

#OTalk Transcript

Healthcare social media transcript of the #OTalk hashtag.

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Ms Rachel Booth-Gardiner @OT_rach

RT @OTalk_: Is everyone ready for tonight's #OTalk in 15 minutes? <https://t.co/5R80s8iLj8>



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RT @OTalk_: If you haven't taken part before (or if you have and need a refresher!) we have a guide on our website about how to join in, in...



Ms Rachel Booth-Gardiner @OT_rach

#OTalk is anyone else finding the phone add odd?



Natasha Bruce-Jones @NatashaBjo

@OTalk_ Evening All, lets get the conversation flowing with the first question of the evening – Question 1. What is it about your OT role that prevents you reaching full OT potential? #OTalk



Susan Griffiths @SusanGriffiths5

@OTalk_ Has it started yet? #OTalk



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RT @NatashaBjo: @OTalk_ Evening All, lets get the conversation flowing with the first question of the evening – Question 1. What is it about...



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT

Hello folks. #otalk



Fiona Peters @Fipee789

RT @NatashaBjo: @OTalk_ Evening All, lets get the conversation flowing with the first question of the evening – Question 1. What is it about...



Aimee Crane @AimeeCraneOT

@NatashaBjo @OTalk_ I felt unfulfilled as an OT due to the lack of client contact I had. My role involved so much more paperwork than I had expected as a student and I always felt that I could make more of a difference if I could get away from a computer desk and work directly with my clients. #OTalk



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Ros French @RosFrench1

@NatashaBjo @OTalk_ #OTalk service demand/expectations/pathways and being short staffed. Lack of understanding about the role of OT within the service



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@sherlynmelody @SusanGriffiths5 <https://t.co/mn3ngYOOeN> #OTalk



Anya de Jongh @anyadej

@OTalk_ I am, but not sure my WiFi is... apologies in advance if I disappear! #OTalk <https://t.co/p4GfATZFL1>



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RT @RosFrench1: @NatashaBjo @OTalk_ #OTalk service demand/expectations/pathways and being short staffed. Lack of understanding about the role...

Toks O @TokunboTweetz

@OTalk_ I had planned on joining but there seems to be a new twitter update that doesn't allow you to follow the #OTalk well. Any tips?



Bel Youngson @OTBelY

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Chantelle Martin @chaniedavies

@NatashaBjo @OTalk_ #OTalk spend too much of my time over 2 years explaining what my role is...granted primary care is new but this has been common others understanding in all roles. Also timing when to pitch suggestions. In previous roles generic service constraints



Susan Griffiths @SusanGriffiths5

@TokunboTweetz @OTalk_ Yes me too. I click on latest but it does bring up the #OTalk tweets in order. Maybe go directly to the person hosting twitter page'



s @StephFleetTweet

@OTalk_ I felt really restricted with my skill set. I felt really passionate leaving uni to deliver holistic therapy but found I was to some extent told my skill set #



#OTalk @OTalk_

@TokunboTweetz Oh that's strange! I haven't gotten the update so can't check for myself; you may need to keep an eye on @NatashaBjo's account and the account to make sure you don't miss any tweets #OTalk



Student Platform OT @SPOTeurope

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Anya de longh @anyadei

@NatashaBjo @OTalk_ As a student, I see access to shared records but also demands of contributing to those medical records both limiting potential of OT doesn't sound contradictory! Also time... and the wider social services / housing / benefits #OTalk



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Ms Rachel Booth-Gardiner ❤️ @OT_rach

I can see the live chat from my app tonight? #OTalk



Dr Jenny Preston MBE @preston_jenny

It seems to have resolved itself #OTalk. Mine was odd at first but is now back to normal again.



Aimee Crane @AimeeCraneOT

@RosFrench1 @NatashaBjo @OTalk_ 100%! That pressure to meet the demands of the service versus the expectations of our clients is real. #OTalk



Sherlyn 😊⭐(she/her) @sherlynmelody

@NatashaBjo @OTalk_ #otalk working in social care sometimes means I have to do care management which I feel takes me away from focusing on clients



#OTalk @OTalk_

@NatashaBjo @AimeeCraneOT Don't forget the #OTalk tag so all your tweets are included in our transcript!



