTalk



**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

@lawrence89\_j @OTalk\_ @CharCarpenter This sounds fantastic - would be great to hear how you get on with this. #OTalk



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

@VdTMoCAFUK Not sure on that one for me- but one thing I will definitely try perhaps when there is a group setting in the future- perhaps origami group. #otalk



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#OTalk



**Charlotte Carpenter** @CharCarpenter

@VdTMoCAFUK @lawrence89\_j @OTalk\_ Trying to analyse data at present. Then plan is to write up for BJOT article! #OTalk #VdTMoCA



**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

What are peoples experiences? #OTalk



**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

Q6) How useful is the #VdTMoCA when making decisions on clinical intervention? #OTalk #VdTMOCA



**Alicia Ridout** @AliciaRidout

@becky\_1983 Does it integrate with an electronic patient record at all?? #otalk



**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

@CharCarpenter @lawrence89\_j @OTalk\_ Sounds fantastic - can't wait to read the outcome. #OTalk



**OTalk** @OTalk\_

#OTalk Question 6...



**Baker** @thebakerstron

@VdTMoCAFUK Ideally routine APOM measurement. But in reality - any data that can be captured. In community role it is extremely hard assess each OPA. Therefore use of CPA and formulations are vital - which then contribute to overall intervention. #OTalk



**OTalk** @OTalk\_  
#OTalk

**Dr Wendy Sherwood** @icancreativity

@BillWongOT @WintRebecca #OTalk #VdTMOCA Then it is likely that clients are mainly on the Self-differentiation, Self-presentation and I Participation levels, possibly going into the Tone level at end of life. There's lots of OTs using the model with older people.



**Baker** @thebakerstron

@VdTMOCAFUK Any data that is captured. If you have no evidence or data then it never happened - and you can't prove effectiveness. This is imperative in proving worth and - for us - in trying to secure further funding. #OTalk



**VdTMOCA Foundation UK** @VdTMOCAFUK

@LouiseJeffries4 @beckygowerOT @OTalk\_ That is really powerful. Thank you for sharing Louise #OTalk



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

@icancreativity @WintRebecca True- but when your day to day workplaces can be different, and sometimes going to multiple places a day makes implementing a challenge for me. #otalk



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

RT @thebakerstron: @VdTMOCAFUK Ideally routine APOM measurement. But in reality - any data that can be captured. In community roles ex...



**Alicia Ridout** @AliciaRidout

#OTalk @OTalk\_ Plan, Do, Study, Act (PDSA) cycles and the model for improvement <https://t.co/xzXTsg12dn>



**Joanna Lawrence** @lawrence89\_j

@VdTMOCAFUK Treatment principles are useful in planning interventions - the model doesn't prescribe specific activities but provides guidance on how to create an environment where an individual can reach their full potential and progress to the next level of creative ability #OTalk #VdTMOCA



**Charlotte Carpenter** @CharCarpenter

@OTalk\_ Incredibly useful! Guides appropriate pitch of clinical Tx esp. when MDT under/overestimate abilities. Helps to ensure they pitch to the right level too. #OTalk #VdTMOCA



**VdTMOCA Foundation UK** @VdTMOCAFUK

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RT @AliciaRidout: #OTalk @OTalk\_ Plan, Do, Study, Act (PDSA) cycles and the model for improvement <https://t.co/xzXTsg12dn>



**VdTMOCA Foundation UK** @VdTMOCAFUK

@WobRilson Thank you for sharing Rob - how have you ensured that the MDT understand the requirement for 1:1 work? What practical steps have you embedded? #OTalk



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

@icancreativity @WintRebecca And another challenge with my work setting- even if you are at a facility for a consistent basis, you don't necessarily see the same patients every day, especially if it is a big nursing home. #otalk



