

Occupational Therapy in Nevada



What is Occupational Therapy (OT)?

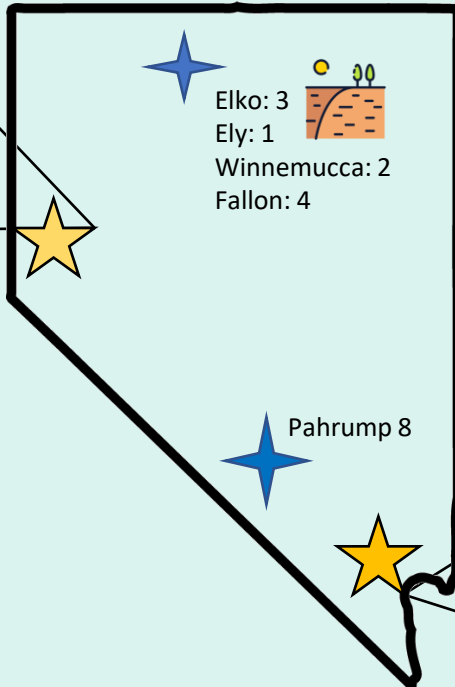
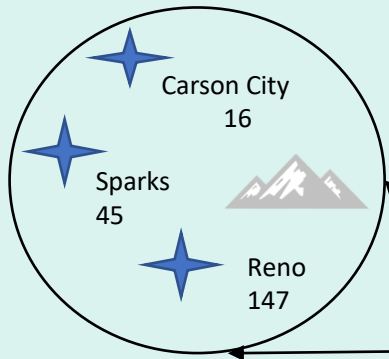
Occupational therapy practitioners enable people of all ages to live life to its fullest by helping them promote health, and prevent—or live better with—injury, illness, or disability. OTs help people across the lifespan to do the things they want and need to do through the therapeutic use of daily activities. (AOTA, 2020)

Nevada

There were ~1300 OT practitioners licensed in Nevada in 2019

Annual Mean: \$105,450

Hourly Mean Wage: \$50.70



Las Vegas/Henderson

Las Vegas/Henderson is one of the top-paying metropolitan areas for OTs

Employment: 894 OTs

Annual Mean: \$108,870

Hourly mean: \$52.34

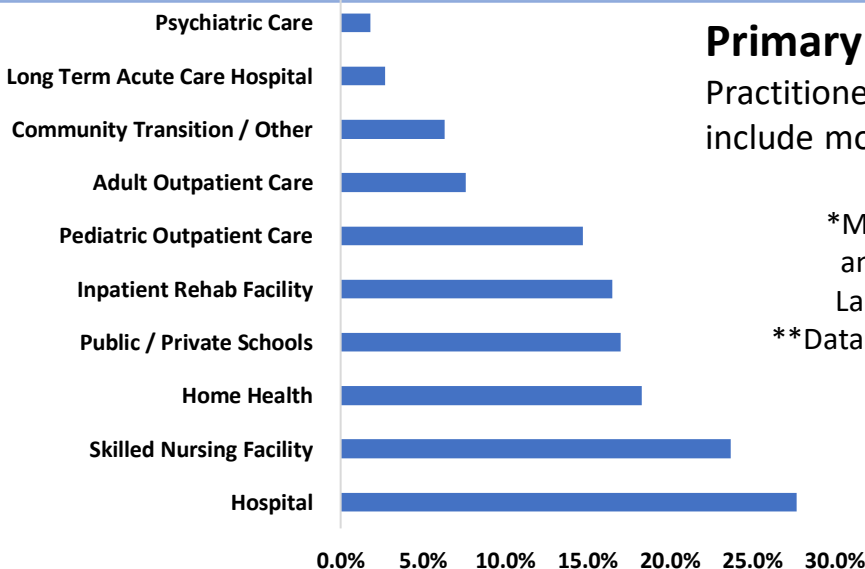


Reno/Sparks Area*

Employment: 218 OTs

Annual Mean Wage: \$93,300

Hourly Mean: \$44.86



Primary Work Setting**

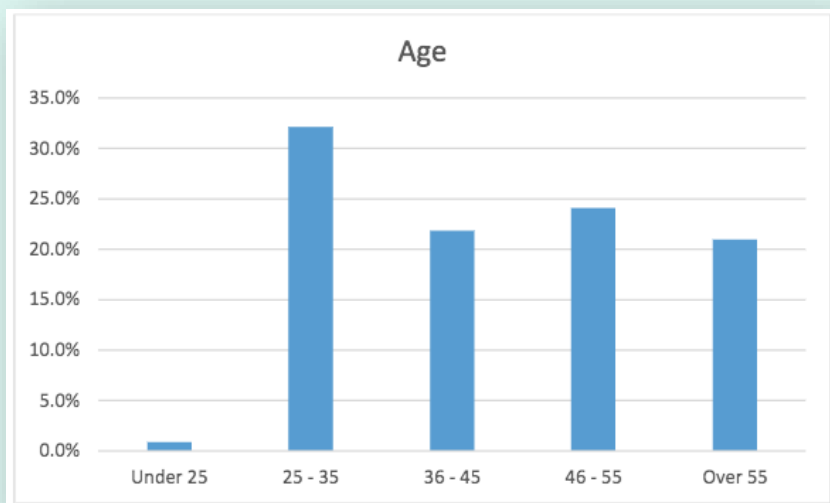
Practitioner responses may include more than one work setting.