Susan Griffiths @SusanGriffiths5

@NatashaBjo @OTalk_ Lack of funding, short staffed, restricted scope of practice, pointless NHS bureaucracy, etc #OTalk



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Sarah Baptist Ball @OT_Sarah



@NatashaBjo @OTalk_ Good evening, 1st off great question I think OTs become OT's to fulfill others lives through occupation. So to be an OT and be unful work seems off! But that red tape, budget cuts and paperwork makes me less cheerful! #OTalk



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Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT
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Kelly M @OTontheTracks
@preston_jenny Seems to be working for me too now. #OTalk



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Ed Sum Occupational Therapist 🌈❤️🌐 @musedNeuroOT
@NatashaBjo @OTalk_ Covering 3.0 to 5.0 whole time equivalent posts for the past 12 months 😅 #OTalk



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@NatashaBjo @OTalk_ The small/ lack of evidence base for emerging areas of practice. I constantly question if I'm focused on occupation. I, of course, tak responsibility for this as it is my area of practice so I should be contributing to the development of evidence based practice #OTalk



Ms Rachel Booth-Gardiner ❤️ @OT_rach
@OTalk_ @sherlynmelody @SusanGriffiths5 Having issues seeing chat? Guess others are? #otalk has there been a update on Twitter?



Aimee Crane @AimeeCraneOT
@StephFleetTweet @OTalk_ This happened to me in my Housing role sadly. I felt that I lost a huge array of my skill set and became "too specialist" to step c Housing arena #OTalk



#OTalk @OTalk_ #OTalk



PLU Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT
@TokunboTweetz @OTalk_ I got that issue too. The tweets are not in chronological order! Ugh! #otalk



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Susan Griffiths @SusanGriffiths5
@OTalk_ @TokunboTweetz @NatashaBjo When we go to her account, nothing is showing up. I think there is a problem with Twitter as some of us can't see tweets.



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@OT_rach @sherlynmelody @SusanGriffiths5 There are new features being rolled out on iOS I think - my phone hasn't gotten them yet but it seems like a few are having the same issue #OTalk



Sherlyn 🌟(she/her) @sherlynmelody
@OT_rach @OTalk_ @SusanGriffiths5 #otalk it's not how it normally is 😞 I'm having to search for the chat.



Dr Jenny Preston MBE @preston_jenny
I feel very lucky in my career that I have always had great opportunities and support. I too trained many years ago but in a sense that prepared me for the "new" challenges. Sometimes I think we expect others to move mountains on our behalf #OTalk



Aimee Crane @AimeeCraneOT
@PWosahlo @NatashaBjo @OTalk_ Doesn't feel very "holistic" does it? #OTalk



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Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT
@OTRhiannon @NatashaBjo @OTalk_ And even you see that for teaching too. Lots of zoom meetings nowadays! #otalk



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Bel Youngson @OTBelY
RT @tt1st_: Reminder to check out our Clinical Director @NatashaBjo who is hosting this evening's #OTalk 8pm GMT <https://t.co/RhBFOX01OX>

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Natasha Bruce-Jones @NatashaBjo
Question 2. How can OTs provide client led services if working within the 'top down' management systems of local authorities and NHS? #OTalk



Susan Griffiths @SusanGriffiths5
@sherlynmelody @OT_rach @OTalk_ Nope, still not working for me. So annoying! #OTalk



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Aimee Crane @AimeeCraneOT
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Anyadei @anyadei
@NatashaBjo @OTalk_ From these responses, it also seems that as students at uni we need to get taught about the realities and restrictions of practice and thrive and feel we are reaching our potential despite these as well as 'ideal' OT #OTalk



Joanne @jomadav39
@RosFrench1 @NatashaBjo @OTalk_ Yes definitely agree about lack of understanding also OT being pigeon holed into limited role and people not wanting wider reach of OT only wanting minimum #otalk

Chantelle Martin @chaniedavies



@preston_jenny Am pushing that mount everest with a tribe of supporters and years post qual see my personal responsibility #OTalk <https://t.co/ujW6PCXN>



#OTalk @OTalk_ @SusanGriffiths5 @sherlynmelody @OT_rach Sorry to hear that! Your tweets are showing up in the hashtag if that's any help 😊 #OTalk



Ms Rachel Booth-Gardiner ❤️ @OT_rach

@NatashaBjo @OTalk_ Time, expectations of Role, nhs policy not supporting what OT could do, misunderstood across all other professions, management inspector of services like CQC, being ask to do things seen to be with role, but could be done by others, no value on the unique role, #OTalk



Dr Jenny Preston MBE @preston_jenny

Sorry to get on my old hobby horse but we need to be influencing and driving the changes needed #OTalk



Toks O @TokunboTweetz

@SusanGriffiths5 @OTalk_ Thank you. I'm seeing tweets from 5 days ago 😊😊 #OTalk



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@NatashaBjo #otalk use the care act/legislation as a way to justify interventions as well as cost savings. Using "top down" terminology. Obviously intervention focused person centred.