**Jade Reilly** @JadeMarie\_R

@VdTMOCAFUK @CharCarpenter and @lawrence89\_j covered all of my thoughts! Additionally is how it has enabled us to raise the profile and value of OT within reducing restrictive practice (I will be presenting with fellow OT @suzanne\_ot on this at the NAPICU conference) #OTalk



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Q7) Next Steps: What are your future plans around the use of the Vona du Toit Model of Creative Ability? Think in terms of your service, research, QI projects, training. We would love to hear from you, particularly around plans to contribute to the evidence base. #OTalk



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**Baker** @thebakerstron

@VdTMOCAFUK The model is very useful at helping an OT to work with the SU on their level in a manner they can comprehend/engage with. It gives a base for the OT to then use their skillset, clinical reasoning and therapeutic relationship alongside the SU. #OTalk



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**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK  
@JadeMarie\_R @CharCarpenter @lawrence89\_j @suzanne\_ot Very interesting - in your experience how has the model supported within reducing restrictive practice agenda Jade? #OTalk



**Dr Wendy Sherwood** @icancreativity  
@JadeMarie\_R @VdTMoCAFUK @CharCarpenter @lawrence89\_j @suzanne\_ot #OTalk #VdTMOCA I'm chairing your session - really pleased your presentation was accepted and looking forward to it.



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RT @thebakerstron: @VdTMoCAFUK The model is very useful at helping an OT to work with the SU on their level in a manner they can comprehend...



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Wowzer... time has flown by, final 5 mins of the official #OTalk hour.... What are you take away thoughts? and / or What are your #CPD goals to follow on from the chat?



**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT  
@VdTMoCAFUK I will have to wait until the smoke clears with the new Medicare changes in the USA first before seeing if this model is viable to use. #otalk



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RT @thebakerstron: @VdTMoCAFUK The model is very useful at helping an OT to work with the SU on their level in a manner they can comprehend...



**Baker** @thebakerstron  
@VdTMoCAFUK Personally - continue to gather evidence of application to practice and clinical effectiveness. Have delivered 2x conference presentations this year - and am planning an OTnews piece and some form of journal article. #OTalk



**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK  
@beckygowerOT @JadeMarie\_R @CharCarpenter @lawrence89\_j @suzanne\_ot <https://t.co/4UTHfaQVyl> - have a look here Becky! #OTalk



**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT  
@VdTMoCAFUK More groups can be a more constructive environment for me to use the model on paper. But if my workplaces still change constantly, it is hard for me to implement. #otalk



**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT  
RT @thebakerstron: @VdTMoCAFUK Personally - continue to gather evidence of application to practice and clinical effectiveness. Have done



**Becky French** @becky\_1983  
My site is having a relaunch and would love to have some constructive criticism at some point #OTalk



**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK  
@BillWongOT Thanks Bill - I will be sending out a link to the website shortly. You will be able to explore the model further via the link. #OTalk



**Gemma P** @gemOT18  
@OTalk\_ As I've not used this model I'm interesting in learning more about its evidence with older people with mental health needs... so so investigating for me! #OTalk



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RT @VdTMoCAFUK: @BillWongOT Thanks Bill - I will be sending out a link to the website shortly. You will be able to explore the model further



**Charlotte Carpenter** @CharCarpenter  
@OTalk\_ Definitely analyse full data set and publish results. Would love to support a QI project with my physical health AHP team looking at engagement using principles (where patients levels are known) whilst mentoring OTs in service to embed model #OTalk #VdTMoCA



**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK  
@JadeMarie\_R @CharCarpenter @lawrence89\_j @suzanne\_ot Definitely - this certainly is a positive of the APOM. It is extremely sensitive to change. #OTalk



**Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L** @BillWongOT  
@VdTMoCAFUK Yeah- this is a change that nobody knows the real impact yet on my work setting until it hits. So there are a lot of speculation what might happen, but won't truly know until October 1. #otalk

**Baker** @thebakerstron

@VdTMoCAFUK @OTalk\_ However I also think model and those using it need to challenge themselves to reach out further. Easy to share already using the model how good it is; the challenge is proving it to those who don't. Challenge the status quo and back it up with evidence

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Food for thought #OTalk

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Well that's the hour up! #OTalk Thank you everyone for such a great chat, but especially to @VdTMoCAFUK for hosting this evenings chat topic. Do keep chatting, we don't add the transcript to the blog for at least 24hrs.

