

## **Occupational Therapist**

**Job no:** OTIGH007-HTS

**Work type:** Permanent Full time

**Location:** Launceston

**Categories:** Allied Health-NDIS, Hand Therapy and Splinting, Orthotics, Rehabilitation

*Your experience working as an Occupational Therapist in the specialization area of Hand Therapy and Splinting will transfer your skills seamlessly into this Hand Therapist and Splinting Lead role at IGH.*

**Base salary from \$90,000 to 109,999 plus super and overtime**

**At In Good Hands Occupational Therapy Pty Ltd, we follow “Evidence-Based Practice”, where we use the best available evidence to underpin clinical decision-making and provide the best possible outcomes for patients. We care about making a difference for the better, but it’s a big job and we can’t do it alone. Which is right where you come in.**

In Good Hands, Occupational Therapy Pty Ltd is committed to building a diverse and inclusive workplace. We welcome applications from qualified candidates of all ages, cultural backgrounds, abilities, and genders.

### **About you**

You are a driven and enthusiastic Occupational Therapist with,

- A Bachelor’s or master’s degree in occupational therapy
- At least 3 years of Clinical experience in Occupational Therapy
- Advanced verbal and written communication skills to effectively talk to patients and type up reports for other professionals.
- Ability to work as part of a multidisciplinary team.
- Ability to be open to constructive criticism and then apply what you’ve learned.
- Experience in Hand splinting and Therapy or possess a passion for advancing the career towards Hand splinting and Therapy.

## Selection Criteria

- Professional Registration AHPRA or working towards APHRA registration.
- Experience in NDIS (desirable, but not necessary)
- Driver's Licence (company car available)
- NDIS Worker Screening Check
- WWVP

\*\* Graduate OTs are welcome to apply.

## About the role

As a team member of IGH occupational therapist, you will be involved in

- Assessment of clients with disabilities, and other barriers to independence and participation.
- Functional capacity assessments, Range of movement assessments, Standardized assessments, and Detailed report writing.
- Evaluate a client's home/living environment, workplace, and other environments accesses to identify potential improvements with equipment, assistive technology, and/or modifications.
- Facilitate trials of equipment such as wheelchairs and other mobility aids, equipment for transfers, daily living aids, furniture such as beds and riser chairs.
- Facilitate assessments with builders/tradesmen to identify reasonable and necessary modifications to improve access, promote independence, and support the care support network. This may include initial, progress, and final evaluation visits and records for access ramps, rails, and complex bathroom modifications.
- Liaising with relevant parties to coordinate care i.e., support coordinators, support workers, other allied health disciplines, medical professionals, community mental health teams, etc.
- Document and create reports on participant services using technology and paper-based systems in a clear, logical, understandable, and timely way.

IGH has significantly invested in Hand Splinting and Therapy equipment and products at our facility in south Launceston, Tasmania. There is a lot of potential to bring awareness to the current client base and new clients and make a difference in their day-to-day lives.

We are looking for a self-driven Occupational Therapist who has a passion for progressing the career towards Hand Rehab that involves Hand Therapy and Splinting. If you believe that your skill is going unnoticed and/or has not been rewarded, please reach out to us at [Belinda@ingoodhandsot.com.au](mailto:Belinda@ingoodhandsot.com.au). Our friendly team members will have a detailed discussion about your expectations and aspirations and what IGH can offer to have you on -Board working towards a common goal.

### **How to apply**

Please attach a cover letter and your resume outlining:

- What is it that motivated you to apply for the position?
- What skills and experience you will bring to In Good Hands Occupational Therapy Pty Ltd?

For more information or a confidential discussion, contact Subha, Senior Occupational Therapist, at 0415846334.

We can also organize a facility tour either in person or virtually for eligible candidates who have an interest in applying for the role.

We will promptly engage with suitable candidates throughout the agile recruitment process. Join us in our vision to ***“Empower people with disabilities to be Independent in both social and economic setup and deliver a quality service for the participants and their families ”***

**Advertised:** 25 Sep 2023  
**Applications close:** TBA

Tasmania Standard Time