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT

@jomadav39 @RosFrench1 @NatashaBjo @OTalk_ And sometimes in the US, repaying loans ASAP is also a factor. #otalk



Anya de longh @anyadei

@NatashaBjo Embrace management roles themselves to influence the system! 😊 AHPs generally and OT specially can contribute so much in management roles, but appreciate it's not for everyone! #OTalk



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@NatashaBjo #OTalk each interaction can be personalised and make it fit system. Or hide/just get on with it until someone complains then justify from patient perspective and reason why (granted not easy in some services). Basically make what we do fit system not conform pt to system



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#OTalk @OTalk_
@EmmaODwyer13 @NatashaBjo Hi Emma! Don't forget the **#OTalk** hashtag



#OTalk @OTalk_
RT @margaretOT360: We have to demonstrate cost benefit analysis **#otalk**



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@OT_rach @NatashaBjo @OTalk_ That's interesting... I see much NHS policy very much aligning with OT (eg Personalised care) but the policy rarely uses occupational language so isn't an obvious fit to OT for those outside the OT bubble? **#OTalk**



Ros French @RosFrench1
@NatashaBjo **#OTalk** it's hard! Using MDT meetings to discuss clients goals - what matters to them and adding notes to care plans to aid empowerment. But those would can influence - case studies, reflections



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OTRhiannon @OTRhiannon
@NatashaBjo Going back to utilising our clinical reasoning is key. OTs also are and should be change makers so taking those upper management roles to i wider changes **#OTalk**



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Nicky Low @nickysarahlow1
@OT_Sarah @NatashaBjo @OTalk_ Weirdly tho I have 0 contact with clients (social care) my 'clients' are our OTs & managers **#OTalk** and feel I'm able to i through training and development role. Mentoring degree course apprentices org. student placements & leading on dev accessible digital platforms v OT!



Natasha Bruce-Jones @NatashaBjo
Question 3. How can OTs refuse to allow role or service changes that reduce their scope and impact? **#OTalk**



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT
@NatashaBjo Given that i don't always do the evals in my setting, try to find out info quickly prior to or during my first visit is crucial. **#otalk**



Sherlyn 😊⭐(she/her) @sherlynmelody
@NatashaBjo @OTalk_ **#otalk** lack of clinical/professional supervision



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Jennie W. @jwot77



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s @StephFleetTweet

@NatashaBjo @OTalk_ Show casing at every opportunity what we can do is great. But, I sometimes feel that our voice isn't heard as much as other profess #OTalk



Margaret Spencer MA @margaretOT360

#otalk use supervision to help to create a response



Anya de longh @anyadei

@NatashaBjo Also comes back to evidence - to justify our input in ways that matter to the person and being explicit about how that will then meet system or hard in OT to translate our person-centered outcomes into system language and stats! #otalk



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Sherlyn 🌟(she/her) @sherlynmelody

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Dawn Drury @DDawnOT

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Sarah Baptist Ball @OT_Sarah

@NatashaBjo Having our voices heard at all levels so that everyone in the service knows what waves we are making on a daily basis, but we need to have confidence to "show off" our achievements. Also having representation at all levels help #OTalk



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@NatashaBjo #OTalk ...practice impactful confident reasoning pitches with confidence! Keep going, seek support, use pt positive feedback <https://t.co/g7kA>



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@NatashaBjo In the US, more of us should take day offs to talk to our legislators and their staff during advocacy days organized by our state associations o #otalk



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Ellen Martinez @ElmoSE24

@NatashaBjo Advocate for and involve service users and carers in the development of services. Reach outside of usual pathways, embrace the community needs not pathways/services. #OTalk

Dr Jenny Preston MBE @preston_jenny

Right up my street #OTalk. Perhaps it's about influencing and guiding at an earlier stage through education, evidence and strategy, helping others such as m



understand how outcomes/targets/KPIs can be met more effectively & efficiently.



Hannah Kay @HannahKayOT

@NatashaBjo @OTalk_ Currently that I'm the only occupational therapist in our community forensic team #OTalk



#OTalk @OTalk_

@PWosahlo @NatashaBjo You don't need to tag us in every tweet, just use the # (hashtag) symbol to make the #OTalk hashtag 😊



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@NatashaBjo #otalk I'd like to know how to refuse anything in my organisation? Maybe I've misread this 😊 We need to promote OT - outcome measures-advantage/value of OT.



