

DESCRIPTION OF THE STUDY PROGRAMME

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Study program	State program code
Occupational Therapy	612B32001

Higher education institution (s), department (s)	Program language (s)
Vilnius University, Faculty of Medicine, Department of Rehabilitation, Physical and Sports Medicine	Lithuanian

Study type	Study level	Qualification level according LQS
University studies	Stages I	VI

Study form (s) and duration of years	Program Credits	Total student workload hours	Contact hours	Self-study hours
Full-time studies, 4 years	240	6400	4153	2247

Field of study	Main program area (branch)	Parallel Degree Programme (branch) (if applicable)
Health Science Group	Rehabilitation	-

Qualification degree and (or) professional qualification (if any)
Qualification Degree Of Health Sciences Bachelor Occupational therapist

The head of study program	The head contact information
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The accrediting institution	The accrediting till
Centre for Quality Assessment	2019.07.01

Study program goal
Develop occupational therapy specialist who are able to analyze a person's physical, social and internal factors due to return lost opportunities, supporting or disorders compensation through purposeful activities.

Study program profile		
Study program content: Subjects (modules) groups	Study program format	Characteristics of the study program
Studied biomedical sciences (Functional anatomy, Human physiology and Biochemistry; First aid and Fundamentals of Nursing; and etc.), Social sciences (Health Policy and Public Health Interventions and etc.), Humanities (Foreign language, Latin language, Introduction to Philosophy, etc.) fields of study (Person, occupation and environment; Assessment principles in Occupational therapy; Occupational therapy for people of working age; Ergonomics, etc.)	The study program focuses on critical research-based occupational therapy knowledge, skills and principles of practice.	Since 2003, the University of Vilnius is member of ENOTHE (European Network of Occupational Therapy in Higher Education).  Since 2010, the University of Vilnius is member of NordPlus (NordPlus higher education). Students along with teachers involved in the scientific research, international scientific cooperation projects. Subjects are taught by young, qualified

subjects.		and experienced in their field of specialization activities, improving skills at international and national level.
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Requirements for admission	Recognition of prior learning
Minimum education - secondary. Competitive score consists of biology, chemistry or mathematics and Lithuanian. Matura exams and chemistry or mathematics annual grades. ( <a href="http://www.vu.lt/lt/studijos/priemimas#1pakopa">http://www.vu.lt/lt/studijos/priemimas#1pakopa</a> )	Formal, non-formal and informal competences acquired are recognized in accordance with the methodology set out in Vilnius University.

Entree to further studies
Graduates of Occupational therapy Bachelor degree program can continue Master's program.

Career opportunities
Occupational Therapy degree program graduates can work in all levels of public and private health care institutions, educational institutions, municipalities, social rehabilitation facilities, social care, nursing home, orthopedic companies, and technical aids centers.

Study methods		Assessment methods	
The study methods are used to develop the general and specific skills and based on problem-based learning principles: retractable lecture, group discussion, case studies, self-reflection, role-playing, simulations, literature research and analysis, preparation and presentation, practice dairy.		To assess the acquired competencies of the learning outcomes are applied a variety of assessment methods: survey writing, testing, report, case study in written form, feedback.	
General competences		Study program outcomes	
1.	Communication and collaboration	1.1	Be able to communicate, work and collaborate in the multicultural environment.
		1.2	Be able to exchange information and work in the multidisciplinary/interdisciplinary team.
2.	Organization, planning and decision-making	2.1	Be able to organize, plan activities and make decisions working creatively.
Special competences		Study program outcomes	
3.	Occupational therapy theoretical based knowledge	3.1	Be able to explain main concept of occupational therapy, natural human being and activities based on holistic approach.
		3.2	Be able to link medical, psychological and social knowledge and to explain the link between occupation, health and quality of life.
		3.3	Be able to link knowledge about biopsychosocial functions during human life and health problems.
4.	Occupational therapy process, execution and evaluation	4.1	Be able to evaluate person's/community activities, participation, environment and their interfaces.
		4.2	Will be able to perform personal/community participation, activities and environmental analysis
		4.3	Be able to initiate person's/community problem solving by choosing occupational therapy models and improving human well-being and social participation.
		4.4	Be able to choose, apply Occupational therapy, methods and evaluate their impact.

5.	Professional relations and partnership	5.1	Be able to teach persons and their relatives, to give recommendations for team members and other professionals about Occupational therapy issues.
		5.2	Be able to follow professional ethical principles respecting person's/community identities and their impact on occupation.
6.	Professional autonomy and responsibility	6.1	Be able to follow with professional standards and employers rules.
		6.2	Be able independently, while studying and all life assess their quality of work and progress.
7.	Occupational therapy applied research	7.1	Be able to find, analyse and systematize information from different resources.
		7.2	Be able to apply the method of scientific research, organize and perform scientific applied research, provide and interpret results.
		7.3	Be able to apply evidence based fundamental and applied science achievements and methods of professional practise.



