

Occupational Therapy Assistant

National Certification

1. The website is <http://www.nbcot.org/>. Students can download the application for the certification at <http://www.danb.org/PDFs/CDAApplication.pdf>.
2. Students can request accommodations by completing the "Reasonable Accommodations
3. Form" at http://www.nbcot.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=266&Itemid=202.
4. Students should read the handbook on requesting accommodations at http://www.nbcot.org/pdf/spec_accoms/Special-Testing-Accoms-Handbook.pdf.
5. Candidates can apply by mail or online.
6. Candidates must submit a NBCOT certification examination application before submitting the special testing accommodations request form.
7. Two special testing accommodations application forms have to be completed. One form by the candidate and the second form by qualified professional.
8. The second form must be filled by a licensed/certified provider. It must include a letter or evaluation which may include a copy of previous test results confirming evidence of a prior diagnosis, accommodation, or classification, such as eligibility for special programs.
9. The second form must be submitted directly to NBCOT by the qualified professional by mail or fax.
10. Candidates requesting accommodations are notified in writing within 10 business days of receipt of completed requests regarding the approval or reason for denial of the STA request.

State License

1. The website is <http://www.doh.wa.gov/LicensesPermitsandCertificates/ProfessionsNewReneworUpdate/OccupationalTherapist.aspx>.
2. Candidates download the application at <http://www.doh.wa.gov/Portals/1/Documents/Pubs/683032.pdf>.
3. Candidates have to take the Jurisprudence Exam listed on <http://www.doh.wa.gov/LicensesPermitsandCertificates/ProfessionsNewReneworUpdate/OccupationalTherapist/ApplicationsandForms.aspx/>.
4. The Jurisprudence exam is online and untimed.