Margaret Spencer MA @margaretOT360

Clients are our greatest advocates #otalk get testimonials and stories and send to managers



Ros French @RosFrench1

@NatashaBjo @OTalk_ #OTalk again another hard thing to do as personally I have found that changes are brought in without discussion.. "this is how we are working" and it's about open honest feedback and discussions and doing the best you can with the clients you see



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@NatashaBjo By talking to the commissioners too, with data, outcome measures and the numbers that represent our value and worth. Good numbers are li... us more funding which is only ever a good thing for our clients! #OTalk



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@StephFleetTweet @NatashaBjo @OTalk_ Empty vessels make the most noise! 😅 Trust that your voice and actions are noticed by your service users an... around them. How @MichaelRosenYes talks about Emma is a great example #OTalk



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT

@OT_Sarah @NatashaBjo Maybe more people need to learn about how I organize TEDx events? 😂 #otalk



Toks O @TokunboTweetz

@NatashaBjo -Use of outcome measurement and demonstrating impact from practice -Feedback (from clients, colleagues, ect) -Support from our professio... Support from the evidence that exists -Being confident in communicating our effectiveness #OTalk



Sherlyn 🌟(she/her) @sherlynmelody

@BillWongOT @OT_Sarah @NatashaBjo 🤗😊 #otalk



Margaret Spencer MA @margaretOT360

Use @theRCOT guidelines and @The_HCPC standards #otalk



Dr Jenny Preston MBE @preston_jenny

RT @chaniedavies: @NatashaBjo #OTalk ...practice impactful confident reasoning pitches with confidence! Keep going, seek support, use pt p...



Sarah Baptist Ball @OT_Sarah

@NatashaBjo Also to add, we as the OT ensure the services we provide are client led as that's client centred practice and at the heart of what we do regard management system #OTalk



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Margaret Spencer MA @margaretOT360

😊 #otalk

**Anya de longh** @anyadei

@jwot77 @NatashaBjo Yes - and I think we need to recognize what sorts of evidence 'counts' in these kind of systems and provide that as well as staying tr person-centres roots with that kind of evidence too! #OTalk

**Margaret Spencer MA** @margaretOT360

RT @jwot77: @NatashaBjo Provide robust evidence to show that what is being done by OTs makes a considerable difference to the people they'...

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

@StephFleetTweet @NatashaBjo @OTalk_ I rocked the boat at my uni about organizing TEDx's. A lot of my OT faculty team looked at me with a crazy look probably wondered, "How is this part of our scope as OT academics?" 😊 #otalk

**Margaret Spencer MA** @margaretOT360

RT @OT_Sarah: @NatashaBjo By talking to the commissioners too, with data, outcome measures and the numbers that represent our value and wor...

**OTRhiannon** @OTRhiannon

@NatashaBjo Go back to the core OT role, create mutual understanding, set boundaries and respect of own role and the benefits and importance of it in a p journey to recovery. Showcase examples via case studies, presentations, etc. #OTalk

**Anya de longh** @anyadei

@musedNeuroOT @StephFleetTweet @NatashaBjo @OTalk_ @MichaelRosenYes Absolutely Ed! I feel our actions speak louder than words... #otalk

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

@sherlynmelody @OT_Sarah @NatashaBjo I love setting seemingly impossible standards for OT. 😊😊😊 #otalk

**#OTalk** @OTalk_

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**Joanne** @jomadav39

@StephFleetTweet @NatashaBjo @OTalk_ I would agree with you it can be tricky at times. I have found that being managed by nurses has been in my exp difficult than with AHPs from different profession to mine #otalk

**Margaret Spencer MA** @margaretOT360

🤣🤣 who knew you were going to throw that one in? #otalk You are right of course!

**Margaret Spencer MA** @margaretOT360

RT @TokunboTweetz: @NatashaBjo -Use of outcome measurement and demonstrating impact from practice -Feedback (from clients, colleagues, ect)...