**@mileswashbrook** @mileswashbrook

@OTalk\_ #OTalk Very interesting, thank you for introducing this to me, I am interested in learning more.

**Becky** @beckygowerOT

@OTalk\_ So many! Key considerations for me were around sharing theory and service effectiveness with MDT and management, using m clinical reasoning in care plans and all the amazing feedback OT's have had from their SUs!! Feeling inspired ❤️ #otalk

**Dr Wendy Sherwood** @icancreativity

@VdTMoCAFUK #OTalk #VdTMOCA Getting PhD on effort published; co-author & editor for book on model in various settings; supporting nurses in large institution in Singapore to use model to positively influence poor quality therapy conditions. Encouraging you guys to resear publish!

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**Joanna Lawrence** @lawrence89\_j

Fully agree. Evidencing is key!

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@LouiseJeffries4 This sounds fascinating Louise. Look forward to you sharing and contributing further to the evidence base. Your recent ai @OTnews was an interesting read. #OTalk

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Thanks for a great chat all. @Helen\_OTUK signing off the account now. Have fun all. #OTalk

**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

Thank you all for your contributions to the #OTalk this evening! I will stay logged in to read through the tweets. If you would like further info like to become a member of the foundation, please head over to the #VdTMoCA foundation website - <https://t.co/lLrJ6wsdgs>.

**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

@VdTMoCAFUK does not currently provide formal training in the model, but supports clinicians in learning about the model & in developing knowledge & skills for application. #OTalk #VdTMoCA

**Dr Wendy Sherwood** @icancreativity

@VdTMoCAFUK I think we should be challenging OT programmes who are not including the model in curriculum just because there isn't t published research like MOHO. OT pre-reg education should reflect practice, and lecturers could support OTs to do research & publish.#OT #VdTMOCA

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Training courses in the UK are provided by the International Creative Ability Network. If you are interested please visit: <https://t.co/Tuk1Let> #OTalk #VdTMoCA

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Please contact me if you are interested in contributing the evidence base. Please also see the #VdTMoCA Research Strategy for more info <https://t.co/97bsGqO2Hz> #OTalk #VdTMoCA

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**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK



Finally, thank you on behalf of @VdTMoCAFUK for your contributions to #OTalk this PM around #VdTMoCA - challenges, positives, service developments, advances in practice, the future.

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**VdTMoCA Foundation UK** @VdTMoCAFUK

I will stay logged in to answer any questions about the #VdTMoCA and the Foundation. To read more, please visit the website for further in the model: <https://t.co/1MzSHnq3ww> #OTalk #VdTMoCA

**Baker** @thebakerstron

@icancreativity @VdTMoCAFUK Absolutely agree - students are always really keen to learn more but don't get enough opportunity. #OTalk

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**Dr Wendy Sherwood** @icancreativity

@CharCarpenter @OTalk\_ #OTalk #VdTMOCA Two South African OTs are writing a chapter on use of model with people who have had a my book. Happy to tell you about it once fuller drafts come in - also looking for your chapter draft Charlotte! 😊

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@beckygowerOT @OTalk\_ Here to support, where required. Just get in touch, there are directors and assoc directors within the @VdTMoC here to support. Have a look at the website or send me an email for further info. Thanks for your time this PM. #OTalk #Excitingtimes

**Rob Wilson** @WobRilson

@VdTMoCAFUK I've completed multiple task ax, used this and interview to assess a clients level then offered guidance to carers and fami best to support the client #OTalk

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