*Metropolitan numbers are approximate and based on 2019 data from Bureau of Labor Statistics and NVBOT Licensee List
 **Data from NVBOT 2020 OT Practice Survey



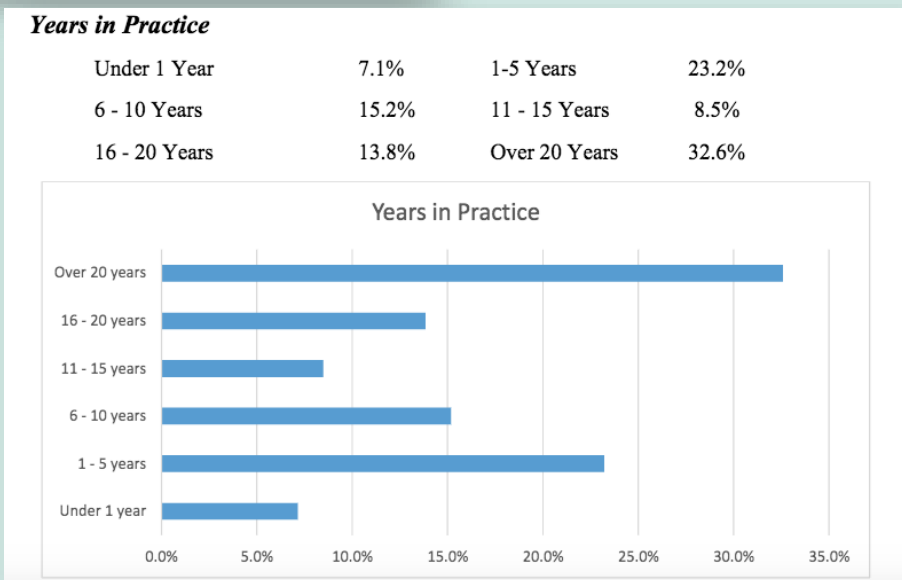
Statistics from the State of Nevada Board of Occupational Therapy

2020 Occupational Therapy Practice Survey Data



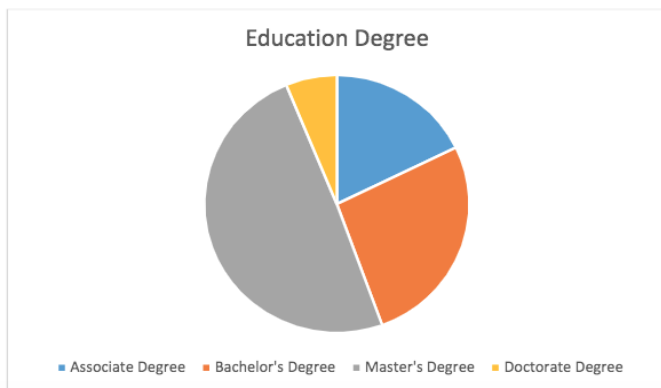
Age

Years in Practice



Highest Educational Degree Achieved

Associate Degree	17.9%	Bachelor's Degree	26.8%
Master's Degree	49.6%	Doctorate Degree	6.3%



Highest Education Received

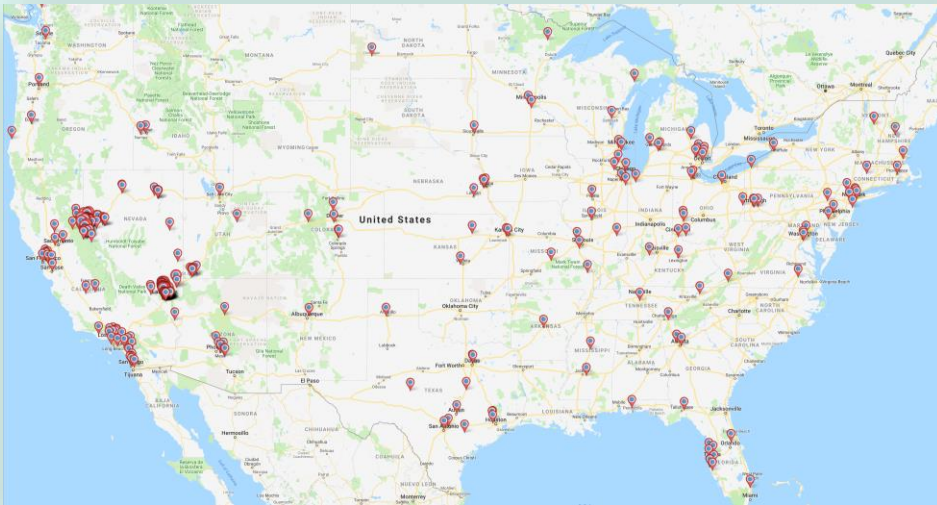
OTs and OTAs Licensed in Nevada

Occupational Therapy Programs in Nevada

Touro University Nevada, Henderson:
Entry Level Doctor of Occupational Therapy (OTD)

University of Nevada, Las Vegas:
Entry Level OTD, Post Professional OTD

PIMA Medical Institute, Las Vegas:
Certified Occupational Therapy Assistant (COTA)



OT Practitioners in Nevada come from almost every state

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