**Margaret Spencer MA** @margaretOT360

Exactly and if are not doing that we are not doing #OccupationalTherapy #otalk

**Margaret Spencer MA** @margaretOT360

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

@margaretOT360 I think instead of a sore thumb award, I need to be given a tired brain award. #otalk 😊😊

**Natasha Bruce-Jones** @NatashaBjo

@musedNeuroOT @StephFleetTweet @OTalk_ @MichaelRosenYes #OTalk the voices of our users are an incredibly powerful resource

**Anya de longh** @anyadei

@StephFleetTweet @NatashaBjo @OTalk_ I'm intrigued as a student how 'scope of practice' is defined explicitly within teams? I've not seen a document th out... so interested to know how formally this is articulated (beyond HCPC/banding and specialist roles) #OTalk

**Margaret Spencer MA** @margaretOT360

RT @OTRhiannon: @NatashaBjo Go back to the core OT role, create mutual understanding, set boundaries and respect of own role and the benefi...

**Natasha Bruce-Jones** @NatashaBjo

Question 4. Is Occupational Therapy's use of terms like 'prescribing' and 'consultant' a sign of OTs feeling a need for medical recognition and contributing to blurry public understanding ? #OTalk

Sarah Baptist Ball @OT_Sarah



@NatashaBjo Oh no.. you did the nomenclature bit...i like some of the articles coming out about this and whether this is an attempt to confine and make us a model. Not enough characters #OTalk 🌟 <https://t.co/Z4dgachhiW>



#OTalk @OTalk_ RT @OTRhiannon: @NatashaBjo I think it allows us as OTs to venture out and promote OT in various areas it's a positive thing #OTalk



#OTalk @OTalk_ RT @OT_Sarah: @NatashaBjo I personally don't think so, what I do struggle with is OT's with generic titles like community practitioner or c...



#OTalk @OTalk_ RT @preston_jenny: Interesting question for me as a Consultant #OTalk. I don't see this as a need for medicalisation but more for equity o...



Sherlyn 🌟(she/her) @sherlynmelody

RT @jwot77: @NatashaBjo @OTalk_ Call me naive but I've yet to reach my full potential as still learning and think that the world is my oyst...



#OTalk @OTalk_ RT @chaniedavies: @NatashaBjo Oh no.. you did the nomenclature bit...i like some of the articles coming out about this and whether this is...



Anya de longh @anyadei

@musedNeuroOT @StephFleetTweet @NatashaBjo @OTalk_ Sounds like while respecting the importance of scope of practice in terms of HCPC safe practice there is critical analysis needed in how the term 'scope of practice' is used to justify / defend decisions / limitations that get imposed? #OTalk



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT

@OT_Sarah @NatashaBjo But it is fair to wonder though- how can undergrad students from other fields pull such off, but almost everyone of us can't? #otalk



Joanne @jomadav39

@NatashaBjo I don't use the term prescribe instead I use recommend as it's up to the person to make an informed decision but the term social prescribing is accepted now #OTalk



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT

@NatashaBjo I heard consultant more in the US. Sometimes that's more appropriate because we are providing critical expertise. #otalk



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Anya de longh @anyadei

@jwot77 @NatashaBjo @OTalk_ And how lucky are your patients and colleagues are to benefit from that! Don't loose that ✨✨✨ #OTalk



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Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT

RT @margaretOT360: Education, education, education #otalk



Margaret Spencer MA @margaretOT360

Totally agree, but sometimes we need to speak the language of GPs eg prescribing to get in through the door...then we can start to change the language #otalk



Ed Sum Occupational Therapist🌈❤️🌐 @musedNeuroOT

@jwot77 @NatashaBjo @OTalk_ I also like the idea of 'synergy'. I reach lots of my potentials with and through others as we grow together #OTalk I can talk about how I have got this far because of others but also how others have thanked me for what I have done for them



Margaret Spencer MA @margaretOT360

This happens a lot in supervision #otalk



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT

@margaretOT360 And one powerful thing that I have nailed 2 birds with one stone- when my students watch the TEDx talks I have produced! #otalk #leadbyexample <https://t.co/CvjefhdwIC>

Lauren Osborne @LaurenOsborneOT

@NatashaBjo By providing clinical reasoning and evidence base for what the client population need with cost benefit analysis to demonstrate how/why it ma...



business sense #OTalk



Anya de longh @anyadei

@NatashaBjo Reality is that we work in medical system of healthcare so for parity of esteem some terms (but not all) are useful, but with them we need to have our own professional identity and develop them because they work for patients not just to protect our profession! #OTalk



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT

RT @sherlynmelody: @NatashaBjo #otalk I'd like to know how to refuse anything in my organisation? Maybe I've misread this 😊 We need to prom...



Jennie W. @jwot77

@NatashaBjo I don't think so, I think it's a sign of growth in a career which deserves recognition and a role description/job title for an expert in their field. prescribing, consider social prescribing, a move away from medical interventions so could be used like this in OT. #OTalk



#OTalk @OTalk_

RT @margaretOT360: Totally agree, but sometimes we need to speak the language of GPs eg prescribing to get in through the door...then we can...



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Chantelle Martin @chaniedavies

@preston_jenny Equity of status and opportunity for such is hugely important #OTalk



Toks O @TokunboTweetz

@NatashaBjo I'm not sure about prescribing, as I wouldn't really use it in the context that I work in. I think that consultation absolutely describes what we offer clients and colleagues, and should be acknowledged. So I don't think it is an attempt of medical recognition. #OTalk



#OTalk @OTalk_

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Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT

@sherlynmelody @NatashaBjo We actually will have at least 4 TEDx talks this year by OT community. We should be up to date on those too! #otalk



#OTalk @OTalk_

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Margaret Spencer MA @margaretOT360

The word 'patient' is just another example #otalk



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT

RT @margaretOT360: Totally agree, but sometimes we need to speak the language of GPs eg prescribing to get in through the door...then we can...



Emma O'Dwyer @EmmaODwyer13

@NatashaBjo I think when these terms are in job titles then this is often in more 'role emerging' roles. In terms of my own role I never refer to 'prescribing' generic equipment, adaptations, advice.....not a common term I would want to use! #OTalk



Margaret Spencer MA @margaretOT360

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#OTalk @OTalk_

RT @EmmaODwyer13: @NatashaBjo I think when these terms are in job titles then this is often in more 'role emerging' roles. In terms of my o...



Ros French @RosFrench1

@NatashaBjo @OTalk_ #OTalk I hadn't thought about terms being "medicalised" so many roles are "generic" and whether they reflect the roles OTs do and roles are understood by others, brings back to the discussion around OT professional identity

Toks O @TokunboTweetz



@NatashaBjo And I think as a profession, we need to advance and develop in our confidence when it comes to consultation. We have so much to offer! #OTalk



Margaret Spencer MA @margaretOT360

RT @TokunboTweetz: @NatashaBjo And I think as a profession, we need to advance and develop in our confidence when it comes to consultation....



Sherlyn 🌻⭐(she/her) @sherlynmelody

@NatashaBjo #otalk where does this terminology originate! You could be 100% right. Defo thought provoking 😊



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT

@chaniedavies @NatashaBjo I think more OT academics should take a look at my mock TEDx application assignment for my US OT class. #otalk
<https://t.co/GFIZviE71>



Lauren Osborne @LaurenOsborneOT

@NatashaBjo Very difficult in my experience. We need to be strong in our worth as a profession and use those arguments of clinical reasoning and cost benefit us leverage. It takes confidence. #OTalk



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT

@AimeeCraneOT @NatashaBjo I know Helene Polatajko's TEDx's talk did a great job of that. #otalk



Ed Sum Occupational Therapist 🌈❤️🏴 @musedNeuroOT

@anyadei @StephFleetTweet @NatashaBjo @OTalk_ The consideration may be around risk. It may appear to be 'less risky' doing what is common practice but this biased thinking can be a fallacy. Anything innovative may be heavily influenced by a risk assessment or change implemented as a way to manage risk ≠



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT

RT @RosFrench1: @NatashaBjo @OTalk_ #OTalk I hadn't thought about terms being "medicalised" so many roles are "generic" and whether they re...



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Natasha Bruce-Jones @NatashaBjo

Time is whizzing by! I'm so glad I've had the opportunity to make you all take some time to pause and reflect on the greatness and challenges of OT. Final question to remind us why we do what we do Qu 5. What is the most fun you've had delivering your OT in the last year? #OTalk



Anya de longh @anyadei

@RosFrench1 @NatashaBjo @OTalk_ Good point! Also I think we need to be more nuanced ... although I know this might sound odd, I don't think medicalizing 'bad' - in the right place and at the right time it can be helpful, so need to recognise + be and -ve aspects of medicalizing roles/terms! #OTalk



#OTalk @OTalk_

RT @anyadei: @RosFrench1 @NatashaBjo @OTalk_ Good point! Also I think we need to be more nuanced ... although I know this might sound odd, I do...



Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT

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RT @NatashaBjo: Time is whizzing by! I'm so glad I've had the opportunity to make you all take some time to pause and reflect on the greatness...



Aimee Crane @AimeeCraneOT

@NatashaBjo A picnic in the park with my client, followed by throwing a frisbee to one another. Great therapy opportunity with lots of rehab occurring, but most importantly, fun! #OTalk



#OTalk @OTalk_

RT @AimeeCraneOT: @NatashaBjo A picnic in the park with my client, followed by throwing a frisbee to one another. Great therapy opportunity...



Aimee Crane @AimeeCraneOT

@BillWongOT @NatashaBjo Will check them out, thank you! #OTalk

Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L @BillWongOT



@NatashaBjo Laughing with patients, training sessions, talking with residents in community cafe, giving myself and family occupational opportunities and O' laughter **@RosFrench1 #OTalk**



Lauren Osborne @LaurenOsborneOT
@NatashaBjo Giving a 5 year old powered mobility and seeing the smiles and giggles of joy from first experiences of independent movement **#OTalk**



Sarah Baptist Ball @OT_Sarah
@NatashaBjo Seeing an older chap get so excited to eat his own home made meal after living off ready meals for 1 year. We made some accessible easy r and graded the task that it was the right challenge within his physical and cognitive abilities 😊 **#OTalk**



Sherlyn 🌟(she/her) @sherlynmelody
@TokunboTweetz @NatashaBjo #otalk food 😊



OTRhiannon @OTRhiannon
@NatashaBjo Being newly qualified and finally being able to be my own OT and really get stuck into my role using my own initiative and having my own cas seeing a clients journey to the end ❤️... also been loving my baking sessions with a client, meaningful, tasty and fun 😊 **#OTalk**



#OTalk @OTalk
We have reflective resources on our site for you to record and reflect on tonight's chat for your CPD **#OTalk** <https://t.co/HSHHvoGfxN>



Ros French @RosFrench1
@OTalk_ @NatashaBjo #OTalk thank you the time flew past tonight and great questions



Michaela Santoro @Heres_Kla
@NatashaBjo @OTalk By definition, they mean to recommend and to offer expert advice, respectively. Is it a need for medical recognition, or is the role be professional and highly regarded as experts in their/our field? **#OTalk**



Aimee Crane @AimeeCraneOT
@TokunboTweetz @NatashaBjo Love this **#OTalk**



#OTalk @OTalk
Keep an eye on our blog for the transcript of this chat if you would like to catch up later **#OTalk**



Aimee Crane @AimeeCraneOT
@chaniedavies @NatashaBjo @RosFrench1 I need to know more about 'OT gin club' **#OTalk**



Ros French @RosFrench1
@chaniedavies @NatashaBjo #OTalk got to love OT 'gin club'!



Natasha Bruce-Jones @NatashaBjo
#OTalk thank you all, I'm so pleased to have had such a great audience to interact with. Just remember we all have such potential to make change and make household name!!



OTRhiannon @OTRhiannon
@NatashaBjo Thank you really enjoyed today's **#OTalk**



Aimee Crane @AimeeCraneOT
@NatashaBjo Fab **#OTalk** thank you **@NatashaBjo**



Chantelle Martin @chaniedavies
@AimeeCraneOT @NatashaBjo @RosFrench1 The funnier term for peer support out of work, socialising with colleagues and descending in convo topics (r always alcohol we had a civilised tea and scone evening **#OTalk**



Ellen Martinez @ElmoSE24
@NatashaBjo Going for a walk in the park with a patient who had not been out of their home for 18 months. Enabling a patient to bathe who hadn't done so in 18 months. Teaching 1st year students to truly understand the value and meaning of Occupation. **#OTalk**



Ros French @RosFrench1
@chaniedavies @AimeeCraneOT @NatashaBjo #OTalk add in support for job applications, informal safe support with friends, the last few have been hot dogs and not forgetting the grim biscuits lol!



Charlotte Betteridge @CharlOTte_Paeds
@NatashaBjo The freedom of tapping into a child's interest every day, finding solutions to continue their hobbies through cancer treatment & providing meal treatment not having a focus on assess & discharge! **#Paeds Rocks #OTalk**

Chantelle Martin @chaniedavies



And small child said "mummy you are the best OT you can be...is that why you are so good at calming people down...except daddy?" #OTalk #inspiringnextc but you shouldn't go on masterchef or bake off " 😂



Chantelle Martin @chaniedavies

Great questions tonight and loved reflecting beyond initial responses. Never enough space could all be nlogs in themselves. Interesting from different service of practice so thanks to all #OTalk



Chantelle Martin @chaniedavies

@RosFrench1 @AimeeCraneOT @NatashaBjo Personal and professional confidence building and just a bloomin good giggle in a stressful work world...pri #OTalk



OT Sophie @OTSophie

Completely missed #OTalk as I'm losing track of days and dates. Also feels like it wasn't that long since the last one 😂



Chantelle Martin @chaniedavies

@anyadei @RosFrench1 @NatashaBjo @OTalk_ Agree depends on setting, use e.g level of practice and others understanding and respect for OT around. terminology means to all can help or hinder. #neverbeneareconsultant 😂 but those who are there in OT deserve recognition on par with other professins #OT



Jess Blake Occupational Therapist ❤️ @JessBlakeOT

@NatashaBjo Bit late to the party...lead by example and treat everyone across the system as equal partners and important pieces of the support network 'jig is some flex in the top-down approach if we work together! #OTalk



SueH. (一个职业治疗师) 🇬🇧 🌈 🎉 🎉 🎉 @therapy2optimum

@NatashaBjo #OTalk sadly banging on about stuff can often leave you with a self-imposed headache. I had to get out, #Retired, my time was done. I can be & outspoken now as @Retired_AHPs



Natasha Bruce-Jones @NatashaBjo

@therapy2optimum @Retired_AHPs I was tempted to leave OT altogether after maternity but changed my career route instead. Independent Practise has b changed#r #OTalk



Natasha Bruce-Jones @NatashaBjo

@JessBlakeOT #OTalk united forces bring change! We all need to realise our potential to make change and our potential to showcase how vast the scope o



STUDENTS- OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY @StudentOTs

Just going to RT this if anyone has any suggestions #OTalk



Natasha Bruce-Jones @NatashaBjo

@Fipee789 This is OT at its finest #OTalk



Natasha Bruce-Jones @NatashaBjo

@OTRhiannon #OTalk good to hear new grads are getting the chance to keep activity at the core of their delivery! Never let that fade.



Natasha Bruce-Jones @NatashaBjo

@TokunboTweetz #OTalk Rehab should be fun! Great idea



#OTalk @OTalk_

#OTalk – Are you ready for the OTshow? Tuesday 16th November 2021 <https://t.co/mPmRzjegHa>



Saffron OT 🍀 @SaffronY14

@NatashaBjo Creating a robust Occupational Therapy pathway for the company I work for and my own independent practice! #OTalk



Lynsay Duke @DukeLynsay

@NatashaBjo #OTalk be leaders at whatever level you are at. Show that by engaging your patients in their own care leads to better outcomes, increased se management and appreciation of what OT is.



Lynsay Duke @DukeLynsay

@NatashaBjo #OTalk laughing with patients, enjoying seeing them again after their isolation, receiving a birthday card months in advance in case of lockdov



Lynsay Duke @DukeLynsay

@NatashaBjo @OTalk_ #OTalk capped career progression opportunities within my service - I can go up by leaving or get temp promoted posts by staying. 1 Consultants, no Advanced Practitioners. Value of OT still not recognised by senior management- represented by nurses on boards ...



Lynsay Duke @DukeLynsay

@NatashaBjo #OTalk Be the periscope - stick your head up and demonstrate your worth. How can OT add value, improve patient outcomes, drive change. I forced to reduce role demonstrate the disadvantages - what they will lose - refuse to do 'extra stuff'

**Natasha Bruce-Jones @NatashaBjo**

@DukeLynsay @OTalk_ #OTalk I've been in posts where OT was totally under utilised from poor understanding of our potential too. Our value is immense. Some users in statutory weren't getting the best of my OT!

**Lynsay Duke @DukeLynsay**

@NatashaBjo #OTalk think Consultant OT is ok as that denotes a level of practice/ responsibility and expertise. I wouldn't use prescribe as that suggests a lot of clinical power that detracts from person centred care. I engage/collaborate/negotiate rather than prescribe

**helen mary @hmprew**

RT @NatashaBjo: Question 2. How can OTs provide client led services if working within the 'top down' management systems of local authorities...

**Liz Rose Hand Therapy & Scar Treatment @LizRoseHands**

RT @NatashaBjo: Question 4. Is Occupational Therapy's use of terms like 'prescribing' and 'consultant' a sign of OTs feeling a need for me...

**John Peter Guite @JPGUITE1**

RT @margaretOT360: Use @theRCOT guidelines and @The_HCPC standards #otalk

**UWOT @UoW_OT**

Students! I missed #OTalk last night but this is a really fascinating debate - strongly recommend you read this thread & consider all of the variable perspectives #criticaldebate

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